

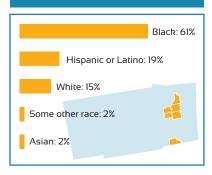
# **Broward UP Promise Neighborhoods**

Broward County, Florida

Broward

**PROMISE NEIGHBORHOODS** BROWARD COLLEGE®

Community Composition



Broward College, Broward County Public Schools—the sixth-largest school district in the nation—and community and municipal partners began a movement in Broward County, Florida, to ensure everyone, no matter where they live or the color of their skin, has the opportunity to realize their unlimited potential (UP). Broward UP Promise Neighborhoods leverage a community-focused approach to promote postsecondary education in areas most affected by intergenerational poverty. They were launched by Broward College president Gregory Adam Haile and 19 other community leaders in September 2018.

# **Pipeline**

## Early Childhood Education (ECE)



300 families are served annually by Broward

UP's partners

Jack & Jill Children's Center and Broward College enroll both young children and their families:

O Jack & Jill offers preK children instruction aligned with Florida's Benchmarks for Excellent Student Thinking standards.

Select Strategies

O Broward College provides families with integrated workforce and parenting skills training.

Partners provide programs to meet students'

tutoring, progress monitoring, and credit

holistic needs through mentoring, advisement,



in footprint

children in ECE

children 58,199 in K-12



\$47,681 Median household income

schools in

**Broward UP** 



18% below poverty level

#### K-12 Education



is the target high school graduation rate for Broward UP

95%

### College and Career Readiness



43% of public high school graduates enrolled in a postsecondary institution

# or program in 2020-21

# Workforce and Business Development



50% of people reported unemployment in some areas after the COVID-19 pandemic Broward College serves as a main hub of

recovery program assistance.

education in the county.

- O College Mentors support people returning to pursue postsecondary education.
- O Basic Education and GED Attainment programs are available to youth, parents, and community
- Broward College offers English language instruction to youth, families, and community members through an integrated workforce education model.
- O Partners such as Hispanic Unity and the Urban League help families navigate language barriers.
- Family workshops about college and the workforce are offered in several languages.



Innovative Strategy **Spotlight** 

Broward UP's comprehensive two-generation (2-gen), community-centric model delivers key solutions along the cradle-to-career pipeline for children, families, and community members. One strategy that embodies this 2-gen approach is the Family Navigator program. The Family Navigator is the primary point of contact for families to interact with the Broward UP network. By addressing the needs of students and their families and connecting partners to better serve the whole family unit, the Family Navigator program inherently takes a 2-gen approach.