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## Family Justice Center is seeking to cast a wider net

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Meera Ballal, executive director of the Bexar County Family Justice Center, says the organization is working to expand its child therapy services, its civil legal services and to help more victims of domestic violence rebuild their lives.

Ballal says she hopes to do this by seeking more funds through grant writing, fundraisers and by partnering with other organizations.

The Family Justice Center took one step toward this goal by obtaining a \$20,000 grant from H-E-B earlier this year to develop a new child therapy center.

The center was equipped with office furniture, a puppet theater, chalkboards, and toys through the efforts of airmen Senior Master Sgt. Carianne Melnick and Staff Sgt. Aidaliz Lagueux of the Randolph Air Force Base Air Force Personnel Center and members of the local community.



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Meera Ballal of the Bexar County Family Justice Center is seeking to take her organization to the next level.

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