



The Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) for family child care homes was funded through the USDA begins to improve nutrition of children in child care.

TAUW funded Caring Hearts Network to recruit and train new family child care providers. Statewide CCR&R Network was funded through the Legislature. CCRC added Creek and Wagoner Counties to our service area. Website was launched.

AVID Readers expanded and was re-named Read Now. Liz Reece, Director of CCRC for 13 years, retired. Jan Figart served as interim director. Rogers County was added to the service area.

CCRC sponsored the first International Infant and Toddler Conference and a statewide Summit on Quality Care and Learning for every child. The first annual Top of the Town fund raising event was held. CCRC moved into Main Square Towers at 16th and Main.

LINK project transitioned the Sprouts Child Development Initiative with on-line Ages and Stages developmental screening

Community Service Council (CSC) led a community-wide task force to investigate the needs of child care in the Tulsa community. A comprehensive study was conducted and published.

Judy Burton, CCRC Director, retires. Liz Reece was hired as the CCRC Director. CCRC moved out of the United Way building into classrooms at Eisenhower Elementary

TAUW Venture Grant funded Quality Through Accreditation and Success by 61 to help child care centers achieve NAEYC accreditation.

Bright Horizons funded Community Child Care Network for UAW/Ford employees

LINK Project developmental screenings for young children reorganized under CCRC. CCRC received a grant from the George Kaiser Family Foundation to expand Quality Through Accreditation and fund a second Infant/Toddler Specialist.

Cradling Literacy Initiative began with funds from Smart Start Oklahoma, AEP-PSO & JP Morgan Chase Foundations.

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CCRC celebrated 30 years of service to the Tulsa area.

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TAUW Venture Grant funded the Toy Lending and Resource Library.

AVID Readers placed its first volunteer reader at Crosstown Learning Center.

CCRC moved to Admiral and Sheridan.

CCRC accepted donation of Bookstore from Friends of Early Education. Expanded space to accommodate Bookstore, Library and training room/conference facilities. CCRC was selected as pilot site for "Mind in the Making". Raising a Reader program began in partnership with JumpStart Tulsa. CCRC partnered with local educators to bring back Fall Conference for Early Childhood professionals. CCRC was awarded the National Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Association's Child Care Aware Award. Bilingual Resource and Referral Specialist hired.

Karen Smith hired as CCRC Director. Read Now! was added to CCRC programs. Smart Start Oklahoma funded a Strengthening Families initiative to provide intensive support to five child care programs.

CCRC celebrated 25th Anniversary with champagne toast during Top of the Town.

CCRC was awarded Child Care Resource and Referral as Resiliency Hub pilot project from Child Care Aware of America Sprouts Child Development Initiative was launched as their own 501c3

CSC's Board of Directors approved the formation of the Child Care Resource Center (CCRC) as a program of CSC to be a leader child care planning, policy development, information and referral, and central administration of services. A public information and referral service for families seeking child care was developed by funded with a Tulsa Area United Way (TAUW) Venture Grant and CCRC was located in the basement of the Tulsa Area United Way building along with Helpline.

CCRC moved to F&M Bank Building at 17th and Sheridan and was housed with Helpline, Babyline, Planline, and the Tulsa Children's Coalition

Child Care Health Consultant was hired through expansion grant from Success by 61.

Babyline and Planline were added to CCRC programs.

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