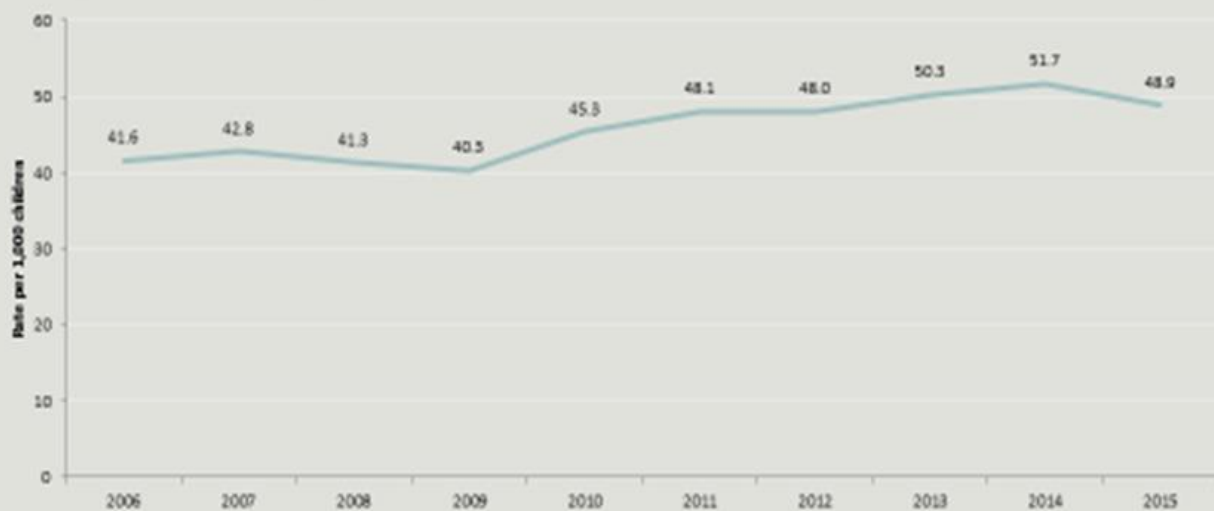


# **Strengthening Family and Community Resilience to Prevent Child Abuse and Neglect**

**Presentation to Board of Health  
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# Child Abuse

Figure 29. Child Abuse and Neglect, Spokane County



Source: DSHS

# What is the role of SRHD?

## **FUNCTIONS**

Generating awareness, catalyzing action

Data Center support (data, measurement and evaluation) for organizations in a position to impact

Convening community

## **FOCUS**

On the well-being of children

- Healthy childhood development
- Healthy families
- Supportive local communities

On the well-being of the most marginalized communities (i.e. inequity)

- Promoting resilience among the most vulnerable children, families, neighborhoods

# Healthy childhood development

**Build healthy and secure attachments between children and their caregivers**

- **Nurse Family Partnership (NFP)**
- **WIC Nutrition Program**
- **Parenting from the Heart**
- **Kaleidoscope Play and Learn**

# Healthy families

## Increase social connections among parents

- Kaleidoscope Play and Learn
- Safe Routes to School

# Supportive local communities

## Increase social connections in communities

- **Neighborhoods Matter**

# Trauma-informed systems

**Work with systems to become more trauma-informed**

- **Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS)**
- **Airway Heights Police Department**
- **Probation (City and County)**

# Generate awareness, catalyze action

**Continue to participate in collaborative efforts to prevent child abuse and neglect in Spokane County**

- **Spokane Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect (SPO-CAN) Council**



# Tools

## 1-2-3 CARE: A Trauma-Sensitive Toolkit for Caregivers of Children

[www.srhd.org/123Care.asp](http://www.srhd.org/123Care.asp)

# QUESTIONS?