

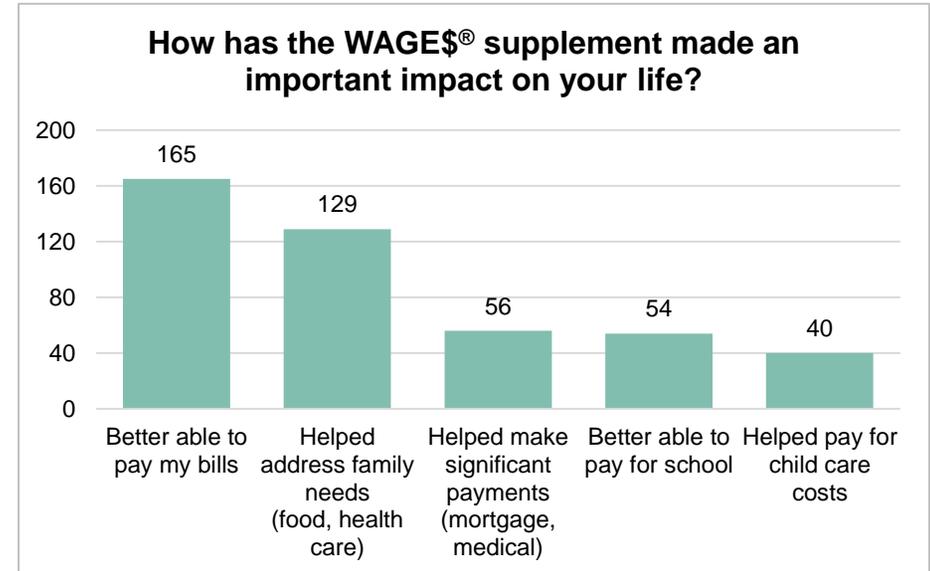


2017 Child Care WAGES® Participant Evaluation Survey Responses

(375 participants responded)

Benefits of the WAGES® program

- 97% felt more satisfied with their jobs.
- 97% found WAGES was an incentive to seek additional education and/or helped to make coursework financially feasible.
- 96% found the WAGES supplement helped ease financial stress.
- 96% found WAGES encouraged them to stay with their current programs.
- 90% found the WAGES supplement helped provide more resources for their programs or classrooms.
- 91% found participation in WAGES had improved the quality of their work.
- 99% felt the WAGES program has an important impact in the early childhood field.
- 97% felt more appreciated and recognized for their work.



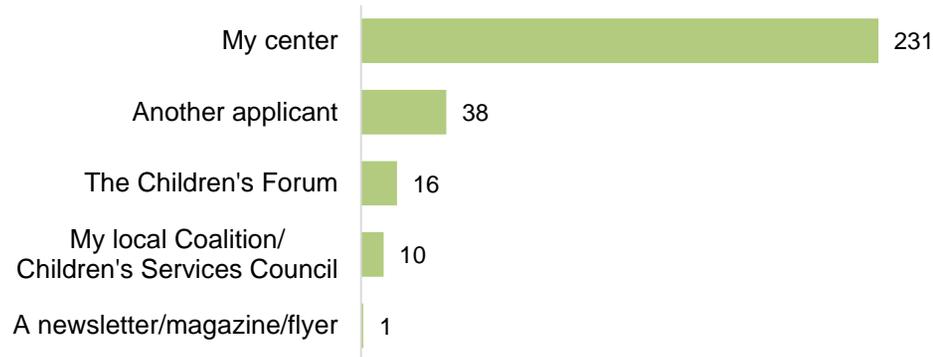
Satisfaction with the WAGES® program

- 96% found the WAGES staff helpful and pleasant (88% very, 8% somewhat).
- 95% were able to contact WAGES staff when they needed help (80% agree strongly, 15% agree somewhat, 4% did not contact).
- 99% reported attitudes in their center/home about WAGES were positive (92% very, 7% somewhat).
- 99% were satisfied overall with the WAGES project (91% very, 8% somewhat).

Outreach



I learned about the Child Care WAGES® FLORIDA Project from:



36% have “liked” the WAGES® Florida Project Facebook page.

85% knew scholarship assistance may be available through the T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Project.

42% reported participating in T.E.A.C.H.

Educational Background of Participants

67% have taken college level classes since applying to WAGES.

95% of these were taking classes in ECE/child development and **5%** were taking classes in elementary education.

84% planned to take formal college coursework in the future.

82% were not participating in any other scholarship assistance program.

What education level are you pursuing?

