

Brighter Futures Initiative-MKE

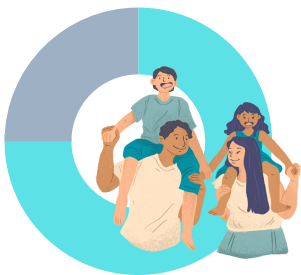
The Brighter Futures Initiative-Milwaukee partners collaborate on building a strong community prevention system in Milwaukee for youth ages 12-21 who are in, or at risk of being placed in, out-of-home care. PPI is focusing on trauma-responsive, strength-based youth substance abuse prevention activities in Milwaukee with our partners:

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Metro Milwaukee | Milwaukee Christian Center
Neu-Life Community Development | The Parenting Network
Pathfinders Milwaukee | PEARLS for Teen Girls | United Community Center

Our 2022 Impact

Life Skills Development

806 middle and high school students completed Botvin LifeSkills curriculum
80% increased their resilience skills to refuse alcohol & other drugs
75% increased their perception of harm from alcohol & other drugs



Family Connection

18 youth & their families completed the Strengthening Families Program 10-14
75% increased use of healthy coping and stress management skills

One-on-One Mentoring

144 youth were matched with adult mentors
100% of mentees became aware of risks of using alcohol, tobacco & other drugs
98% of mentees did not use alcohol or other drugs in the past 3 months
99% of mentees were not involved in the juvenile justice system



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