



Community Assessment Referral & Education
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NEWS RELEASE

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The Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan has awarded Community Assessment Referral & Education (CARE) a \$25,000 grant to expand student assistance services into the NE area of Wayne County, namely the Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods. CARE has formed a partnership with the Children's Home of Detroit to transition programs that they have offered in the community. CARE, celebrating 30 years of service, has provided parent education, anger management classes and alcohol, tobacco and other drug information in the schools since 1977. CARE also offers free assessments and referrals to substance abuse and mental health treatment for Macomb County School Districts through its Student Assistance component. The grant from the Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan will allow for an expansion of services in Macomb County, the five Grosse Pointes municipalities and Harper Woods.

The Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan, governed by a board of 50 community leaders, works to improve the quality of life in southeast Michigan by supporting a wide variety of activities benefiting education, arts and culture, health, human services community development and civic affairs. The Foundation Web site is www.cfsem.org.