RHIP and COVID-19 MINI-GRANT PROJECT SUMMARIES

COVID-19 Final Report for Better Together/Champions (Non-RHIP) "Full-day School Age Care for 21 High-Need Redmond Students"

Summary of Results:

- The requested funds helped to support 21 children in grades K-5 enrolled in fullday, 5- day care at Champions' four school-based sites in Redmond, during January 2021.
- Better Together and Juntos Aprendemos raised additional funds to continue supporting these children through February 2021 when Redmond schools' reopening was delayed due to COVID.
- For the children who participated in this program with support from COHC and other funders (OCF, Roundhouse Foundation), childcare helped working parents continue with needed jobs, so that they could afford basic needs: rent, utilities, food; all critical for resilience and recovery.
- Full-day programs provided caring, consistent adults who helped children with Comprehensive Distance Learning (CDL) and provided afterschool recreation, informal learning, and 2-3 nutritious meals and snacks during a 7:45a-4:45p day.

Quote:

"Many of the youth enrolled had never been online for school until attending. Now all are caught up and doing great."