



Jim Mason

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Professional History

- Beech Acres Parenting Center
- Children's Home

Education

- M.A., Rehabilitation Counseling, Michigan State University
- B.S., Education, Ohio State University

Certification

- Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor

Over his 32 years as President & CEO of Beech Acres Parenting Center, Jim Mason led the organization through an evolution from a 19th century orphanage to the 21st century parenting center it is today. Each of several transformations under his stewardship had the effect of deepening and expanding its mission, while shifting the approach from fixing children's deficits to building on their strengths, and improving the community systems which care for them.

For years, Jim partnered with other community leaders to create numerous local, state and national coalitions designed to improve service quality for vulnerable children and their families. His leadership in the community and State of Ohio has been recognized by several groups, including the Ohio Children's Alliance, NAMI Southwest Ohio, PreventionFIRST, Vistage International's CEO Lifetime Achievement Award, and the Leadership in Mental Health Award conferred by the Hamilton County Mental Health & Recovery Services Board.

Jim is past board chair of Voices for Ohio's Children, the Ohio Children's Alliance, and the Child Welfare League of America. He also served on the board of the Children's Home Society of America and the Joining Forces for Children Steering Committee. Today, he serves on the board of Purcell Marian High School.

OneSource Experience

As a new volunteer, Jim looks forward to being part of board development and leadership development projects, as well as being a coach for the EXCEL program.