



Rhode Island Mentoring Partnership

Enhancing the Lives of Rhode Island's Youth through Mentoring

Accomplishments 2016

BE THE CHANGE, MENTOR A CHILD!

- Served 5038 youth
- 3911 mentors provided approximately 156,440 hours of service; worth an estimated value of \$3,685,726 (over 3.5 million dollars!)
- Rhode Island Mentoring Partnership (RIMP) coordinated school-based mentoring programs in Warwick, Woonsocket, Cranston, and Newport/Middletown serving 358 students! The vast majority of program participants (mentors, mentees, parents, and teachers) report high satisfaction levels with the program as well as improved academic and social indicators for mentees.
- RIMP supported a statewide network of 57 mentoring programs serving 32 Rhode Island cities and towns
- RIMP maintained and expanded key relationships with the business community including Amica, Amgen, Blue Cross Blue Shield of RI, Coastway Community Bank, CVS, MetLife, MetLife Auto & Home, Taco, Textron, and the Washington Trust Company.
- 70 organizations participated in RIMP trainings in 2015-2016.
- 251 people attended 65 total trainings conducted by RIMP. Types of trainings: Program Coordinator trainings, Mentor trainings, and Topical trainings including; It Can Happen to You, Too: Violence-Dating & Other; How to Keep Your Mentee Safe: Dealing with Depression & Suicide; Supporting LGBTQ Youth; & Growth Mindset.
- Offered 19 webinars through MENTOR, the National Mentoring Partnership on such topics as; Cultural and Class Conflicts in Mentor-Mentee Matches, Building Future Leaders Through STEM Mentoring, Mentoring in the Age of Technology.
- Amgem STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) Grant continues to enrich programs in Central Falls, North Providence, Cranston, Warwick, Providence, Bristol, and Newport/Middletown. New programs attended a roundtable with 1st year participants for best practices, curriculum and STEM demonstrations.
- Maintained the number of programs who implemented Quality Mentoring Systems at the Premier Level at 18. Recertified 4 Premier Programs for 3 years of continuous, quality achievement.
- Continued serving as Rhode Island's only technical assistance provider for the National Mentoring Resource Center; assisting 6 organizations who sought to create or improve their mentoring program.
- Distributed scholarships/mini-grants to partnering programs for the Northeast Conference for Youth Development & Mentoring, STEM activities, and other trainings.
- Celebrated the 25th anniversary of the Warwick Mentor Program (RIMP's original mentoring program).
- Held the 5th annual Frozen Clam Dip on New Year's Day including the World's first-ever Obstacle Plunge. The event raised \$10,000 for RIMP.
- Held the 10th anniversary Dancing with the Stars of Mentoring Fun'raiser. The event drew more than 500 guests and netted RIMP \$107,000.