

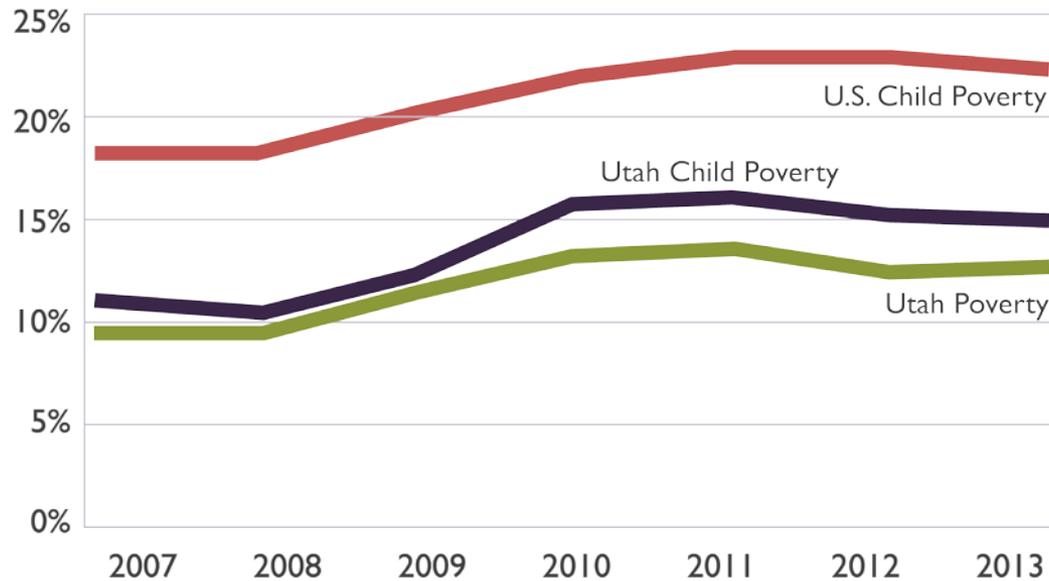
# ADDRESSING INTERGENERATIONAL POVERTY



Rural Impact Project, TANF, and other Partnerships

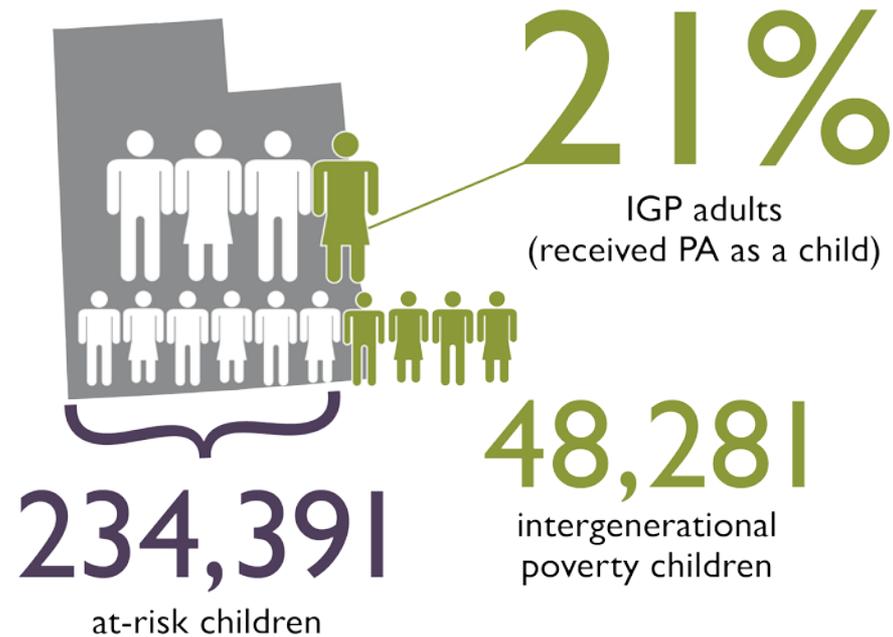
# 339,300 UTAHNS BELOW POVERTY

## Child Poverty Slowly Declines



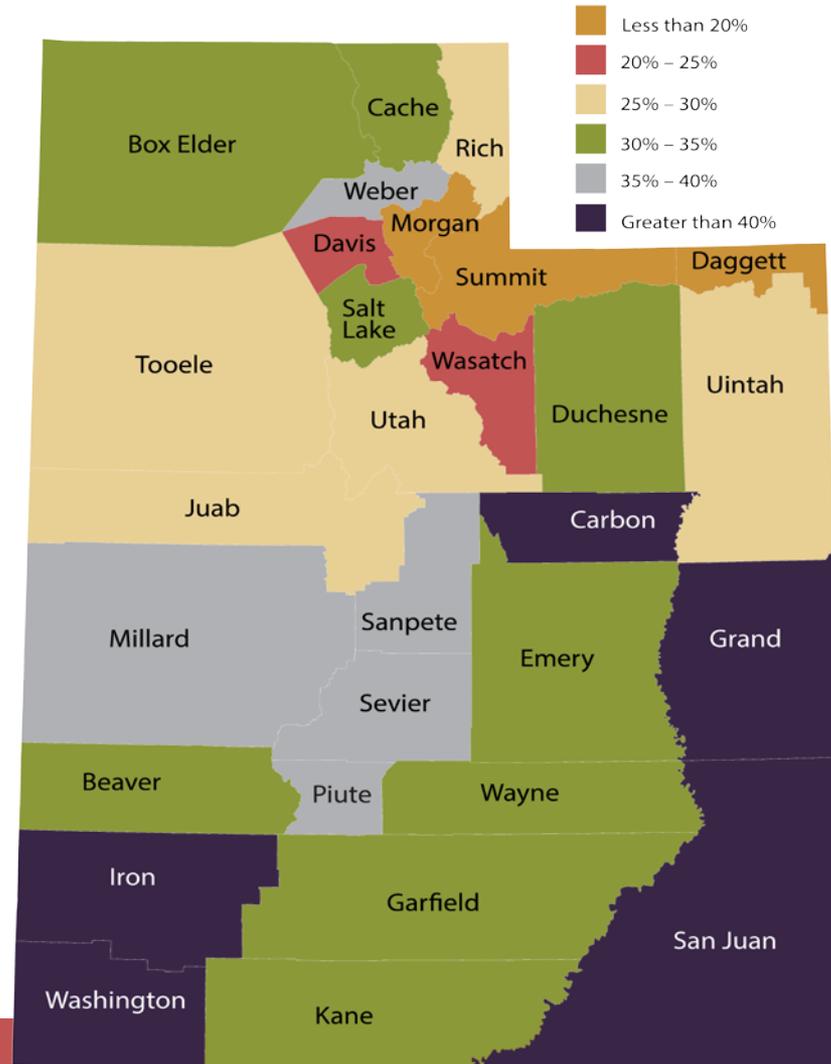
# DEFINING INTERGENERATIONAL POVERTY

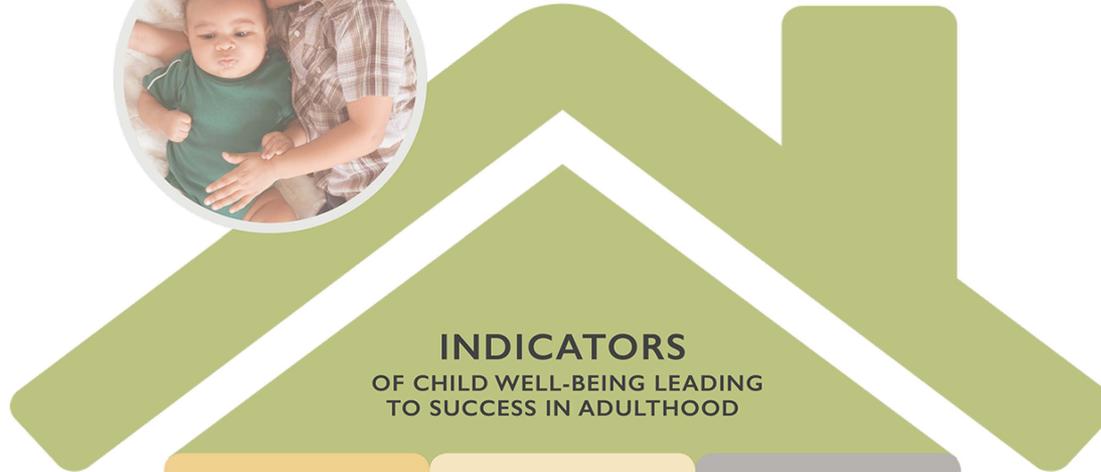
## Utah Adults Receiving Public Assistance (PA)



# EVERY CORNER IS IMPACTED!

## IGP & At Risk Children by County





## INDICATORS OF CHILD WELL-BEING LEADING TO SUCCESS IN ADULTHOOD

### EDUCATION

- Kindergarten participation
- Chronic absence rates
- 3<sup>rd</sup> grade language arts proficiency
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade math proficiency
- AP participation
- ACT scores
- Graduation rates
- Juvenile justice engagement



### FAMILY ECONOMIC STABILITY

- Adult educational attainment
- Adult employment
- Wage levels
- Housing stability



### HEALTH

- Access to health care, including physical, mental and dental health
- Rates of abuse and neglect
- Participation in nutrition programs



### EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

- Access to health care beginning in infancy
- Access to quality child care
- Preschool participation
- Kindergarten readiness

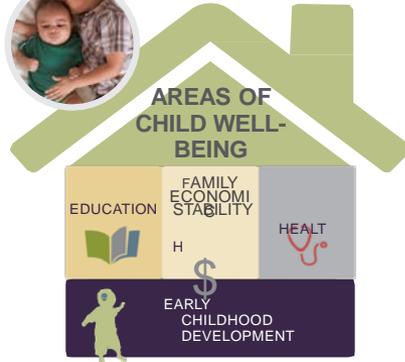
# FOUNDATIONS TO SUCCESS

# IGP EFFORTS IN RURAL UTAH

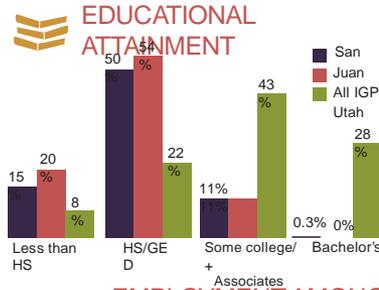
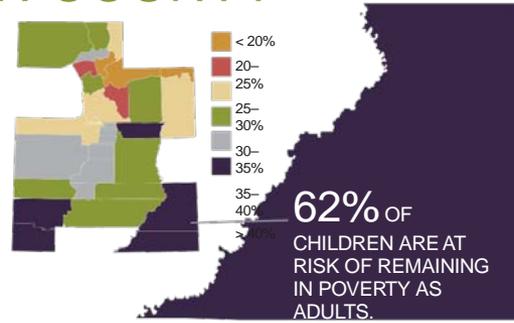


# INTERGENERATIONAL POVERTY IN SAN JUAN COUNTY

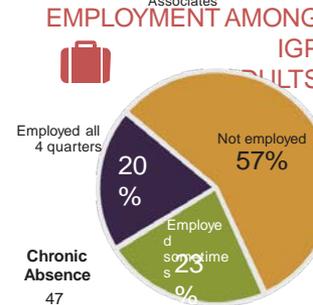
**THOUSANDS OF UTAH FAMILIES** are living in intergenerational poverty — a situation of poverty and public assistance use that continues from one generation to the next. As part of the Intergenerational Welfare Reform Commission, Workforce Services is working with multiple state agencies and other key partners to understand intergenerational poverty and reduce the number of children who remain in this situation as adults.



**18%** of adults are experiencing intergenerational poverty (children 26%)  
**65%** lack education beyond high school



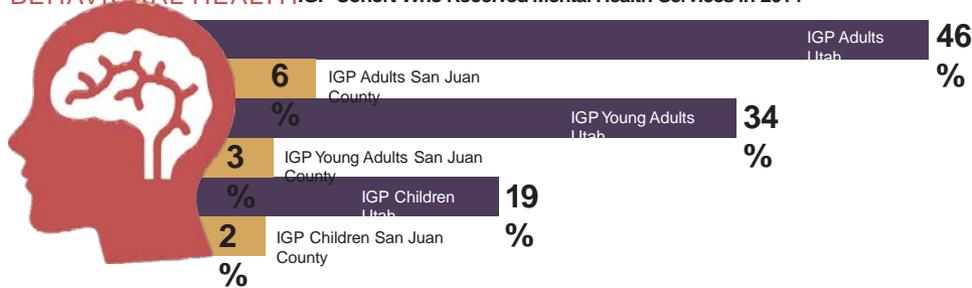
**\$42,184** AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGES, 2014  
**\$11,520** UTAH IGP  
**\$11,115** SAN JUAN COUNTY IGP



School	% IGP Enrollment	% PA Enrollment	Chronic Absence
Tse'Biil'Nidziszgai School	38%	31%	47%
Bluff School	37%	22%	38%
Montezuma Greek	30%	30%	39%
Blanding School	25%	24%	18%
Monument Valley High	21%	38%	21%
Whitehorse School	16%	35%	26%
Albert R. Lyman Middle	14%	27%	9%
San Juan High	8%	20%	24%
Monticello School	6%	20%	0%

# INTERGENERATIONAL POVERTY IN SAN JUAN COUNTY

## BEHAVIORAL HEALTH IGP Cohort Who Received Mental Health Services in 2014

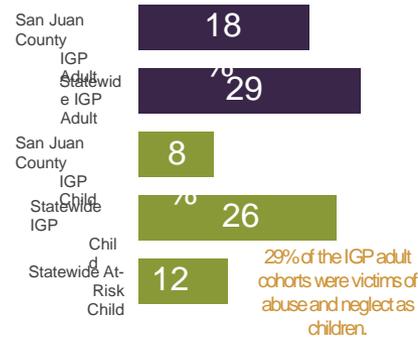


## JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM



**16%** of youth ages 10–17 in San Juan County experiencing intergenerational poverty have involvement with JJS

## Victims of Abuse and Neglect



## SAN JUAN COUNTY HEALTH ISSUES



Health Access Issues		Mental Health Issues			Healthy Living/Physical Health Issues			
Percentage of Persons with No Insurance Coverage (1)	Percentage of Persons with No Personal Doctor (2)	Percentage of Persons with Poor mental health in 7 or more of past 30 days (2)	Percentage of Persons Ever Told Have a Depressive Disorder (2)	Suicide Rate per 100,000 population (3)	Percentage of Adults eating less than three vegetables each day (2)	Percentage of Adults Who are Obese (2)	Percentage of Adults Reporting Fair or Poor Health (2)	Percentage of Adults Not Getting Recommend Aerobic Physical Activity (2)
24	34.3	13.5	18.2	25.4*	87*	24.6	17	48.5

(1) Utah BRFSS 2011-2013 all ages age-adjusted; (2) Utah BRFSS 2011-2013 Adults aged 18 and above age-adjusted; (3) Utah Death Certificate Database. \*Use caution in interpreting; the estimate has a coefficient of variation >30% and is therefore deemed unreliable by Utah Department of Health standards.

Indicates that county confidence interval is higher than state value



# DATA AND RESOURCES

- Rural Planning Grants
- Labor Market Information
- TANF Grants - Dashboard
- Local DWS Resources
- Leveraged Resources
  - SAMHSA Grants through Utah Dept of Human Services
  - Mental Health Early Intervention
  - Home Visiting Programs

# Interagency Collaborations

- Interagency Collaborations
  - Dept of Health Home Visiting Programs
  - Relationship/Parenting Workshops
  - System of Care
  - Mental Health Early Intervention
  - Domestic Violence Prevention
  - Pre-K Services \*\*\*
  - Homeless Prevention

# DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES

## WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

*SERVING FAMILIES, MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE*





TANF caseloads increase as the nation is impacted by the Great Recession

09-11'

2012

Recovery - TANF caseloads decline as Utah unemployment rates decrease and Utah begins to recover from the nationwide recession)

Utah Legislature passes the Intergenerational Poverty Mitigation Act

2012

2012

IGP data shows that we must focus on the whole family, not just parents, by building adult capacities and focusing on key areas

Next Generation Kids was created as a two generation approach. Use of implementation Science  
TANF Grants Awarded to Community Programs to provide services to families that help lead to employment.

13-14'

2014

Family Focus Case Management was introduced

Utah was chosen to be part of the TANF Systems to Family Stability Academy under the Office of Family Assistance

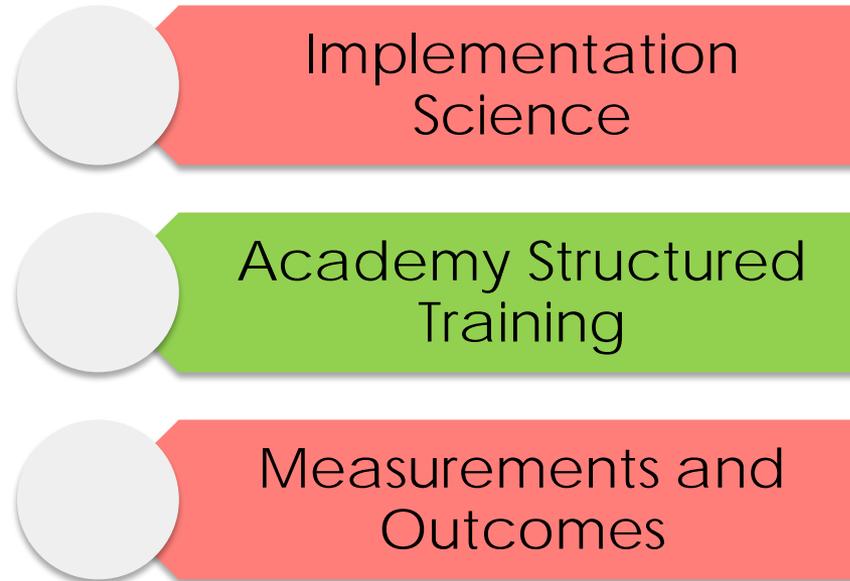
2015

FEP Refocus / Family Focus Case Management training rolled out

2016

# Family Focused Case Management

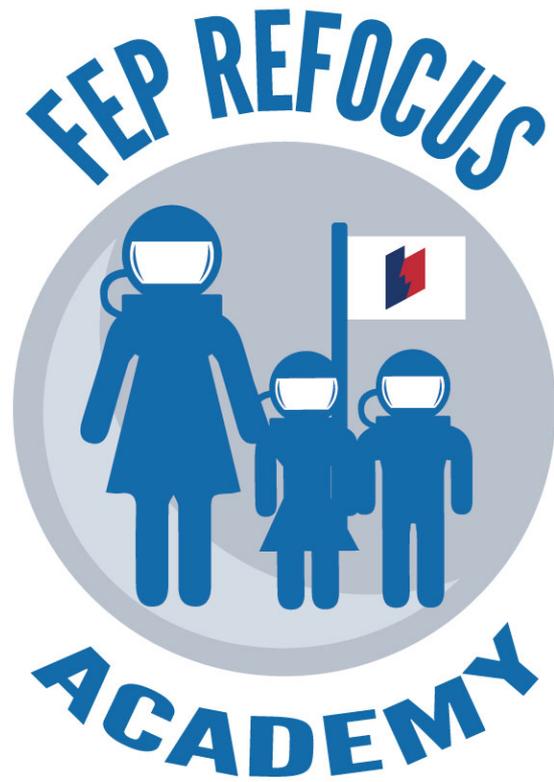
## TWO-GENERATION APPROACH TO SERVING FAMILIES



# Family Focused Case Management

## Training Modules:

- Coaching Training – All Supervisors/Managers
- Command Center Training
- Intro to Human Development / Case Management
- Motivational Interviewing I, II, III
- Case Management I, II, III
- Executive Functioning
- Trauma Awareness



*One moment in time for staff*  
*One lifetime of opportunity for families*

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