# Florence Crittenton High School

Educating, Preparing, and Empowering Teen Mothers and Their Children



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Providing comprehensive support for pregnant and parenting teen moms through our:

#### Academic Benefits

- DPS curriculum and diploma, with concurrent college
  enrollment options
  - Maternity leave for new moms
  - Career Pathways exploration
  - Each teen mother receives a Chromebook
    - Individual post-secondary guidance
  - MedConnect and Phlebotomy programs on-site
    - On-site GED classes
    - Transportation support
- Staff trained to support a trauma-informed campus
  - Regular student assemblies
  - Rewards for showing campus values

#### **On-Site Health Center and Dental Clinic**

- Health Center open Monday-Friday 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- Dental Clinic open Tuesday-Thursday 7:30 a.m-4:00 p.m.
- Breastfeeding support and individual health counseling
- Dental exams and cleanings for moms and kids
- Pediatric and obstetric services for teen moms and their children

# Student & Family Support Program

#### Involving families to support student/child success, including:

- Free on-site mental health counseling
- Bilingual Spanish Mental Health
- Diapers, wipes, and gently used baby clothing
  - Health and Self-Care classes
  - Nutrition and Cooking classes
  - Housing Education and Support

- On-site Legal Clinic
- $\bullet$  On-site financial education and tax help
  - Monthly family engagement events
    - Referrals for young dads
- Links to community resources for housing, food, formula and other basic needs



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### Early Childhood Education Center

#### Providing high quality education for children of teen moms ages 6 weeks to 5 years old:

- 10 classrooms for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers
  - Highly trained teachers
- Family-style meals promoting healthy eating habits
  - Breastfeeding support
  - Lunchtime family engagement events
  - Free book lending program for teen moms and children
- Home visiting through Early Head Start programs
- ITERS rating scale in the preschool classroom with Colorado Shines

• Creative Curriculum facilitated by teachers to support the Objectives for Development as outlined by My Teaching Strategies (GOLD)

- Classroom environments structured to meet the highest standards on the Early Childhood Environment Rating Scale (ECERS)
  - Support accessing early intervention services as needed through Child Find
    - Child Development Classes

### Transportation

• All eligible moms are provided with RTD bus passes • Assistance with car seats and strollers • Shuttle service to bus and light rail stops

### **About Florence Crittenton Services**

The Florence Crittenton (FloCrit) Campus is a truly unique and amazing center of multi-generational support for teen families. It is more than a school. It is a place where young moms can transform their lives—not only for themselves, but for their children and family members. The FloCrit Campus is supported by an on-site non-profit organization, Florence Crittenton Services, that raises \$3 million every year in private funding to help these young families. Denver Public Schools provides the high school education; Florence Crittenton Services provides all of the amazing child care and wraparound support. It is one of the most successful public-private partnerships in the state of Colorado. As a result, we more than double the chances of our young moms graduating high school, as compared to the national average

### Are You a Teen Mom?

Are you or a young parent you know interested in Florence Crittenton? Tour the campus and learn how to enroll yourself and/or your child by submitting <u>this form</u> or calling 720-423-8903.

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