Vision
Creating communities where people live peacefully.

Mission
Transforming lives impacted by family violence.

Guiding Principles, Values and Beliefs
People have the right to safety and to live free from violence. People have the right to equality in their interpersonal relationships. People have the right to choose how to change their lives.

Family Peace Center
619 W. Walnut Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Sojourner Partner Collaborations An Overview
Sojourner has been working with partners for decades. We believe that through enhanced collaboration with partners and families, we provide seamless, cohesive experiences that promote optimal healing and well-being for children and families impacted by violence.
Co-Located Partners

Aurora Healthcare
As a not-for-profit health care provider, Aurora is committed to improving community well-being through collaborations with community partners including schools, faith communities and public health departments. Staff from Aurora Healthcare’s Healing Center and Sexual Assault Treatment Center provides advocacy and forensic nursing services to sexual assault victims.

Children’s Wisconsin
(Foundational Partner)
Children’s Wisconsin Community Services creates and supports numerous community programs that benefit the health of our children.

Children’s Wisconsin Child Advocacy Center
Abuse can be scary for kids, parents and other family members. Children who may have been harmed come to a Child Advocacy Center to talk about the abuse and get medical care. It is a safe place for children to get care from many agencies and health care providers.

Children’s Wisconsin, Community Health Education
The Child Abuse Prevention Fund provides financial support for primary prevention activities in Wisconsin to help ensure a safe environment for children and educate professionals and the public about the role of prevention in eliminating child abuse.

Children’s Wisconsin, Project Ujima
This is a multidisciplinary collaboration addressing youth and adult violence through individual, family and community intervention and prevention strategies. Services include crisis intervention and case management, social and emotional support, youth development and mentoring, and mental health and medical services.

Children’s Wisconsin, Behavioral Health
Experts in the fields of child and adolescent psychiatry, pediatric (child health) psychology, neuropsychology and psychotherapy. Diagnosis and treatment for a wide range of psychiatric and behavioral conditions are offered.

CORE/El Centro
Practitioners where healing and transformation occur daily for individuals, families and the community. A volunteer-driven organization that relies heavily on the gifts and talents of professionals in the fields of Chinese medicine, massage therapy, energy work and holistic exercise.

Goodwill Industries
Goodwill® strives to enhance the dignity and quality of life of individuals and families by helping people reach their full potential through education, skills training and the power of work.

Jewish Family Services
Jewish Family Services is a leading provider of social services in greater Milwaukee for individuals, families and children of every age, race, religion, income, or lifestyle. JFS provides mental health services to individuals and families impacted by violence.

Legal Action of Wisconsin
Legal Action of Wisconsin provides free civil legal services to low-income individuals in the southern half of the State of Wisconsin. The FPC office is focused on providing services to victims of domestic abuse and human trafficking.

Milwaukee County District Attorney’s Office
The mission of the Milwaukee County District Attorney’s Office is to promote public peace and safety by just and vigorous prosecution; to seek and to do impartial justice by ensuring that the guilty are punished and the innocent go free; to protect the health and welfare of children who are victims of child abuse and neglect; and to safeguard the rule of law and to promote citizens’ participation in law enforcement by treating all persons who come in contact with the criminal justice system with fairness, dignity and respect.

Milwaukee Police Department, Sensitive Crimes Division
In partnership with the community, MPD creates and maintains neighborhoods capable of sustaining civic life and is committed to reducing the levels of crime, fear and disorder through community-based problem-oriented, and data-driven policing. The Sensitive Crimes Division of the Criminal Investigation Bureau is comprised of a captain of police, lieutenants of detectives, detectives, police sergeants, police officers, a domestic violence liaison and civilian support personnel. This division is responsible for investigations involving domestic violence, crimes against children (child abuse and neglect), sexual assaults, interference with child custody matters, missing persons and other matters of a sensitive nature.

Milwaukee Public Schools
Milwaukee Public Schools, Wisconsin’s largest school district, is expanding college and career readiness efforts and continuing to implement innovative reforms that give every student the opportunity to succeed. MPS’ high-quality school options for 3-year-olds to high school seniors feature school climates in which positive behavior is reinforced; certified, highly trained teachers; 21st-century learning technology for students; and curriculum aligned to the rigorous Common Core State Standards, which set a clear, high bar for the topics students must master at each grade level.

Sojourner
Sojourner’s mission is to transform lives impacted by family violence. Sojourner provides crisis housing, system advocacy and support to people who are impacted by family violence. Sojourner’s primary goals are to ensure the safety of victims of family violence and to provide a pathway out of violence for victims and abusers through opportunities to make positive and lasting changes for themselves and their children.

Wraparound Milwaukee
Wraparound Milwaukee is a unique type of managed care program operated by the Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Division that is designed to provide comprehensive, individualized and cost-effective care to children with complex mental health and emotional needs.

Referring/Community Partners
Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin
Hillside Neighborhood Association