

# **CARE PROGRAM**

Family Resource Navigator













## The BANANAS CARE Program

BANANAS CARE Program provides child care navigation and support to families who are experiencing homelessness and housing insecurity. The Family Resource Navigators work with parents to secure child care that fits their schedule and needs, and connect them to community resources.

We've experienced great success in getting families connected to child care subsidies when they work with our Family Resource Navigators.



"Having a (CARE) Family Resource
Navigator has helped me in a
number of ways. They have helped
with referrals to different child care
providers that have provided services
to my children along with financial
assistance through Bananas Aid, and
parent workshops. Having a child care
service in place for my children, I have
been able to work a full time job."

The CARE Program started as a grassroots initiative of Parent Voices Oakland, championed by the late Supervisor Wilma Chan, and is implemented by a collaborative group of stakeholders led by BANANAS. The CARE Program is funded by the Hellman Foundation, First 5 Alameda County, and Alameda County Social Services Agency.

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### LOCATION

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#### **HOURS**

Monday – Thursday 9:30 am – 4:15 pm

Friday <u>9:30</u> am – 12:30 pm

