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Be The Change
Jennings 4ᵗʰ Ward Strong
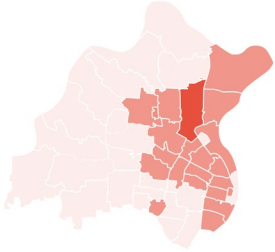
JENNINGS 4TH WARD STRONG

North Star

Zero racial disparities in infant mortality by 2033.

High Infant Mortality Zip Codes

63136

- 🟥 Priority Zip Code Served
- 🟪 Priority Zip Code

How much did we do?

50
Families with young children assisted with resources

"Let's Talk About It" Workshops

3

Workshops held

- Sexual Health Tips
- Ways To Cope With Stress
- Importance of Self Care

Program Description

This FLOURISH grant funded the "Be the Change" project at Jennings 4ᵗʰ Ward Strong. This provided resources, support and healing to Black parenting families throughout the Jennings community. This project took place from November 2020 to March 2021.

Priority Areas

FLOURISH Community Leaders Cabinet identified priority areas they believe will have the most significant impact on improving conditions for Black families. Infant mortality is a complex issue that can't be solved by one organization alone. Below, you will find population level data where FLOURISH is contributing to changes for Black families alongside other organizations. Behind It All Foundation is working to move the needle for the individuals they serve in the areas listed below.

FLOURISH Priority Area	Category of Work	Population Level Data
Social Determinants of Health	Education & Resources	▪ Access to Resources
Coordinated Quality of Care	Prenatal Behavioral Health	▪ Maternal Depression/ Postpartum Depression ▪ Poor Mental Health Days ▪ Frequent Mental Distress

Resource Distribution

50
Educational kits provided to children ages 1 month to 12 years old and included books, games and activities

50
Self-care kits & grocery store gift cards provided to parents

1,000
Books with diverse characters were distributed

1,000
Packs of diapers distributed

FLOURISH St. Louis, an infant mortality reduction initiative powered by Generate Health, is bringing together people and organizations across the region to fix the systems that impact the health of Black families. This organization received a FLOURISH grant which was funded by Missouri Foundation for Health.

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