Great Circle touched the lives of 39,481 children, teens and families in 2018.

1,123 students received educational services uniquely tailored to help them succeed.

2,876 individuals experienced the wonders of the great outdoors at Meramec Adventure Learning Ranch.

2,074 youth received compassionate, supervised care around-the-clock in residential treatment services.

246 Autism residential, education and respite services served children and teens across the state.

3,942 children and families build safe, healthy and functional relationships and home lives.

3,511 individuals and their families the compassionate guidance to successfully navigate life’s daily challenges.

387 children and teens in foster care found loving forever homes across Missouri.

6,040 Foster care case management and support services impacted the lives of children and families.

A Year to Remember
ANNUAL REPORT 2018
As needs grow, we grow.

Great Circle’s nationally accredited treatment programs and services include:

- 24-hour specialized care
- Autism services
- Crisis services
- Day program services
- Education services
- Home and community-based services
- Outpatient therapies
- Parenting support
- Super-curricular programs

Great Circle continues to develop and refine programs to meet the behavioral health needs of children, families and individuals.

For every dollar of support, more than 87% funds behavioral health care treatment programs for kids and families.

2018 Highlights

BUILDING A NEW CARE BRIDGE

In 2018, we proudly expanded our intensive outpatient program (IOP) across Missouri to serve more children and teenagers. Helping youth find stability and strength as they navigate challenging times and situations, IOP develops healthy coping skills to manage emotions and behaviors. With facilities now in St. Louis, Columbia, Springfield and Joplin, IOP serves as a therapeutic and temporary shelter and support for children whose families are experiencing a short-term crisis. This broadens Great Circle’s ability to provide emergency and temporary shelter and support for children and families. With unexpected situations arise and provides parents with much-needed support that ensures their children’s safety.

EMERGENCY SHELTER EXPANDS

As we continue to expand our footprint in southeast Missouri, 2018 brought exciting growth for our services to shelter area youth. The Poplar Bluff shelter now provides both emergency and temporary shelter and support for children and families experiencing a short-term crisis. This broadens Great Circle’s ability to provide emergency and temporary shelter and support for children whose families are experiencing a short-term crisis. This broadens Great Circle’s ability to help southeast Missouri children and families when unexpected situations arise and provides parents with much-needed support that ensures their children’s safety.

A NEW DIGITAL HORIZON CALLS

Great Circle is firmly committed to increasing access to more and better care for all kids and families. In 2018, we launched an exciting telehealth initiative that expands Great Circle’s caring reach far beyond the physical barriers that often prevent access to mental healthcare. Through telehealth technology, appointment wait times are dramatically reduced and clients have greater flexibility to receive vital behavioral health services right in their own homes or communities.

U.S. SURGEON GENERAL VISITS

In Fall 2018, our St. Louis campus hosted U.S. Surgeon General Jerome M. Adams, Deputy Secretary for the Department of Health and Human Services Eric D. Hargan, and Assistant Secretary for SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration) Dr. Elinore F. McCance-Katz. All applauded Great Circle’s unique educational program and praised our students for their courage to address both mental health and substance use issues. What an honor!
Our Mission

Great Circle is an agency that provides a unique spectrum of behavioral health services to children and families. With specialized programs and highly trained professionals, we provide hope to those in difficult circumstances throughout Missouri and beyond.

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