Because we care, we did all this together in 2021.

Our Legislative Wins!

Child Care & Early Learning

- **Increased access to child care for parents & ensured better wages and support for child care providers** by passing legislation that will streamline and reform Oregon’s public child care system. (HB 3073)

- **Fought for $75 million in new child care investments** to fund expansions for 4,000+ new preschool slots across the state and an increase to the Early Childhood Equity Fund to support the creation of new culturally responsive preschool options. (SB 5513 & SB 5529)

- **Ended the practice of expelling and suspending children in early learning programs** so that all children have a chance to learn and thrive. (HB 2166 & SB 236)

Mental Health

- **Secured a historic $80M investment in mental health access for BIPOC families** by passing the Mental Health Workforce Diversity Act with our partners at PCUN and APANO. (HB 2949)

Keeping Families Together

- **Fought to ensure families can stay together** by helping to pass the Sanctuary Promise Act, which will protect Oregonians from racial profiling and strengthen Oregon’s sanctuary status. (HB 3265)

- **Gave mothers and families a chance to end cycles of poverty, trauma, and intergenerational involvement in the criminal justice system** by ensuring that the Family Preservation Project at Coffee Creek Correctional Facility has sufficient and stable funding. (SB 720)

Paid Leave & Sick Time

- **Came one step closer to ensuring that all Oregonians can take unpaid, job protected leave** to take care of themselves and their families by expanding eligibility to the Oregon Family Leave Act (OFLA). (HB 2474)

- **Expanded access to paid sick time to more Oregonians** by closing a gap in the bill we worked to pass in 2015 that excluded construction workers. (SB 588)

→ 3000+ stories shared with lawmakers via email, phone calls & testimony

48 ACTION TEAM LEADERS making an impact in their communities, all across Oregon.

50 GIVE FORWARD TEAM MEMBERS & COUNTING! who give generously each month to sustain our work year-round

TWO new amazing new board members, Amy Donahue & Zena Moore

FIVE new staff added to our team, strengthening our ability to do this work across the state

ONE AMAZING MOVEMENT. We are 10,000 moms & caregivers strong (and counting). Together, we are passing the policies we need to thrive.

EIGHT EVENTS HELD ACROSS THE STATE to ensure that Oregon’s members of Congress fought for paid leave, child care, and other supports we need

THE MOST TESTIMONY EVER RECEIVED! by Oregon’s House Committee on Early Childhood was submitted by YOU in support of our priority bill on child care.

As of today, the Build Back Better Act is headed to the Senate and includes historic investments in child care, a national paid leave program, and so much more...all made possible because of YEARS of your advocacy.

Together, we win. Donate today!

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