

The State of Mentoring in Colorado 2014

The data presented in this document synthesizes information gathered from a survey conducted with 60 mentoring programs facilitated by 32 agencies across Colorado, representing the majority of formalized mentoring programs in the state. The Colorado Mentoring Partnership defines formalized mentoring as a relationship facilitated by a mentoring program matching one to five youth with a mentor in an ongoing relationship to promote positive youth development and outcomes.

Young People Mentored

ONE ADULT MENTORING ONE MENTEE



4868 Mentees

ONE ADULT OR MORE ADULTS MENTORING A SMALL GROUP OF MENTEEES



1808 Mentees

ONE YOUNG PERSON MENTORING ONE MENTEE



738 Mentees

7414
MENTEES



Highest average for a mentoring program

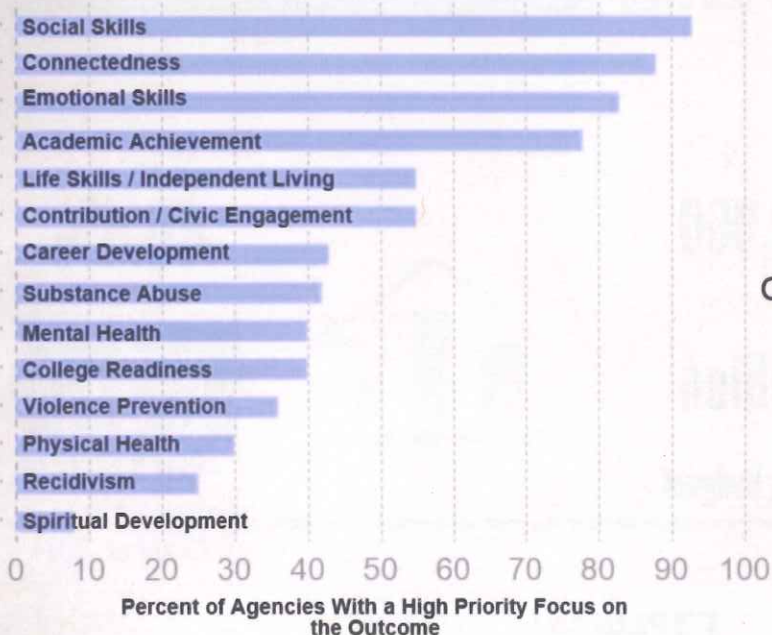
Average for all mentoring programs



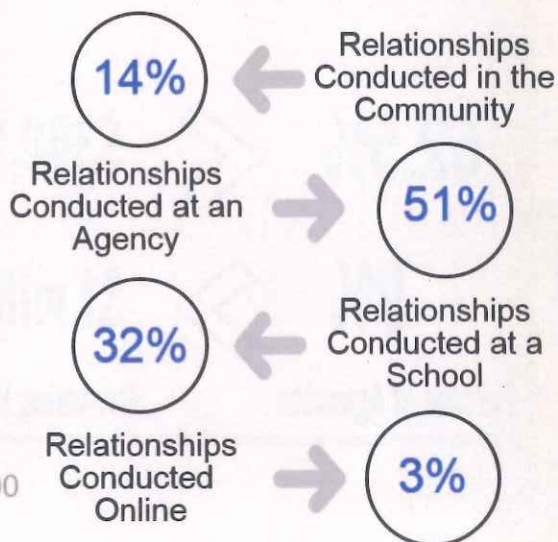
← Length of Relationship →



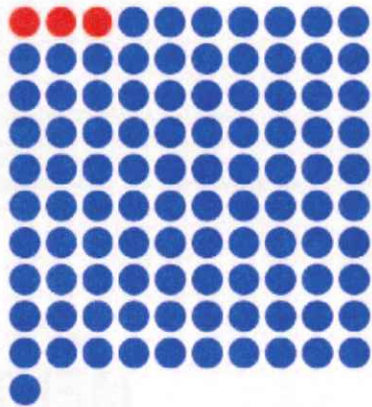
Focus of Programs



Location of Mentoring



Need for Mentoring



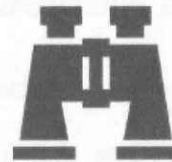
■ Served ■ Young People Needing a Mentor

A recent survey from the National Mentoring Partnership showed that 1 in 3 young people do not have a formal or informal mentor growing up. This translates into almost 300,000 young people between the ages of 5 and 17 in Colorado growing up without an engaged adult.



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Number of young people waitlisted at any one time



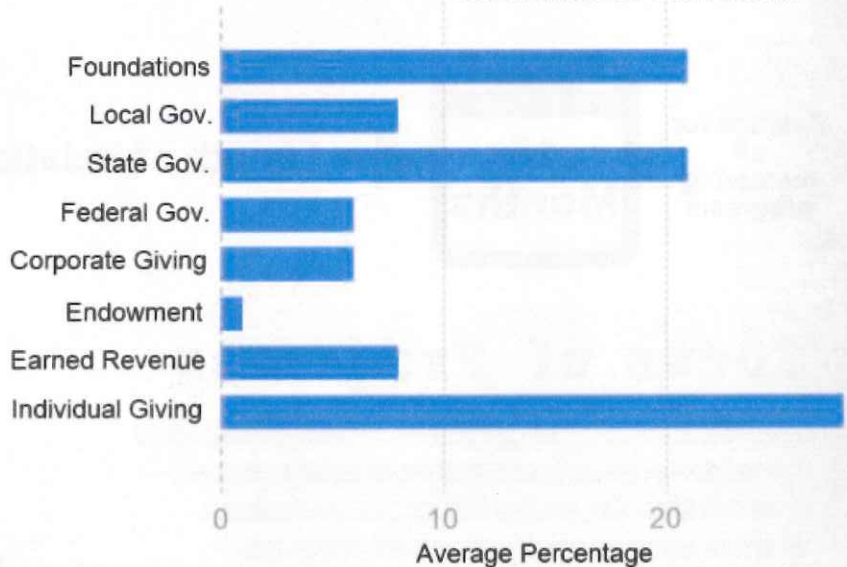
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Counties without a known mentoring program

Investment in Mentoring

\$13.2 Million

Sources of Revenue



62.5%



\$300,000

9%



\$1 million

Percent of Agencies

Mentoring Budgets



46.4%

Agencies' Revenue Decreased or Stayed the Same Over the Past 3 Years

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