

# Family Connections of Southwest Wisconsin

## 2017 Annual Report



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Family Connections covers certified and licensed child care family and group centers in our six county service delivery area, this includes: Grant, Crawford, Iowa, Richland, Lafayette and Vernon counties. In addition, we provide pre-licensing to the additional counties of La Crosse, Juneau & Monroe counties.

**3 Family Fun Events reaching 443 people**

In 2017, Family Connections directly worked with 88 regulated providers and centers for an accumulation of over 810 hours of face-to-face technical consultation.

**46 Play n Learns**

Serving

**130 Adults and**

**Children**

Family Resource Services help educate, build both financial and formal support networks for families and parents of young children, and offer family support through a resource library and toll free warm line.

**14 Trainings**

**105 Attendees**

Over

**350**

**Volunteer  
Hours**

### Comments from some of our trainings:

“It was awesome to learn about all the different foods. Christie did an amazing job.”

“I will use it to encourage staff and children to eat healthy.”

“I plan on making a portfolio for each child and set up parent/provider conferences at least twice a year.”

”Plan to discuss with co-teacher how to create more meaningful projects.”

“I want to be able to meet the individual needs of the family.”

”I want to be a helping hand for the families who are looking for help.”

“It is easier to build strong children than to repair broken men.” - Frederick Douglass, abolitionist and statesman



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