

Kids-TALK



Children's Advocacy Center

The Kids-TALK Children's Advocacy Center (CAC) — a program of The Guidance Center—is a community-based program that serves children through 17 years of age. Kids-TALK CAC utilizes a multidisciplinary and collaborative approach to provide comprehensive services to suspected child victims of sexual abuse, physical abuse, neglect, and/or other forms of psychological trauma, including being a witness to violent crimes.



Outreach & Prevention



Forensic Interviews and Advocacy



Medical Evaluations



Counseling Services



2,164

children received advocacy and forensic interviews

IN FY 2018/2019



570

children and their families received trauma-focused therapy

IN FY 2018/2019



4,881

professionals and community members provided with training

IN FY 2018/2019



781

onsite specialized medical evaluations performed

PROVIDED SINCE 2012

100% of parents/caregivers agreed or strongly agreed that their child knew that the abuse was not their fault.

91.8% of children were not interviewed by other agencies before coming to Kids-TALK CAC.

100% of parents/caregivers surveyed reported that they have learned about common trauma reactions since their child's participation in therapy.

Learn more: www.guidance-center.org/kids-talk

