**Success By 6 Coalition Stakeholder Announcements 7/18/2019**

**Any Baby Can**:

* Healthy and Fair Start has a small wait list
* Parenting classes will start in September- English/Spanish
* North and South locations for Parenting Classes

**Austin Community Foundation:**

Austin Community Foundation Grant Opportunities

* [2019 Hispanic Impact Fund Grantmaking Cycle to Open August 1, 2019](https://www.austincf.org/Nonprofits/Grant-Opportunities/Hispanic-Impact-Fund)
	+ Grants are made in 3 areas, which include an Early Childhood Education grant – one $50,000 grant for Established organizations and one $10,000 grant for Emerging organizations
	+ On August 1 at 2pm the Foundation is hosting a recommended, but optional, webinar on this opportunity, along with information on our Community Grants and Women’s Fund grant opportunities Please visit the [HIF page](https://www.austincf.org/Nonprofits/Grant-Opportunities/Hispanic-Impact-Fund) to subscribe to grant updates and sign up for the webinar.
	+ Please sign up for our [e-News here](https://www.austincf.org/About-Us/eNewsletter-Sign-Up) to learn more about upcoming grant opportunities
	+ Please visit the [Hispanic Impact Fund site](https://www.austincf.org/Nonprofits/Grant-Opportunities/Hispanic-Impact-Fund) to learn more about the guidelines, application requirements, and funding areas
* [2020 Women’s Fund Grantmaking Cycle](https://www.austincf.org/Nonprofits/Grant-Opportunities/Womens-Fund)
	+ Similar to 2018 and 2019 grant cycles, there will be a $50,000 Child Care grant
	+ Please visit the [Women’s Fund site](https://www.austincf.org/Nonprofits/Grant-Opportunities/Womens-Fund) to learn more about the guidelines, application requirements, and funding areas
	+ Stay tuned for more information and RFP dates; Applications will likely be due in early 2020 (Jan/Feb), specific dates will be announced later this year.

Please sign up for our [e-News here](https://www.austincf.org/About-Us/eNewsletter-Sign-Up) to learn more about upcoming grant opportunities

**Austin Public Library – Central Library:** Want to strengthen our early literacy efforts. Looking for ideas of how to do more events out in the community

**AVANCE**:

* Looking for NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR!
* 5 cohorts in the fall will start 2nd week of September. Located in East Austin but they provide transportation. Register NOW!
* Hiring for home visitor and toy making instructor

**Community Advancement Network:**

CAN is hosting a series of forums about the Dashboard since this year we are celebrating its 10th anniversary. Our last forum will be over the "Reaching our Full Potential" section of the dashboard which includes kindergarten readiness. It will be on October 16th from 9-11 at United Way.

This is the registration link if you want to include it as well --> <https://sotsneducationandemployment.eventbrite.com>

**Dell Medical School:**

* Dr Michael Hole was brought on to have innovative ideas and is working along with Foundation Communities and Community Care Clinics.
* Rolling a new program out in January with Community Care Clinics:  **WELL CHILD** Children’s savings account: parents will receive a certain amount of money if they take their children to Well-Check appointments, dentist, sign up for pre-k, etc.

**Jeremiah Program**-

* **15 open slots. Will begin new group in September**
* Jeremiah Program’s Empowerment course “Embracing Your Power: Choosing to Change” will begin on **Tuesday, September 3, 2019**.  The course focuses on changing your life through self-awareness and increased personal and emotional competencies and is mandatory for all women who wish to be considered for acceptance into Jeremiah Program. Applications will be accepted through Wednesday, July 31.  ALL applicants for this candidate pool must be enrolled and attending either a post-secondary college or a school to work certificate program by August 2019.Please feel **free** to contact Marla Miller directly at 512-770-9041 or mmiller@jeremiahprogram.org if you think you have women who meet our criteria, or you can request that they apply online at: <https://jeremiahprogram.org/austin>
* Also hiring a Family Coach

**LifeWorks:**

* Housing division continuing to grow. Individual placement and support
* Next Step- going into schools for social/emotional support

**Literacy First:** Americorps program recruitment has started. Literacy First AmeriCorps Members work with students in Kindergarten through 2nd grade to provide tutoring and reading intervention.

**Open Door Preschools:**

* There is availability in the 3’s and 4’s classroom at Open Door East..
* Welcome Cynthia McCollum as the new Executive Director!
* Peloton U partnered with Open Door to provide childcare for adult students seeking college degrees- will begin early August.

**Partners In Parenting:** 3 new Community Based Groups will start in the FALL, 1 English 2 Spanish, North, South and Central. <https://www.pipaustin.org/>

**YMCA:**

* Hiring teachers for early learning readiness program ages 2-4. Locations: North, East, South, Manor. Pay $10-16/hr based on experience. Retired teachers are good candidates. 6-9 hours per week per site. Bilingual helpful.

<https://www.austinymca.org/employment-current-openings>

* **Early Learning Readiness Program:** This is for ALL Caregivers, not just parents. 15 week program, they have weekly take home bags with supplies for projects and a free book each week. If a parent has a baby as well, baby can also stay with mom while 2-4 year old partipates. <https://www.austinymca.org/programs/early-learning-readiness>

**United Way for Greater Austin Team Updates:**

* Emerging Young Men of Color is mentoring tutoring program. Currently recruiting tutors from UT’s campus and men of color in the city to be mentors to the tutors. ([Nicole.Cummings@uwatx.org](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5Ccmchorse%5CAppData%5CLocal%5CMicrosoft%5CWindows%5CINetCache%5CContent.Outlook%5CKM7FQK9L%5CNicole.Cummings%40uwatx.org))
* The Census 2020 is coming up next April. The Census determines investments in federal programs and redistricting. There is a lot of concern about undercounting people in Travis County – especially some of the target populations we work with. UWATX is involved in the Census efforts led by the City and County and are exploring the best ways to be the conduit between you all and these efforts. These efforts are in their planning stages and we definitely plan to bring information back to you so you can better educate your staff and clients about the importance of the Census.  If anyone is particular interested in these efforts, contact Alison.Bentley@uwatx.org
* UWATX and AISD are launching [Pre-K Partnerships](http://www.unitedwayaustin.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/PKP-FAQ-DRAFT.pdf) to co-enroll eligible students in high quality child care centers with AISD Pre-K. For child care centers interested in learning more, contact Vanessa.Gaudyn@uwatx.org