



Theory of Change


America has a **broken and inequitable child care system** that is holding us back and hurting everyone—children, families, child care providers, communities, employers, and our military.

 **Needs**

Affordable, quality child care that meets the needs of working and military families.	A strong network across the country helping families find and afford quality child care while building the supply of sustainable child care programs with skilled teachers.	Research, field level intelligence, and analysis that is actionable.	Public policy and funding that recognizes child care as essential to the nation.
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 **What We Do**

We galvanize solutions through:	A network that builds a quality system and helps families find and afford child care—with direct service to military families.	Research that drives effective practice and policy.	Advocacy that spurs policymakers to act and build solutions.
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 **What We Achieve**

All families have access to affordable, quality child care that makes children, child care professionals, employers, the military, and our nation stronger.

Together, we can **make America child care strong**—because that makes everyone stronger.

