

COLLABORATIVE FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

A coalition of community leaders and youth development professionals working together to help Georgetown youth thrive.

VISION

A community where all children and youth believe they are loved, respected and treated with dignity.

MISSION

Convene regularly representatives from nonprofit, business, government, faith, family, youth, healthcare, education, public safety, social services, labor, and philanthropic sectors to positively and collectively impact the well-being of Georgetown children and youth.

STRATEGIES

- 1. Monitor the health and well-being of Georgetown children and youth by collecting, publishing, evaluating and strategically sharing relevant data.
- 2. Map and raise awareness of available local resources, and gaps in services, important to the healthy development of Georgetown children and youth.
- 3. Advocate for collaborative, innovative and proven strategies that improve the odds that <u>all</u> Georgetown children thrive while growing up in our community and are ready for college, work and life.
- 4. Promote the importance of positive intergenerational relationships from birth so that youth experience <u>Developmental Assets</u> and <u>Developmental Relationships</u> essential for youth success.
- 5. Increase awareness of and referrals to available resources through strong, sustained and interconnected relationships among the youth development community.
- 6. Develop and support leaders in youth development.