



**FAMILY  
FOCUS**

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**DINNER**

MEETING FAMILIES WHERE THEY DREAM

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**THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2023**

**6 - 9:00 PM**

Four Seasons Hotel Chicago  
120 East Delaware Place

**HONOREE AND GUEST SPEAKER**

Juan Salgado  
*Chancellor, City Colleges of Chicago*



# Dream BUILDERS DINNER



With Special Memorial Tribute to Family Focus Founder Bernice Weissbourd



Juan Salgado Chancellor, City Colleges of Chicago Honoree and Guest Speaker

## PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS ANNUAL GATHERING!

Family Focus invites you to become a Dream Builder by supporting children and families in reaching for their dreams.

**MISSION:** Family Focus invests in strengthening families and their children in Chicago and northeast Illinois, so they build social capital and achieve upward economic mobility through high-quality innovative programs and services, grounded in anti-racism and social justice.

## WORKING FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES

Family Focus was founded in Evanston, Illinois in 1976 by Bernice Weissbourd where she originated the Principals of Family Support. This pioneering method of strengthening early childhood development by ensuring the family's needs are met is still a pillar of early childhood education and is the basis of today's best practices and two-generation approaches. On January 1, 2021, Family Focus expanded its geographic footprint and its mission in a merger with Chicago Child Care Society (CCCS). CCCS was the longest-operating social service agency in Illinois, founded in 1849, and the merger made the new Family Focus one of the largest social service agencies in northeast Illinois.

**FAMILY FOCUS TODAY** has 11 direct service centers that serve 9,000 people annually along with another 10,000 people who receive information and referrals. The agency is headed by a visionary leader, President and CEO Dara Munson, who was formerly the CEO of CCCS and is the first woman of color to lead Family Focus.

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*VIP seating, 2 tables up to 24 guests*

- Speaking part from the podium during the program (optional)
- Program book full page ad
- Top recognition in all digital, print and press materials
- Custom volunteer engagement event at a Family Focus center

## **\$25,000 GOLD**

*Priority seating, 1 table up to 12 guests*

- Recognition from the podium during the program
- Program book full page ad
- Priority recognition in all digital, print and press materials

## **\$15,000 SILVER**

*Prominent seating, 1 table up to 12 guests*

- Recognition from the podium during the program
- Program book half-page ad
- Prominent recognition in all digital, print and press materials

## **\$10,000 BRONZE**

*Preferred seating, 1 table of 10 guests*

- Recognition during the program
- Program book quarter page ad
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## **\$5,000 COPPER**

*Table of 10 guests*

- Recognition during the program
- Recognition in digital and print materials

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*(non-attending)*

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- Copper Sponsor \$ 5,000

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- Reception Sponsor \$2,500
- Decorations Sponsor \$2,500
- Program Book Sponsor \$2,500
- Dinner Sponsor \$2,500

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- Half Page \$2,500
- Quarter Page \$1,000

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