

Celebrating 25 Years

In 2022, the National Children's Center celebrated 25 years since its establishment with major funding from the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). The National Children's Center is the only NIOSH agricultural center that is both national and focused solely on childhood agricultural safety and health.

2022: National Children's Center celebrates 25 years!

2020: National Children's Center funded by NIOSH for fifth consecutive cycle.



2017: Agricultural Youth Work Guidelines debuted – updated guidelines based on the North American Guidelines for Children's Agricultural Tasks.



2015: AgInjuryNews.org, an interactive online tool built with publicly-available child ag injury news reports, goes live.

2013: Cultivate Safety website launched to provide adults with evidence-based strategies on how to keep children safe while they work and play on farms. The website includes videos and easy-to-use information about child development and best-practice work guidelines.



2013: "Parent First, Farmer Second" media campaign wins National Agri-Marketing Association awards for radio, print ads.

2012: Published interactive Web guide, "Integrating Safety into Agritourism," based upon 2007 publication, "Agritourism Health and Safety Guidelines for Children."

2012: Published "Blueprint for Protecting Children in Agriculture: The 2012 National Action Plan."

1992: National Childhood Agricultural Injury Prevention Symposium convened by National Farm Medicine Center in Marshfield, Wis. National Farm Medicine Center funded by Federal Maternal and Child Health Bureau as a Children's Safety Network Rural Center.



Barbara Lee meets with Congressman Dave Obey in 1996.

1997: National Children's Center for Rural and Agricultural Health and Safety formally established with five-year competitive grant from NIOSH.

1999: Released North American Guidelines for Children's Agricultural Tasks (NAGCAT) at national conference with radio celebrity Orion Samuelson.



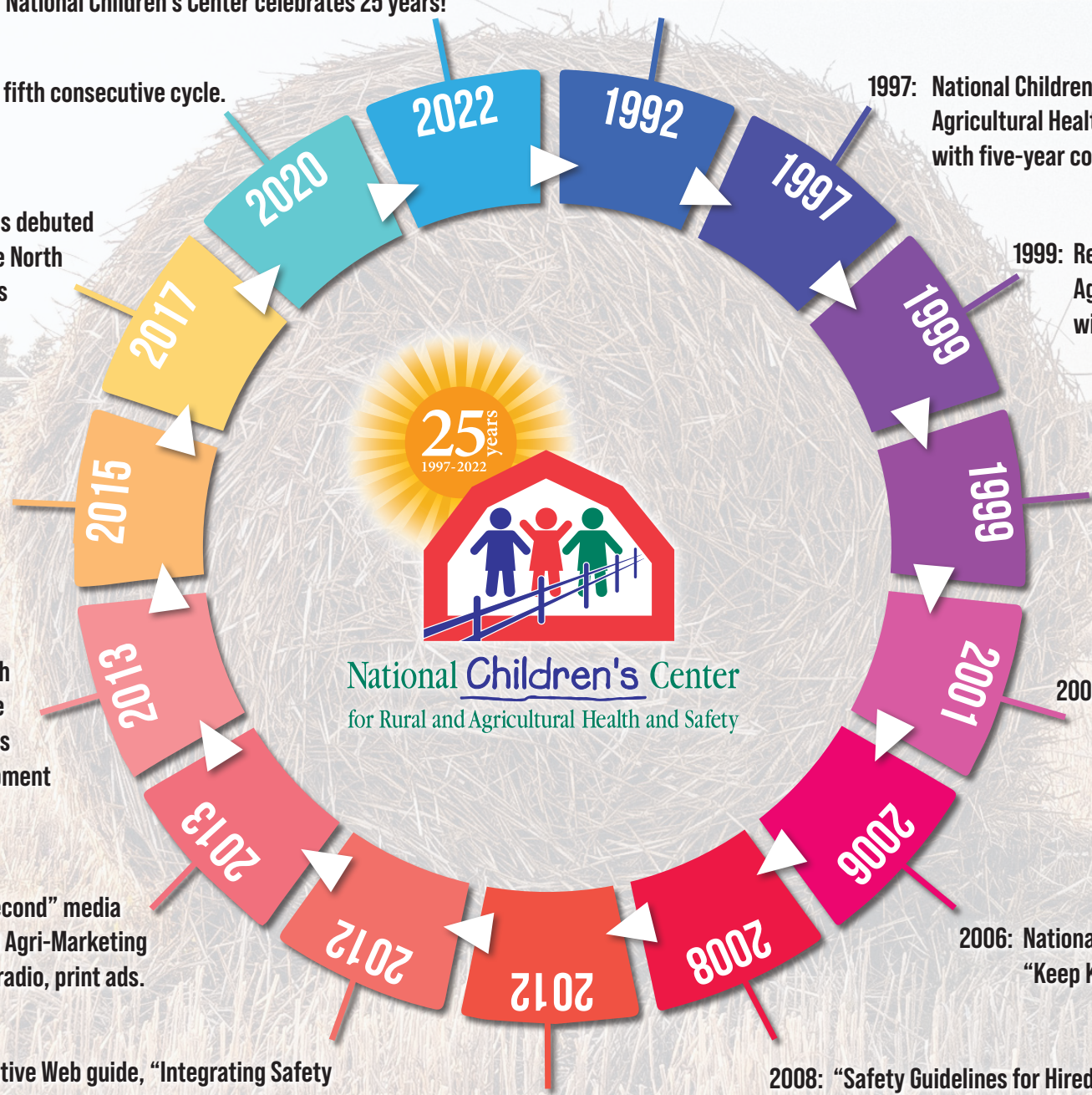
1999: Childhood Agricultural Safety Network (CASN) established by National Children's Center.

2001: Led the National Adolescent Farmworker Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Committee, which in 2001 published, "Migrant and Seasonal Hired Adolescent Farmworkers: A Plan to Improve Working Conditions."

2006: National public awareness campaign, "Keep Kids Away from Tractors" launched.



2008: "Safety Guidelines for Hired Adolescent Farm Workers (SaGHAF)" released.



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