

The Mentoring Effect

Changing the course of young lives changes the future of communities. By every measure, Big Brothers Big Sisters returns positive results in the mental health, employment and civic engagement of the recipients of our mentoring programs.



17% more likely to be employed

47% hold senior leadership positions

5315,000 higher earnings

5315,000 higher lifetime income

80% pursue healthy lifestyles

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87% have strong social networks

30% more time volunteering

13% more likely to volunteer

Social Return on Investment Study

To assess the economic benefits of our programs, The Boston Consulting Group undertook a multi-stage study that compares the outcomes of children who participated in community 1-on-1 programs with those that did not.

SOCIAL RETURN ON INVESTMENT



18:1

\$1 invested in mentoring by Big Brothers Big Sisters returns \$18 to society *

* Among economically disadvantaged groups, \$1 invested in mentoring by Big Brothers Big Sisters returns \$23 to society.