

COMMUNITY AGENCY RESTORATIVE EDUCATION SERVICE

Helping the people who help people!



OVERVIEW

Based in the heart of Oakland, California, with a satellite location in Chicago, Illinois, we are more than just an organization; we are a beacon of hope and transformation. Our name, CARES – Community, Agency, Restorative, Education, Service – encapsulates our mission and our passion. We are dedicated to fostering behavioral wellness, advocating restorative practices, and driving strategic growth to empower individuals and communities.

Our approach is rooted in the profound belief in the power of integrity, equity, and profitability, not just as business metrics, but as pillars of a healthy, thriving society.

17M

DEPRESSION

Affects over 17 million adults (about 7 percent of adult population yearly).

40M

ANXIETY

Most common in US 40 million (7% of children age 3-17) experience anxiety each year

300B

STRESS

American employers spend 300 billion dollars every year on health care and lost work days linked to stress

About Us

Date of Launch: January 2020
Location: Oakland, CA
Team Size: 9
Fundraising Status: Seeking Capital Funding
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Billions of people are dealing with behavioral health issues every day. You cannot have a healthy organization that is diverse, equitable, inclusive, and where people feel like they belong and have access to what they need if the people in that organization are not well.

We consider Teachers, Clergy, and other essential workers as first responders in need of wellness support, self-care plans, and the necessary tools to navigate their trauma so that they can not only survive but thrive. This is what the CARES Learning Partnership does.

HELPING PEOPLE

DEI | MEDIATION | CULTURE

Our expertise extends to the realms of health and wellness, D.E.I.B.A (Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Belonging, and Accessibility), and organizational culture and climate. We intentionally seek to help those leading nonprofits, schools, and churches with strategic growth. We believe in the transformative power of Narrative Therapy and problem-solving, approaches that resonate with our faith-driven ethos, recognizing the divine in every aspect of our work.



WHO HELP PEOPLE

WELLNESS | EQ | DEVELOPMENT

CARES Learning Partnership is not just an organization; it's a movement. Our ideal partners are Educators, Clergy, small school Administrators in their formative years, and local government officials in small municipalities, all united in the vision of creating a more restorative, empathetic, and resilient world. We are committed to helping these leaders become the best versions of themselves, thereby creating ripples of positive change in their communities.

What's Next?

THE FUTURE
C.A.R.E.S.



In April of 2021, the C.A.R.E.S. Learning Partnership received funding to begin our Restorative Communities Program. We plan on utilizing our current partnerships to bring our programming to the Bay Area and beyond. We are currently raising capital to extend our services directly to individuals through initiatives and professional development. Our ultimate goal is to create a wellness center in downtown Oakland where health coaching, wellness training, and a collaboration of therapies will be available.