# **Funds Distribution Report**

### Recipient Organization: Eastside Baby Corner

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#### **Organization's General Goals:**

Kids, ages birth through 12, get shoes, diapers, formula, blankets, coats, and much more from Baby Corner, and our service partners. Baby Corner also provides for expectant and postpartum mothers, supplying maternity wear, personal care goods, and mother-infant support items. Kids are warm, healthy, safe, and better prepared to fulfill their own potential because of Baby Corner.

Date of Award: 2019 Q4 Level: \$2,501 to \$5,000

For more information, please read the attached report from Eastside Baby Corner.



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## The Tulalip Tribes Report- June 2020

#### EBC-Eastside Baby Corner Overview:

For 2019, EBC distributed 111,009 orders of essential health and care items to 9132 children across Central Puget Sound, serving an average of 1522 children each month. 81% of the families served are in the low to very low income category and 73% of EBC recipients are ages 0-5 years old. Included in the orders were thousands of items to keep children safe: 1,653 car seats, 335 safety gates, 375 portable pack n' play cribs, and 5,208 household safety items including appliance locks, door and window latches, electrical covers, and smoke alarms.

#### Protect The Kids 2019 Update

EBC hosted 4 car seat checks in 2019, including National Car Seat Check Saturday on September 21<sup>st</sup> where EBC distributed 28 car seats and provided 84 pamphlets to families. Since the program's inception, EBC has checked over 200 car seats and worked to ensure that every child in need of a car seat received



the proper fitting, correct seat. In 2019, EBC Operations Assistant Wanda Yamashita because a Certified Car Seat Instructor and now holds classes and instruction for EBC providers. Wanda is assisted by EBC Operations Manager Cori Benson, who is a Certified Car Seat Technician. In addition to car seat safety, EBC distributed a "safe sleep bundle" with every crib and pack n' play distributed. A safe sleep bundle includes sheets, footed pajamas, a book, an educational handout on safe sleep and SIDS and a SleepSack/SwaddleMe. From January-May 2020, EBC served 1123 children with 3,489 safe sleep items.

Number of items distributed:

114 485	8	11	133
485			100
	54	96	635
12	4	3	19
191	29	23	243
4			4
1,054	214	586	1,854
11		15	26
74	23	25	122
5	4	7	16
362	31	44	437
2,312	367	810	3,489
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Number of children served:

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Bed - Pack 'N Play ONLY	114	8	10	132
Car Seats	474	52	94	620
Safety - Bed Rails	10	4	3	17
Safety - Bicycling	171	23	19	213
Safety - Child Safety Harness	3			3
Safety - Childproofing Products	56	13	33	102
Safety - Fire	4		6	10
Safety - Gates	54	16	18	88
Safety - Water Safety	5	4	6	15
SleepSack / SwaddleMe	253	24	34	311
Grand Total	838	112	173	1,123

**EBC September 2019 E-News:** 



You have a long list of things you do for your children every day because you love them. Making sure your children are safe, that they are in the right car seats or booster seats, and that these are being used correctly every time, should be at the very top of that list. **EBC – Eastside Baby Corner promotes child safety and parent/caregiver support by supplying 1,700 car seats each year to children experiencing homelessness, economic insecurity or family disruption.** 

Motor vehicle crashes are a leading killer of children 12 and younger. From 2013-2017, there were 3,313 children killed while riding in cars, pickups, vans, and SUVs. While fatalities and injuries were both down in 2017 from 2016 – an eight percent decrease in fatalities and an estimated 19 percent

decrease in injuries - there is still more work to do to eliminate these preventable tragedies.

That's why events such as Child Passenger Safety Week, being held September 15th-21st, 2019, are so critical in helping parents and caregivers learn about proper car seat installation, and how to use car seats correctly. Technicians can also discuss car seat selection with parents, if parents have guestions about transitioning their child to another type of seat.

In honor of <u>Child Passenger Safety Week</u>, EBC is hosting a Car Seat Check. **EBC's Car Seat Check will be at our EBC Central Hub in Issaquah from 12 pm - 4 pm this Saturday**, **September 21st, 2019**, which is National Seat Check Saturday (address is 1510 NW Maple Street, Issaquah).

Registration is preferred, but walk-ins are also welcome.

## Register for EBC Car Seat Check

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#### Annual Outcomes Evaluation Survey

Using EBC's Theory of Change & Logic Model, we evaluate our success in an annual outcomes survey which assesses our services and the impact on the recipients we serve. Our outcomes survey is modeled from a peer reviewed study in the Journal of Pediatrics by Massengale, Erausquin and Old which shows that receiving goods like those provided by EBC through its agency partners lead to children being healthier (28%), happier (43%) and reduces parent stress (62%). Based on this research and in partnership with King County's Best Starts for Kids Initiative, we collected baseline results with 106 providers reporting (62% response rate) in 2019. This will be used to measure our impact moving forward. Each year we will collect responses on 8 outcome achievements including increased communication, program retention, reduction of missed visits, improved health outcomes, and resilience in times of stress. 77.12% of providers surveyed in 2019 stated that EBC goods improved the health outcomes for children. In addition, our fulfillment measurement will be used to assess that we have met the needs of the families and agency partners for basic essentials for children (birth through age 12) including diapers, formula, car seats, school supplies, clothing, shoes etc. A 90-95%

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fulfillment rate of orders received equates to families having access to goods which promote healthy physical, safe, emotional and cognitive development of children. Through our online ordering system, we have established baselines to track the increases and decreases in both the types and the amounts of items distributed, and the received orders filled or not filled. Through our collaborative model, provision of goods assists and supports the work of human service agencies across central Puget Sound.

#### COVID-19 Update

In March, EBC qualified to remain open as an essential public health business. EBC surveyed our provider partners who strongly requested that we remain open and address urgent concerns of the community. EBC experienced a "rollercoaster" of orders for the first month, some weeks very busy and others very quiet, as providers and agencies formulated plans of how to address the pandemic and how best to serve their clients and operational needs. EBC is now providing 2000+ orders per week and in addition to our regular order deliver model, has created a Rapid Response system, which serves to reduce barriers and allow partners in affected communities access essential goods more frequently and quickly.

We are deeply grateful to Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions for your support of EBC. With your help, we are able to give children in Puget Sound a safer start in life. You have helped families keep their children safe and provide for them in times of need. Thank you.

