



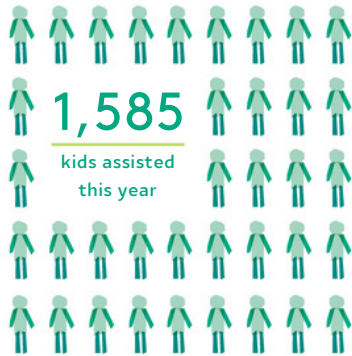
# ECCAC

Emerald Coast Children's  
Advocacy Center

Empowering. Restoring. Preventing. Because every child deserves a childhood.

## Our Impact in 2023

### Empowering.



### Providing front-line support.

Our advocacy team, affectionately known as the A-Team, is a highly trained unit that provides victim and mental health advocacy to each child assigned to the center.

most common types  
of abuse we see



*\*Other is emotional, verbal, and/or secondary trauma.*

**188**

criminal cases  
reviewed in 2023

ADVOCACY



### Restoring.

### Transformation through therapy.

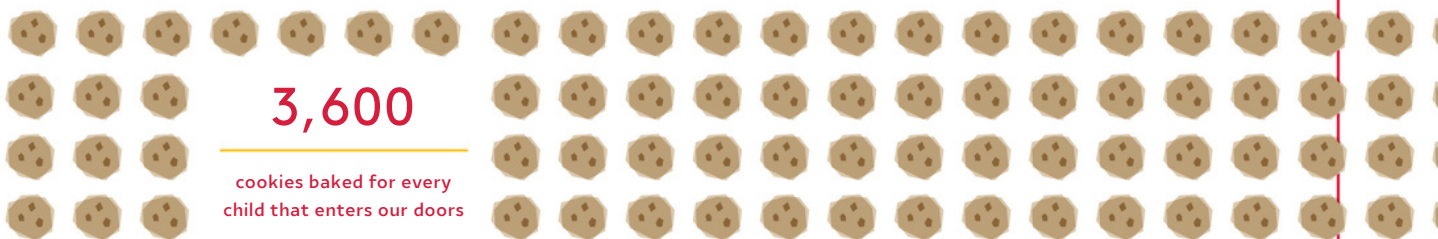
Our therapy team provides free, high-quality trauma informed therapeutic services to children ages 2-18 who have experienced abuse, neglect, and/or trauma.

**1,799**

mental health  
counseling hours

**566**

caregivers assisted with tools and  
resources to restore hope after trauma



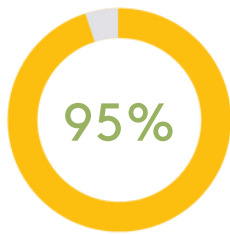
TREATMENT

## Preventing.



1 out of 4

children will be victimized  
in their lifetime



of child abuse is preventable  
through education

## Building a better, healthier future.

Our prevention team consists of Community Outreach Advocates who provide in-person training to the children of the Okaloosa and Walton County School Districts through the Monique Burr Foundation Safety Program.

1,082

Safety Matters lessons presented  
to schools & the community

43

student disclosures  
after safety education



EDUCATION



## CARES

Community, Awareness, Advocacy,  
Resources, Education and Support

CARES is a community-based initiative to reach a wider demographic of children who are subject to neglect and lack of resources.

143 children  
per month

served by the new  
CARES centers

\$1,900

average cost to  
help one child

90%

of donations go directly  
back into our programs

## Rise to the challenge.

Help us restore childhood joy and hope for the future. Scan the QR code to learn how you can become a champion today.



Become a champion!