

Our Core Values

The following list of Core Values reflects what is truly important to us.



These values do not change from time to time, person to person, or situation to situation; they represent our best practices.

Pono - to do what is “right”

Alaka’i - to show “leadership”

Ha’aha’a - to have “humility”

Kokua - to be “helpful”

Laulima - to be “cooperative”

Akamai - to be “wise”

Lokahi - to achieve “unity”



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“To support families and communities in providing love and care for our children”

Program Overview

Our programs are designed to provide a safe and nurturing environment along with access to opportunities, experiences, and services for youth participants and their families. The success of our programs relies on the commitment and continual participation of the youth.

Search Institute's 40 Developmental Assets are concrete, common sense, positive experiences and qualities that are essential to raising successful young people. These assets host the framework of our programs' design and provide statistical measurements for participant progress and deficiency.

Funding for our programs are provided by the State of Hawaii's Office of Youth Services and Family Support Hawaii, and is offered at no cost to participants.



All for one and one for all. . .

Our Programs

Our **Positive Youth Development Program** is an after school enrichment program located at Kealakehe Intermediate School. The program offers a multi-disciplinary approach to learning by facilitating activities focused around arts and culture, youth leadership, service learning, life skills management, career exploration, financial literacy, environmental education, health, fitness and recreation. The program is operated from 2:30 pm to 5:00 pm on all regularly scheduled school days.

*For more information about this program, call
(808) 334-4156 or (808) 334-4174*

Ho'omana Nā 'Ōpio supports students at Kealakehe Intermediate School by providing support to reduce or prevent absenteeism and truancy. The service helps create an environment where students can confidentially and openly discuss their experiences both in and out of school. Services also include life skills management training, connection to school and community resources and opportunities to participate in activities that utilize the unique abilities of each student.

*For more information about this program, call
(808) 334-4132*

Our **Education/Vocation Program** offers comprehensive services to at-risk youth between the ages of 15 and 19. Participants engage in responsible decision making, transform previously delinquent behavior into positive leadership behavior and develop a positive sense of self. Participants receive support in securing vocational placement as well as planning for continuing higher education.

*For more information about this program, call
(808) 334-4132*

Division Overview

Family Support Hawaii's Youth Development Division reaches out to the youth of our community by providing an array of activities and opportunities which:

- Build life and leadership skills
- Foster cultural awareness and identity
- Enhance academic performance
- Promote physical fitness
- Support family strengthening activities
- Promote service learning opportunities



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