What is the Family Recovery Support Center?
The Family Recovery Support Center is a drop-in center located in outer Southeast Portland. Families regularly access this center not only for services, but to meet and develop relationships with other families in recovery. This program is a necessary and strategic component essential for Oregon’s recovery-oriented system of care for families involved with the child welfare system. Since 2008, the Family Recovery Support Center has helped more than 465 parents and 1,200 children sustain their recovery and maintain healthy families after treatment. The trauma-informed menu of services includes family therapy, counseling, case management, parenting services, access to community resources, childcare and self-help support such as Parents Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous.

What is the Bang-for-My-Buck?
The Family Recovery Support Center maintains a small staff that includes a licensed Family Therapist, Resource Specialist and Childcare Workers. Costs to operate the program (staff, facilities, etc.) average about $250k per year. For a small investment, the program is able to assist families in maintaining recovery and keep families from re-entering the costly child welfare and/or criminal justice systems.