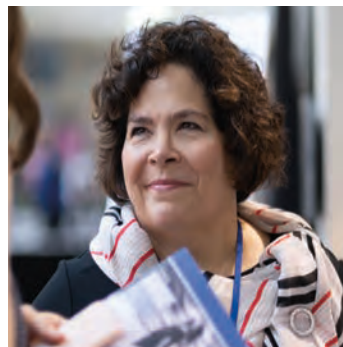


2019 Annual Report

Center for the Prevention of Child Maltreatment



KNOW

Implement evidence-based best practices

RESPOND

Support early intervention and healing

PREVENT

Create trauma informed communities

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Annual Update from CPCM Advisory Board Chair

On behalf of the Center for the Prevention of Child Maltreatment (CPCM) Advisory Board, I welcome you to the 2019 Annual Report of progress toward the mission of stopping maltreatment against South Dakota children and fostering resilient families. Our statewide Center, embedded within the University of South Dakota, has now been operational for three years, implementing a comprehensive ten-year plan to save our children. Key to success of this work has been the emergence of a statewide coalition of vested stakeholders, leveraging talent and resources toward shared goals.



Senator Deb Soholt

Child maltreatment, including often not talked about sexual abuse, is an adult problem. In no other way do we make our children responsible for their own safety, as we give them shelter, clothing, food, education, and take care of them when they are sick. And yet, if they are being abused, we leave it up to them – to tell, to endure, to heal. CPCM is a “stake in the ground” to change this trajectory, and it requires our collective best to tackle this significant public health issue.

We are just beginning to understand how profound childhood stress affects the family pathway and the outcome of a lived life. Protection of our most precious resource – our kids – compels us to be courageous and stay the course for the long term. This is only possible through expansion of knowledge, improvement in response and development of meaningful prevention strategies. Progress toward these pillars of change, along with the talented professionals leading the work, are highlighted in this report. In many ways it is truly amazing how far we’ve come in three years.

Often, annual reports are perceived to be perfunctory and easily set aside. I encourage you to actually read this one to learn more and get involved. Child maltreatment in South Dakota happens everywhere, in all socio-economic and race groups. We need all well-meaning adults to share in the sense of urgency that we can do better, and link arms to end the horror our children endure. **Together we can do it!**

The mission of the **Center for the Prevention of Child Maltreatment** is to stop all maltreatment against South Dakota children in order to foster resilient families.

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Special thanks to Sage Project Consultants, LLC for providing program management and technical support.

Statistics & Benchmarking

Goal A

VISION

Create a single-point data agency with management of an integrated database system to effectively monitor and ultimately predict indicators associated with child sexual abuse in South Dakota.

Data Sharing Workgroup

In 2019, the Child Maltreatment Data Task Force was established to research, identify, and subsequently develop an integrated database solution capable of receiving and monitoring data related to child maltreatment in South Dakota.

The task force was challenged with defining parameters for a pilot study regarding data collection, its use for case management, and to identify what software is needed to facilitate the pilot. The task force is working to conduct a thorough assessment of databases currently being used and determine if collaboration regarding data collection would be beneficial.

The Importance of Data Sharing

The incidence of child maltreatment is deeply influenced by poverty, violence, and substance use. While separate programs to alleviate these issues are helpful in preventing maltreatment, system-wide collaboration and data sharing across multiple service sectors—child welfare, juvenile justice, early childhood, education, public health, and the behavioral and mental health fields—are essential to improving child and family safety and well-being on a broad scale.

- US Department of Health and Human Services

Characteristics of Victims and Offenders in South Dakota¹

Between 2012 and 2018, there was an average of 781 [reported] sexual offenses, or forcible crimes against persons, per year in South Dakota. Sexual offenses include any sexual act directed against another person, without the consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent.

43%
of victims of
forcible rape
in SD are
under the age
of 18¹

30%
of rape
offenders in SD
are under the
age of 20¹

Every year, the Attorney General's office releases the Crime in South Dakota report which lists crime statistics compiled by the Division of Criminal Investigation (DCI) and the Criminal Statistical Analysis Center (SAC). The data compiled ... are from the 2012 to 2018 Crime in South Dakota annual reports. There are no data from Tribal reservations in these reports.

¹EA Martin, 2019 Sexual Violence Data Report

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- CPCM established the Child Maltreatment Data Task Force to research, identify, and subsequently develop an integrated database solution capable of receiving and monitoring data related to child maltreatment.
- CPCM partners were awarded a grant from the South Dakota Community Foundation to study protective factors for children facing maltreatment in rural South Dakota.

Understanding South Dakota's Data: A Search for Protective Factors

Through a partnership with CPCM and the South Dakota Department of Social Services, Child Protection Services (CPS), Dr. Kari A. Oyen applied for and received a South Dakota Community Foundation grant. The grant will study protective factors for children facing maltreatment in rural South Dakota.

Dr. Oyen writes: *"Child maltreatment in rural areas is understudied and the children living there remain an underserved population. In 2015, South Dakota, a largely rural state, had 15,798 referrals for child abuse and neglect. Of the 66 counties in the state, 64 of the counties are defined as rural. Unique characteristics surround rural settings, including geographic isolation, lack of access to goods, and significant distances between children in need and service providers."*

Dr. Oyen is a professor at the University of South Dakota (USD) in the Department of Counseling and Psychology, School of Education. Her goal is to highlight root causes and solutions regarding child maltreatment in South Dakota. Once her analysis is complete, CPCM and CPS will work with key stakeholders to facilitate a problem-solving process to mitigate the root causes and implement strategies to prevent and address child maltreatment.

The use of statistical techniques to predict the likelihood of child welfare outcomes is referred to as predictive analytics. This practice relies on assessing current or past data points to predict likely child welfare outcomes. The hope is to use the data to predict and prevent child maltreatment by targeting those services available to children and families most at risk of harm and improving their safety, permanency, and well-being outcomes.

- www.ChildWelfare.gov



**Kari A. Oyen Ph.D.,
LP, NCSP**

Assistant Professor
of School Psychology,
University of South
Dakota



Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners

Goal B

VISION

Build capacity within the public, private, and tribal health systems to respond to all children and families impacted by child sexual abuse in South Dakota.



Kristi Kranz
SANE Program
Coordinator

Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Program

The mission of the Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Program is to overcome issues of rurality and lack of service by coordinating resources and providing support for healthcare professionals across the state. The results of the SANE Program are improved access and delivery of services to all victims of sexual assault. These efforts are made possible through a grant from the United States Department of Justice

- Office on Violence Against Women (OVW). The SD Department of Health holds the fiscal management of the SANE Program while CPCM moves the grant objectives forward through collaboration with SD Network Against Family Violence and Sexual Assault, Child's Voice at Sanford Health, and several other partners across the state.



SANE Learning Collaborative Meeting
Chamberlain, SD



SANE Program Coordinator

In January of 2019, Kristi Kranz joined CPCM as the Coordinator for the Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Program. Kristi holds a Bachelor of Science degree in K-8 Education from St. Cloud State University and a Master's degree in Educational Leadership from Southwest Minnesota State University. Kristi most recently worked as a Community Impact Director for the Sioux Empire United Way.

"The moment I first heard about CPCM's 10-year plan, I knew I wanted to get behind the work. I could not be more happy to be working with a great team to make a difference for victims... and do everything possible to prevent future abuse."
- Kristi Kranz

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- CPCM and partners helped increase training and knowledge-sharing opportunities for medical professionals performing sexual assault examinations.
- The state saw an advancement in partnerships across multiple agencies to create unified response systems for victims of sexual assault in South Dakota.
- CPCM and partners advanced tracking mechanisms for sexual assault kit usage throughout the state.

"Increasing awareness of and training for sexual assault nurse examiners is vital to our state's health and welfare. The benefits of receiving post-assault care from a SANE have been repeatedly proven and include improved physical exams, increased medication compliance, improved evidence collection, and increased prosecution and conviction rates. Most importantly, though, patients that receive post-sexual assault care from a trained SANE have improved overall recovery outcomes with less long-term health effects. We owe that to our community members; to be able to provide compassionate and empathetic skilled medical care to patients who have just experienced what could potentially be the worst trauma of their lives."

- Jen Canton, MSN, RN, SANE-A, SANE-P
SANE Supervisor at Avera Health in Sioux Falls, SD

In 2019, Canton received her SANE certification in pediatrics. Canton is the first certified SANE-P in SD.

CPCM is a partner in both the SAKI and Avera eSANE grants.

Avera eSANE

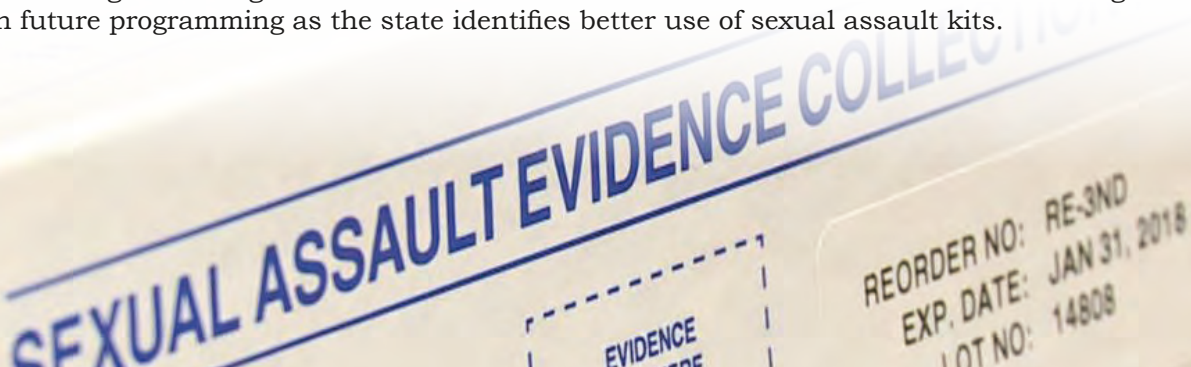
Avera's Rural Health Department has received two grants that will fund and support sexual assault forensic examination processes in rural communities, including many areas within South Dakota. Telemedicine will bring the care and expertise of SANEs to these rural areas. This grant is funded by the Department of Justice's Office of Violence Against Women.

Sexual Assault Kit Initiative

Beadle County, SD, and the South Dakota Network Against Family Violence and Sexual Assault have received a federal Sexual Assault Kit Initiative (SAKI) grant from the Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice to analyze sexual assault kit usage in the state, beginning in 2020. This grant is funded by the Department of Justice's Office for Victims of Crime.

Tracking Sexual Assault Kits

Beginning in January 2019, the SD Department of Health, the SD Division of Criminal Investigation, and CPCM partnered to begin tracking the use of sexual assault kits in South Dakota. The information gathered will assist with future programming as the state identifies better use of sexual assault kits.

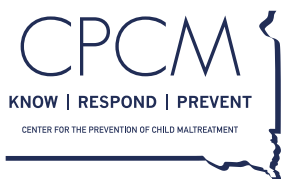


ACEs and Resiliency

Goal B

VISION

Build capacity within the public, private, and tribal health systems to respond to all children and families impacted by child sexual abuse in South Dakota.



ACEs and Resiliency Trainings

CPCM and Children's Home Society are pleased to present ACEs and Resiliency Trainings across South Dakota. The trainings teach audience members the importance of understanding the impact of trauma on the brain and how Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) will impact the well-being of children for a lifetime.

The curriculum is based on the science of the landmark CDC-Kaiser Permanente Adverse Childhood Experiences Study developed by principal researcher Dr. Robert Anda. Now understood to be one of the largest public health concerns and a leading cause of poor health outcomes - from heart disease and cancer to substance abuse and depression - extremely stressful experiences in childhood can alter brain development and can cause lifelong effects on health and behavior.

The good news in this discovery is that what is predictable is preventable. The science of resiliency teaches us that with application of this understanding, communities and individuals can enhance protective factors for children who experience ACEs.

ACEs and Resiliency Training Partners include CPCM, Children's Home Society, SD Department of Education, SD Department of Social Services, SD Department of Health, Sioux Empire United Way.

Over 10,000
South
Dakotans
received ACEs
and Resiliency
Training

Training by the Numbers

- **10,000+** - Number of South Dakotans who have received ACEs and Resiliency Training since February 2018
- **100+** - Number of ACEs and Resiliency Program Trainers

According to the CDC, adverse childhood experiences have a tremendous impact on future violence, victimization, and perpetration, and lifelong health and opportunity. Early experiences are an important public health issue.

Enough Abuse Campaign



ACEs and Resiliency Presenter Training

In May 2019, CPCM and Children's Home Society partnered to host an ACEs Presenter Training in Rapid City, South Dakota. This training provided education on the impact of ACEs and resources to become a Trauma-Informed Champion. Thirty-eight passionate individuals were trained as ACEs presenters.

Enough Abuse Campaign

The Enough Abuse Campaign is a grassroots movement providing adults and communities with the knowledge and skills to prevent child sexual abuse in their communities. The Enough Abuse Campaign offers educational information to parents, youth, professionals and other concerned adults to prevent people from sexually abusing children and to prevent children from developing abusive behaviors in the future. The Enough Abuse Campaign is made possible through funding from the SD Department of Social Services and the SD Department of Health.

Professionals from across the state were trained to deliver the Enough Abuse curriculum in various venues through engagement of parents, caregivers, schools, youth serving organizations, parent organizations, churches, child care providers, and other audiences who serve children and/or youth.

Training By The Numbers

- **500+** - Number of South Dakotans who have received Enough Abuse Campaign training since May 2019
- **40+** - Number of Enough Abuse Campaign Trainers

Project AWARE

The SD Department of Education, in partnership with the SD Department of Social Services, was awarded a five-year, \$8.7 million Project AWARE grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). The grant will be used to help raise awareness and fund a tiered support system of evidence-based training and individualized services for school-aged students and school communities in need of mental health supports.

CPCM and Children's Home Society will work with Project AWARE to provide ACEs and Resiliency, and Enough Abuse Campaign trainings in South Dakota schools.

Workforce Training

Goal C

VISION

Every postsecondary institution of higher education in South Dakota will teach students entering professions where they will be mandatory reporters the skills necessary to perform this task. Every mandatory reporter will receive annual training on detecting abuse and their obligation to report.

Child and Adult Advocacy Studies (CAAST) Certificate Program Proposal

In partnership with CPCM, Dr. Shana Cerny and Dr. Kelly Bass with the USD School of Health Sciences have proposed a Child and Adult Advocacy Studies (CAAST) Certificate Program.

The purpose of the CAASt Certificate is to prepare professionals to become competent in the various factors that lead to child and adult maltreatment, to understand existing responses to incidents of child maltreatment, and to be able to work more effectively with various systems and institutions that respond to these incidents.

Through offering a sequence of coursework and experiential learning opportunities, the certificate will encourage partnerships with community healthcare organizations to help improve interdisciplinary practices and reduce child and adult abuse and maltreatment.



Shana Cerny, OTD - Assistant Professor, Occupational Therapy, University of South Dakota

Kelly Bass, DSW - Program Director/Associate Professor, Master of Social Work Program, University of South Dakota

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The Front Door to the Field



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SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

The
**DSS Mandatory
Reporter
Training Video**
has been
watched over
15,000 times

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

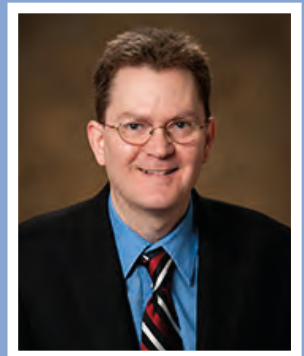
- Multiple South Dakota Board of Regent Universities pledged to begin offering mandatory reporter training in programs at their colleges.
- The Associated School Boards of South Dakota released updated model policies for South Dakota schools regarding mandatory reporters.
- SD Department of Education offered scholarships to SD educators to attend training focused on ending child maltreatment, including Mandatory Reporter Training 201.

National Child Protection Training Center Director Presents to CPCM Workgroup

Victor Vieth, J.D., Director of Education and Research of the Zero Abuse Project and founder of the National Child Protection Training Center (NCPTC), spoke with the Mandatory Reporter Curriculum Project Workgroup and guests in May 2019. Vieth discussed the CAASt curriculum and held a brainstorming session on how to fit CAASt into current Board of Regents curriculum. At the end of the session, five (5) SD Board of Regent Universities pledged to begin offering mandatory reporter training in programs at their schools.

“Universities seldom prepare students for the reality of child protection. Successful professional training will produce child maltreatment professionals who will be knowledgeable enough to competently manage child maltreatment cases. Beginning in college, we must produce an army of front line workers well equipped to organize all the players in their local communities for the benefit of children.”

- www.ZeroAbuseProject.org



Victor Vieth

zero abuse PROJECT

School and Youth Serving Organizations (YSO) Task Force

CPCM's School and YSO Task Force worked on four objectives in 2019:

- **Mandatory Reporter Training.** The task force identified barriers to mandatory reporting in school and YSO settings. They then developed a list of strategies to mitigate these barriers. The primary solution was to develop a follow-up video to the first mandatory reporter training video (developed by DSS) to further explain resources for child welfare prevention and response.
- **School Policies.** The Associated School Boards of South Dakota (ASBSD) examined all school policies surrounding mandatory reporting and partnerships with those who investigate child maltreatment. ASBSD has released the updated model policies and outlined them at the ASBSD and South Dakota School Administrators joint conference.
- **Behavioral Health Supports in Schools.** Existing models of behavioral health supports in schools were examined by the task force. Every school and community has unique needs and one solution will not fit all. The task force is developing options for behavioral health supports and recommendations for trauma-informed screenings. This effort will highlight options for SD schools to consider.
- **Prevention Education.** In addition to ACEs and Resiliency and the Enough Abuse Campaign, the task force collected details regarding prevention programming offered across the state. The prevention programming can be found in the CPCM Child Abuse Services Portal at www.cpcmsd.com.

Criminal Justice & Child Protection Response

Goal D

VISION

Child protection workers and law enforcement officers will conduct a comprehensive investigation of every child sexual abuse case that comes to their attention, and when abuse is substantiated, pursue appropriate civil and criminal actions.

REACH Update

The REACH Team is South Dakota's first regional multidisciplinary team (MDT), designed to help victims and their families navigate the criminal justice system. The REACH Team is headquartered in Watertown, SD and serves the 13 surrounding counties. The REACH Team has been in operation since 2017 and has seen over 275 patients.



Investigations: Minimal Facts Trainings

Throughout the year, the REACH Team presented free child abuse investigation training opportunities to state and tribal professionals representing each discipline on the multidisciplinary team. The trainings covered best practices in the field of child abuse investigations, minimal facts interviewing practices, gathering corroborative information, pediatric forensic evidence kits, and a drug-endangered children protocol. The REACH Team trained over 80 professionals in 2019.



"The benefits of bringing members of all MDT disciplines together to learn how to better respond to child maltreatment in South Dakota are invaluable."

- Amanda Liebl, Forensic Interviewer

Cameron Corey, MAJC

Special Agent with the SD Division of Criminal Investigation and REACH Team Member

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- The Unified Judicial System, Court Improvement Program (UJS CIP) revised the South Dakota Guidelines for Child Abuse and Neglect. CPCM Partners served on the revision committee.
- The REACH Team trained over 80 law enforcement officers and first responders in minimal-facts interviewing.
- CPCM partners participate in Candidates for Care teams.

UJS CIP: Basic Court Improvement Grant

The SD Unified Judicial System, Court Improvement Program (UJS CIP) Committee revised the SD Guidelines for Child Abuse and Neglect (A&N) Cases. Commonly referred to as the Green Book, the guidelines provide information for attorneys representing children, the State, and the parents throughout the course of an A&N Case. The updated Green Book is available online and in print from the Unified Judicial System.



Child Protective Services: Family First Prevention Planning

Child Protective Services (CPS) receives and assesses reports of child abuse and neglect. The goal of CPS is to ensure child safety by working with parents to enhance their protective capacities through direct services and referrals to community services. CPS work with families to maintain their children safely in their home and when that is not possible, placement outside the home with relatives, foster parents and other treatment providers with the goal of reunification. CPS provides training programs for foster and adoptive parents to assure availability of qualified placement resources and safety and well-being for children through licensing services.

The Family First Prevention Services Act was signed into law by President Trump in 2018. This Act reforms the federal child welfare financing streams to provide services to families who are at risk of entering the child welfare system. The Act aims to prevent children from entering foster care by focusing on parenting, mental health and substance use prevention services to help stabilize and strengthen families. The Division of Child Protection Services has created the Candidates for Care Initiative.

This initiative provides a venue for the state and local child welfare system to share in a common goal to support and recognize the value and resiliency of families. Children experience better outcomes when they are cared for by safe caregivers familiar to them. The Candidates for Care Initiative will be piloted in Rapid City and Sioux Falls and will support collaboration among multiple disciplines on prevention efforts to avoid any unnecessary placement of children into the foster care system.

South Dakota's Vision

The collaboration for South Dakota's vision statement began at the National Conference for Child Abuse and Neglect in April 2019. A team comprised of CPS, United Judicial System, the Division of Behavioral Health, and CPCM were presented the opportunity to attend the conference together and collaborate on the future of child welfare in the state of South Dakota. Further collaboration with internal and external teams provided the input necessary to finalize South Dakota's vision statement.



"Families are engaged by a child welfare system who recognizes and supports their value and resiliency."

In the Community

Goal E

VISION

Develop self-healing communities through campaign materials to build a movement that ends child sexual abuse in South Dakota.

2019 Children's Day at the Capitol

The January 2019 Children's Day at the Capitol provided an opportunity for child welfare partners from across the state to gather during the legislative session to share information with legislators and community members. The non-lobbying activity was hosted in the rotunda of the Capitol, where vendors and educators joined in communicating the efforts around our state to create healthy and resilient families. Over 300 people participated in the Children's Day event. CPCM Board Member, Mary Beth Holzwarth, shared her family's story of resiliency during the event.



Mary Beth Holzwarth
CPCM Board Member

CPCM Presents at National Child Welfare League of America Conference

CPCM Director Carrie Sanderson and CPCM Partner Sharon Chontos, with Sage Project Consultants, traveled to Washington, D.C. in April 2019 to present "Building a Sustainable Solution: Creating systems of care in rural SD to end child maltreatment and to foster resilient families" at the National Child Welfare League of America Conference. The conference focused on successful strategies and practices organizations and communities are using that can be leveraged to meet the challenges and opportunities of the Family First Prevention Services Act and help ensure that children and families flourish. CPCM's presentation outlined the organization and planning that took place to create CPCM and the collaboration of the CPCM partners in moving the body of work forward to prevent and respond to child abuse and neglect in South Dakota.

No Hit Zone

A major objective in South Dakota's Strategic Plan to end child maltreatment is to implement No Hit Zones to establish protocols that use de-escalation techniques to address parental disruptive behaviors and physical discipline of children. CPCM can provide technical assistance in creating a No Hit Zone. More information can be found at www.sdccpm.com/no-hit-zone.



KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- CPCM Advisory Board members and CPCM staff presented at over 35 conferences, events, meetings, and classes across South Dakota and the nation.
- CPCM website received extensive updates and now hosts many resource pages and links.
- The Resilient Communities project was launched, creating a unified approach to helping communities address issues surrounding child welfare and child maltreatment.

Goal F

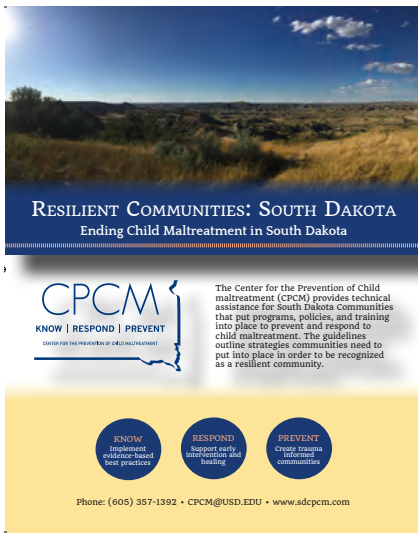
VISION

Create and sustain a network of statewide support and effort to move the goals of Jolene's Law Task Force forward.

Resilient Communities

Increasing the capacity to prevent and respond to child maltreatment can only be realized at a community level. One of CPCM's primary strategies is to provide a "Resilient Communities: South Dakota" framework for community coalitions to work together to surround families and children with the resources they need to heal and thrive.

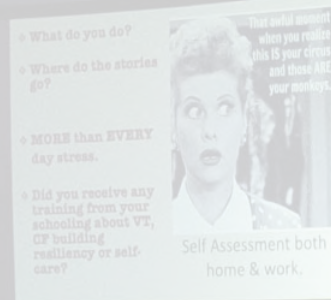
The Resilient Communities framework pulls in the training, processes, and policies developed in the 10-year plan into a comprehensive toolkit. The strategies are designed to take into account challenges faced in rural South Dakota and to offer unique, community-based solutions which provide victims of violence safe, consistent, and meaningful response. The strategies are flexible to the needs of each community. CPCM staff and partners are available to provide technical assistance to community coalitions. Contact CPCM at cpcm@usd.edu to schedule an appointment for your community partners.



USD School of Medicine and School of Health Science faculty and staff participated in Wear Blue Day



Community Education



Children's Justice Conference

The Children's Justice Conference was held in Rapid City, South Dakota in May 2019. Led by the Unified Judicial System, and co-hosted by Children's Home Society and CPCM, the conference included free training for attendees in the Back Hills area. Over 100 individuals attended the conference.

19th Annual Community Response to Child Abuse Conference

Over 600 South Dakota professionals and community members attended the 19th Annual Community Response to Child Abuse Conference on October 3-4, 2019. This year's conference featured keynote Sasha Joseph Neulinger, a recognized filmmaker who survived child sexual abuse, and keynotes Kay Glidden and Beth Reynolds-Lewis, compassion fatigue specialists. Five tracks of breakout sessions with over 55 speakers from across the state and nation provided additional learning sessions for educators, social workers, law enforcement, medical professionals and community members.



The conference was organized and hosted through a partnership with the Unified Judicial System (UJS) Court Improvement Program (CIP), Child's Voice at Sanford Health and CPCM.



Introductory Speaker
Chief Justice David Gilbertson



Keynote Speaker
Sasha Joseph Neulinger



Governor's Address
Governor Kristi Noem

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- With help from Avera Health and the SD Department of Education, continuing education was offered for attendees at the 19th Annual Community Response to Child Abuse Conference.
- Training resources are available on the CPCM website.

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Outstanding Service Award Recipient

Carole Cochran

Carole Cochran 2019 Outstanding Service Award Recipient

At the 19th Annual Community Response to Child Abuse Conference, CPCM presented the Outstanding Service Award to Carole Cochran, Director of South Dakota KIDS Count. CPCM's Outstanding Service Award recognizes an individual's dedication and service to South Dakota in the effort to eradicate child maltreatment.

Carole has dedicated a large part of her career to understanding data surrounding child welfare in the state of South Dakota. Countless agencies and state partners have benefited and will continue to benefit from Carole's efforts. CPCM is pleased to celebrate Carole's contribution to making South Dakota children safer and healthier. Carole was nominated by the South Dakota Network Against Family Violence and Sexual Assault.

Department of Education Covers Conference Registration for Educators

For the 19th annual Community Response to Child Abuse Conference, CPCM partnered with the SD Department of Education to offer educators free conference registrations. Presentations at the conference aimed to decrease the stigmas of what constitutes a mandatory report and gave educators a broader knowledge base of child maltreatment and practical strategies and interventions to work with students who experience trauma and may be struggling behaviorally in school. The funding was made possible through the Department of Education's Title IV Part A state level funds.



Thank You to CPCM Partners

We appreciate all partners and supporters of CPCM

The CPCM movement is made possible by the support of our partners and service agencies across the state. We will create positive change for our children and communities by continuing to work together in the areas of prevention, research, and response to child maltreatment. Thank you to all who have supported the CPCM movement and worked as change agents in our great state. CPCM would like to recognize the following agencies for collaborating to build a stronger South Dakota:

ACE Interface

Association of School Board
Administrators

Avera Health

Avera St. Mary's Central SD Child
Assessment Center

Avoid Opioid SD

Bethany Christian Services

Black Hills Special Services Cooperative

Brookings County Child Protection Team

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Call to Freedom

Capital University Center

CASA

Catholic Family Services

Cetera Services

Character on Track

Child Advocacy Centers of South Dakota

Children's Home Society

Children's Home Child Advocacy Center

Child's Voice at Sanford Health

Dakota State University

Delta Dental of South Dakota

Division of Criminal Investigation

Dr. Kari Oyen

Dr. Victor Vieth

East River Legal Services

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ENOUGH Abuse Trainers

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Grainger Foundation

Helpline Center

Lutheran Social Services

MassKids, Inc.

Mud Mile Communications

NASW SD Chapter

Our Home, Inc.

Pheasantland Industries

Pinnacle Productions

Rapid City Regional Health

Realtors Association of the Sioux Empire

Sage Project Consultants

Sanford Health

SD ACEs and Resiliency Presenters

SD Association of School Psychologists

SD Board of Regents

SD Community Foundation

SD Department of Education

SD Department of Health

SD Department of Social Services

SD Kids Count

SD Legislature

SD Multi-Housing Authority

SD Network Against Family Violence and
Sexual Assault

SD REACH Team

SD School of Health Sciences

SD School of Mines and Technology

Sioux Empire United Way

Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation

Sioux Falls Police Department

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Sioux Falls Rotary - South

Siouxland Child Protection Council

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Social Net Works, Brookings

South Dakota Education Association

South Dakota Public Broadcasting

South Dakota State University

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