

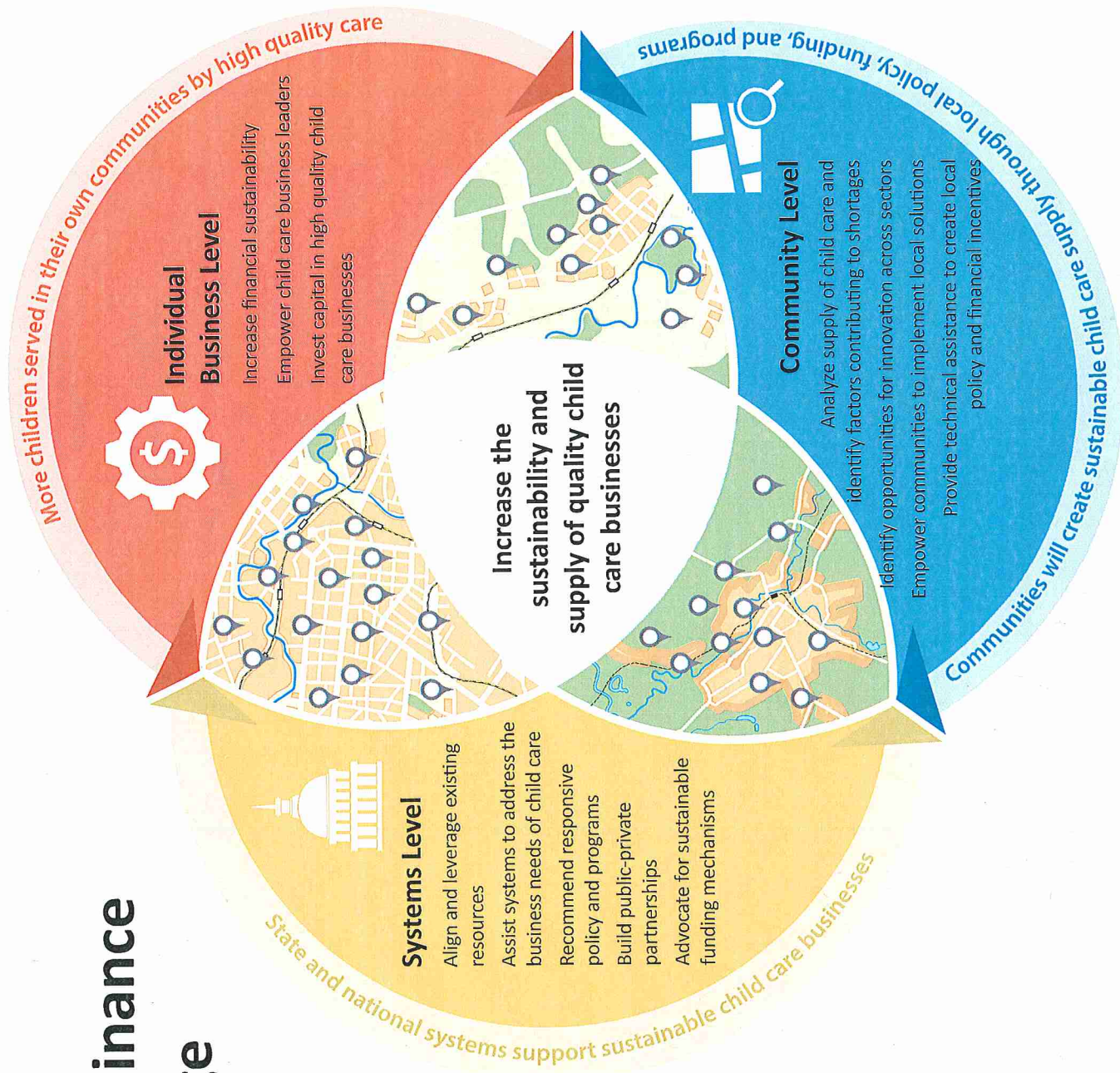
First Children's Finance

Theory of Change

Multi-level Approach

This picture depicts our organization's theory of change. It's a visual map of the need for understanding of the need for business support for child care businesses, how we plan to address that need, and the long-term change we seek to effect with our programs and services.

Our theory of change is a tool that helps communicate a complex and multi-layered approach to supporting the business side of child care. It is evolving based on the factors impacting the quality, cost and accessibility of child care in communities.





LOAN PROGRAM

About Us

For more than 27 years, First Children's Finance (FCF) has worked to create, support and expand affordable, high-quality child care options for communities.

We make loans to child care and early education businesses to finance new programs or support expansion of existing ones.

Why Partner?

FCF understands the cost and complexity of the child care industry. As an FCF partner, you will have access to our industry knowledge and resources. **FCF offers:**

- Needs Assessment and Feasibility Studies
- Cost Modeling and Fiscal Analysis
- Gap Financing
- Loan Partnership = Risk Mitigation
- Opportunities to Finance Businesses That Provide Vital Community Services

Benefits To Borrowers

FCF offers FREE in-person and over the phone business support to clients for the life of the loan!

Services include:

- Strategic Business Review
- Operational Analysis
- One on One Consultations
- Financial Management
- Marketing and Branding Analysis
- Policy and Procedure Review, and more

Our Impact



340

Loans Closed



\$11,733,402

in Loans Disbursed



12,635

Childcare Slots
Created/Retained



1,791

Jobs Created/ Retained

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