

Family & Youth Services

Creating pathways to build future success.

Nothing predicts the future for a child more than the stability of their family life. Our programs provide families and youth with individualized support from staff who are deeply committed to their success. Whether addressing the impacts of generational poverty, trauma, lack of education, or lack of stable resources, CommUnify's programs are designed to build resilience and a better future for our clients.

Services include mentoring and tutoring for high school students and at-risk youth; increasing access to higher education opportunities for first-generation and underrepresented students; health education to prepare teens to become safe, self-sufficient adults, and case management for families struggling with behavioral and emotional wellness.

Adolescent Family Life Planning (AFLP)

California Personal Responsibility and Education Program (CA PREP) & Information and Education (I&E)

California Student Opportunity and Access Program (Cal-SOAP)

Family Wellness

Los Compadres and Las Comadres Youth Mentoring Program

New Heights Full Service Partnership for Transition-Aged Youth (FSP-TAY)

South Coast Youth Safety Partnership

Did you know?

On average, **4,500** youth, ages 6-17, participate in CommUnify's programs each year.



CommUnify Changes Lives



Tn his first Los Compadres ▲ appointment, Jose met Joshua, program mentor and community educator. "Josh is a cool guy, very respectful, and he does a lot of work for you", Jose told us. "Josh listens to us and our concerns." Then together they figure out how to manage those stresses, often related to family conflict and school structure. Jose has successfully completed probation, improved his grades, and is planning for his future.



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☐ at age 16. Through CommUnify's Adolescent Family Life Planning program, she met her mentor and case worker, Monica. Together they developed an action plan to support Ruby through her pregnancy and early motherhood. Ruby wanted to finish high school, attend college, develop parenting skills, and successfully raise her son. The straight A student and teen mother succeeded in all of these areas, thanks to Monica's support.

"Ruby has great energy and always follows through with her goals. She is such a positive example of youth development."

MONICA G., COMMUNIFY CASE WORKER

It starts with you.

Your investment in our work enables us to create a thriving community where everyone can live with dignity. We invite you to support us.

For more information on how you can support CommUnify, please contact:

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CommUnify's services are offered countywide. We have offices in Santa Maria, Lompoc and Goleta.

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