



Partners for Our Communities (POC)
presents
**Evening Programs and Services
at the Higgins Education Center**



POC's mission is to connect people with services and resources to build a community of empowered people, healthy families, and vibrant neighborhoods. POC coordinates services at the Higgins Education Center through collaboration with vital community partners, including:

Amita Health Care	Schaumburg /Hoffman Estates Rotary
Chicago Community Trust	Schaumburg Public Library
Children's Advocacy Center	Schaumburg Township
Community Consolidated School District 54	The Bridge Youth & Family Services
Harper College	Township High School District 211
Hoffman Estates Park District	United Way
Kenneth Young Center	Village of Hoffman Estates
Northwest Community Hospital	Village of Schaumburg
Representative Michelle Mussman	WINGS
	Zurich Insurance

POC Information and Referral - POC staff is available to answer questions about community agencies, programs and general assistance.

Family Learning Lab offers mentoring and tutoring for all ages, employment assistance, computer and financial literacy, parenting classes, crafting, leadership development and childcare.

Health and Wellness includes outreach, information and special programs by our community health nurse.

Social Services includes short-term counseling and referrals, group support, and immigration services

POC at Higgins Education Center

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**Partners for Our Communities
Programs Summary
At**

The Higgins Education Center

2015-2016



POC at the Higgins Education Center had over 1,000 client interactions this year, including:

Health and Wellness –

- Chat and Crochet - 89
- Social Skills and Art Therapy - 30
- Family Matters - 20
- Northwest Community Hospital Promotoras de Salud - 63
- Community Health Nurse - 27
- Pilates and English - 28
- Zumba - 35

Adult Education –

- Learning Lab programs - 97
- Plaza de Comunitaria - 6

STEM –

- Cog-Keys -133

Childcare –

- Is offered for every program at the center and POC had 172 client interactions with children, while their parents attended classes to better themselves.

Resource and Referral –

- Connected 31 people with community resources.

Teen Advisory –

- 15 high school students committed to help raise funds and awareness for Higgins.

Other activities included the Halloween Trunk or Treat, Holiday celebrations, Book Drive, and Job and Services Fair. POC had 300 client interactions for these activities.