

Love Your Neighbor(hood) by Helping Children and Families Flourish



Don't Reinvent the Wheel!

Accelerate and Improve your faith community's positive Impact by using the **ACEs & Resilience Resource Commons for Communities (ARRCC)**.

There is no simple solution for reducing and addressing **Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)**, but there are many things that communities can do to reduce that trauma and improve the resilience of infants, children and youth. The ARRCC makes it easier to do more, faster.



The **ARRCC** is a specialized wiki, built on the same technology platform as Wikipedia®. It is designed to help reduce the time needed to plan and implement a wide range of helpful actions. The **ARRCC** is free to use, and most of the resources shared in the ARRCC wiki are also free to use. The content is especially designed for people working to develop and implement strategies that can impact large number of families and individuals in your community.

Watch this 7-minute video tour that focuses on the strategy map for faith communities.

Think of this as a menu of choices you can pick from as part of a larger team in your community. **Visit the ARRCC here.**

Five Ways Faith Communities can Use the ARRCC to Love their Neighbors.

1. Explore the strategy map for **Expanding Trauma-Informed Faith Communities**. This lays out a rich array of strategies that can be done by individual faith communities or that can help launch or strengthen a community-wide movement. Each place there is a + in the lower right corner of an objective, you can click the + to go into more details.
2. Pick one area from the Faith Community strategy map where you can launch or expand a program, ministry or action in your organization. You can always start additional things later. If there is not already good content there, you can team up with others to add information and resources that will benefit those who come after you.
3. Join as a volunteer to build out details across many of the strategy map objectives. Last year, we built the framework and some content, but this is the year to build out many more details—sharing tools, ideas, success stories, resources and lessons learned.
4. Embrace one of the ways you can help your community **Increase Positive Recreation Opportunities for Youth**.
5. Help support ways that members and neighbors who have infants, toddlers, and pre-schoolers can **develop pre-literacy skills**.

Share this resource with others in your community working on early childhood development, reducing childhood adversity, helping with youth mental health or other related topics.

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