

# 2018/2019 Action Agenda



# Goal 1

## Improve maternal and prenatal wellness in Ionia County



### Strategy 1:

Coordinate resources to decrease transportation barriers for families in Ionia County to increase access to supports and services for pregnant women and families.

\*Collaborate to organize transportation opportunities

\*Financial Support for transportation to supports and services

### Strategy 2:

Develop strategies to increase awareness of the effects of substances, trauma, and social/emotional health during pregnancy

\*Trauma Informed and Responsive Community

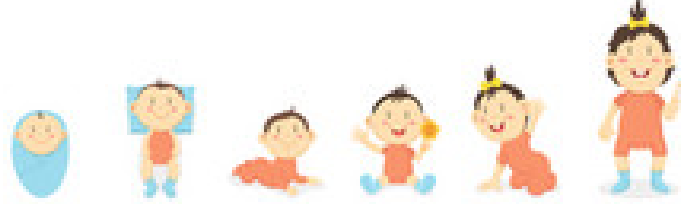
\*Events

\*Speakers

\*Flyers

# Goal 2

Improve wellness for children birth to age 8



## Strategy 1

**Increase availability of child development and wellness information**

\*Connections

\*Welcome Home Baby Packets

\*Diaper Drive

\*Quick Connect

\*Events in each district

## Strategy 2

**Develop partnerships with local health providers to develop and promote physical health education events and activities for kids and families**

\*Spring into Safety

\*Kid's Day

\* Wellness event

## Strategy 3

Use core parent group to develop a parent led strategy in Ionia County

\*Recruit parents

\*Activity

\*Strengthening Families Assessment

## Strategy 4

Provide trainings on social/emotional health that includes parents, teachers, childcare providers, and community members

\*Social/Emotional/Trauma Trainings and Follow-up Sessions

## Strategy 5

Maintain parenting class opportunities in local districts to educate parents on child learning and development

\*Conscious Discipline

\*Love and Logic

# Goal 3

Increase access to high quality early care and education services and supports



## Strategy 1

**Facilitate a School Readiness Advisory Committee**

## Strategy 2

**Improve access and participation to childcare resources**

\*Childcare Subsidy

\*[Greatstarttoquality.org](http://Greatstarttoquality.org)

## Strategy 3

**Increase provider connection to Great Start to Quality**

**Increase provider participation in Great Start to Quality**

# Goal 4

Children are prepared to succeed in school



## Strategy 1

**Promote and support early learning programs in Ionia County**

\*Playgroups

\*Dolly Pardon Imagination Library

\*Local Libraries

\*Activity Calendar

## Strategy 2

**Promote partnerships to support the transition into kindergarten and strengthen the early childhood system in Ionia County**

\*Preschool/School/Community Partnerships

\*Kindergarten transition backpacks

# It's going to be a great year!

