

## We heard you!

## Providers are most concerned about:

Mental health \& wellbeing Housing adequacy/security Quality education Extra curricular programs Family strengthening \& supports Violence/safety Food security Quality child care Literacy \& academic supports

$14 \%$ of parents feel their child is not getting a good education at school.
$30 \%$ of youth said they are not currently active in a group outside of school.

37\% of families struggle finding good child care for their child.

"Mental Health/Trauma - At the heart of the problem of most kids not doing well - many have some exposure to trauma - until it's treated, it's difficult to get them to where they need to be."

## $\mathbf{2 8 \%}$ of youth felt sad for 2 or more weeks.

"Support the whole child, specifically mental health. Kids are being pulled from the classroom to address mental health needs, creating educational disparities."

## Supports to help providers thrive:

| Staffing | $73 \%$ |
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| Family awareness of services | $52 \%$ |
| Communicating with community | $40 \%$ |
| Outreach \& communication | $40 \%$ |
| Improved physical space | $38 \%$ |
| Qualified staff | $34 \%$ |
| Professional development | $34 \%$ |

The Children's Trust could help providers coordinate via topic-based events, provider summits, and shared professional development.

## What the Children's Trust plans to do:

## CHILDREN'S TRUST



## The Children's Trust of Alachua County and

 Prismatic Services would like to offer a sincere thanks to the community for their time and contributions to this project.Want to get involved with the Children's Trust or be added to the mailing list? www.childrenstrustofalachuacounty.us

