



Agency Snapshot

Forty Carrots Family Center is a nonprofit organization dedicated to strengthening families through educational programs for parents, children and professionals in the field.

Good Beginnings Last A Lifetime. Founded in 1993, Forty Carrots is guided by a vision that all parents will provide their children with experiences and environments that are emotionally and physically safe so that they can grow into capable and caring young people.

Core Components



Parenting Education Program

Providing information, skills and support to families from all walks of life, including some of our community's most at-risk.



Mental Health Services

Offering Child and Family Therapy for individuals and families, as well as therapeutic groups at our community partner locations.



Nationally Accredited (NAEYC) Preschool

Preparing children for success through high quality education, taught by qualified teachers integrating the latest research and best practices.

Free Community Outreach

Currently delivering weekly parenting education and mental health services to clients throughout Sarasota and Manatee Counties at these partner locations:

- Alta Vista Elementary Parent University
- Booker Middle School
- CYESIS Teen Parent Program at North Port High School
- CYESIS Teenage Parent Program at Riverview High School
- First Step Mothers & Infants Program
- Manatee County Public Libraries
- The Ringling Museum
- Safe Place and Rape Crisis Center (SPARCC)
- Salvation Army
- Sarasota County Public Libraries
- Sally & Sam Shapiro Babies and Children's Medical Center
- Selah Freedom
- SOLVE Maternity Homes
- TAPP Teenage Parent Program, Manatee Public School System
- Visible Men Academy

2015 - 2016 Program Year Accomplishments

93%

Clients Received
Free Services

4,100

Clients Served

1,081

Free Community
Outreach Classes

61%

Increase in
Therapy Services

27

Community
Partner Locations