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## **PROGRAMS**

Parent Education & Support

- --Circle of Parents™
- --Families in Recovery Network

Family Help Line Services

- --Live Support Line
- --Statewide Resource Database

Child & Teen Services

- --SMART™
- -- Developmental Screenings

New & Expectant Parent Services

- --Conscious Fathering™ Classes
- --Great Starts™ Classes

#### **OUR VISION**

Strong Families Begin at Home.

## **OUR MISSION**

Parent Trust for Washington Children creates lasting change and hope for the future by promoting safe, healthy families and communities.



# PARENT TRUST Receives \$10,000 from 100+ Women Who Care Greater Seattle

### For Immediate Release:

Seattle, January 25, 2021 — <u>Parent Trust for Washington Children</u> is honored to be the nonprofit funded by 100+ Women Who Care Greater Seattle as their Fall 2020 partner.

"Presenting to a local philanthropic group like 100 Women Who Care Greater Seattle, with an engaged, committed membership is an incredible opportunity." says Linda McDaniels, Executive Director of Parent Trust, "This funding is an investment in child abuse prevention that will keep the pandemic from hurting our most vulnerable families for decades to come."

"Giving Circles can bring diverse people together with a common mission of donating to local nonprofits," says Paula Rothkopf, Leader of 100 + Women Who Care Greater Seattle. "If you only have \$25 to donate, you can join our giving circle as a team with 3 others to contribute \$100, and your team's contribution becomes part of the group's donation. Our model brings philanthropy to everyday donors. It's easy – and it's significant."

At Parent Trust, we specialize in breaking down barriers for underserved populations -- parents recovering from substance addiction, parents with low income and parents who lived through child abuse and neglect as children; families who often fall through the cracks.

- Our Family Help Line takes calls from panicked parents every day and is listed at https://coronavirus.wa.gov/.
- Our Families in Recovery Programs meet online to provide support and education to parents who are recovering from chemical addiction and are fighting to stay in recovery during the pandemic.
- Our Tech Access Project brings computers and hotspots to expectant and new parents
  with low income providing critical access to all our parenting supports, including our Great
  Starts and Conscious Fathering classes as well as other vital basic services which are now
  only available online.
- Our Developmental Screening Program operates virtually, help families catch developmental delays early, and providing interactive, real-time coaching to parents. We also screen parents for postpartum depression/anxiety, which has increased during the pandemic.

# **About Parent Trust:**

Raising kids is a big job. And it can't be put on hold during the pandemic. At Parent Trust, we meet families where they are, when they need us, throughout their parenting journey. Our programs include a parent coaching call-in line, developmental screenings, childbirth and new parent classes, parenting groups, stress reduction training for families, and support groups for parents recovering from substance addiction.

# About 100 Women Who Care Seattle:

Our Giving Circle is designed for curious, thoughtful, and passionate woman living in the Greater Seattle Area. We believe we can accomplish greater things together than individually, maximizing the power of community to create long term impact.

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