Supporting Transitions and Educational Promise Southeast Alaska (STEPS) Promise Neighborhoods Implementation Grant





Partner on solutions in:
Juneau * Sitka * Klukwan * Angoon
Hoonah * Kake * Hydaburg

Mission: Advocate for programs and services that promote healthy, independent, productive Alaskans.

Lead Partner Solutions:

Partner Collaborations:

Early Childhood:

- Childcare Support
 K-12 & Post-Secondary:
 Trauma Informed
 Data Systems:
 - Employability

Committees:

- SE K-12 & Post-Secondary
- Creating Conditions Council *
- Data Coordination





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STEPS is a data-driven collective impact focusing on cradle to career solutions and strategies in Angoon, Hoonah, Hydaburg, Juneau, Kake, Klukwan, and Sitka.

STEPS Results and Indicators

Partners are working collaboratively to achieve results as measured by the following indicators



Kindergarteners are Ready to Succeed

- Children entering kindergarten with age appropriate functioning
- Families that have equitable access to quality early childhood care



Students are Proficient in Core Academic Subjects



Students who are at or above grade level according to state math assessments Students who are at or above grade level according to English language arts assessments

Students who are enrolled in college and career readiness preparation courses

Students Transition from Middle to High School

Attendance rate of students in 6-9th grade as defined by average daily attendance



Chronic absenteeism rate of students in 6-9th grades Students Graduate from High School

↑ Four-year adjusted cohort graduation rate



High School Graduates Obtain Post-Secondary Degree or Credential

- Alaska Native or mixed race students who are enrolled in a two or four-year college after graduation
- Alaska Native or mixed race students who graduate from a 2-4 year college
- Students who report they would like to pursue post-secondary education



Students are Healthy



Children who consume five or more daily servings of fruits and vegetables • Children who participate in 60 minutes of physical activity daily

Students Feel Safe at School and in Their Communities

Children who do not go to school because they do not feel safe



Communities are Stable



Students who change schools or communities

Communities are Drug-Free

Students using substances







• Students reporting culturally responsive schools

Students Have Access to 21st Century Tools

- Students who have school and home access to broadband internet & devices
- Students who have STEM and STEAM opportunities



Communities are Low Violence



Lifetime domestic violence or sexual assault rates of women

Students who consider suicide Students who attempt suicide

Families and Community Members Support Learning

- Family members reading to or encouraging their children to read three or more times a week
- Family members talking about the importance of college and career
- Adults who support local schools

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