## **ANNUAL REPORT** 2022 Fiscal Year

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# FROM OUR CEO

Dear Friends and Supporters,

This report highlights our mission through a closer look at our children, programs, advocates and donors. It is these partnerships that have helped us continue our mission of advocating for the well-being and rights of foster children in our community.

Just like in year's past, 2022 Child Advocates worked tirelessly to provide a voice to children who have experienced abuse or neglect. Our dedicated team has remained steadfast in their commitment to ensuring the safety and welfare of vulnerable children.

We are proud of the work we have made in the past year and express our gratitude to the individuals, organizations and community members who have supported us along the way. Together, we have made an impact on the lives of countless families, and we remain dedicated to pursuing our mission with renewed passion and determination.

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to continuing this journey together as we strive to create a brighter future for the children we serve.

Sincerely,

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Sonya Galvan CEO, Child Advocates



# OUR CHILDREN AND PROGRAMS

## 3X MORE LIKELY TO ABUSE DRUGS <sup>[1]</sup>

5,622 CONFIRMED VICTIMS OF ABUSE IN HARRIS COUNTY<sup>[2]</sup>

5 CHILDREN DIE EVERY DAY BECAUSE OF CHILD ABUSE<sup>[3]</sup>

### TEMPORARY MANAGING CONSERVATORSHIP (TMC)

Children who have suffered life-threatening abuse or neglect are removed from their homes by Child Protective Services (CPS) and placed into foster homes. These children will remain in a foster home with the state as the temporary managing conservator until a Harris County judge decides where the child will live permanently. State law mandates a decision must be made regarding the child's permanent placement within 12 months of the date of removal, with the possibility for two sixmonth extensions. Our advocates are appointed to these cases the most and visit the children monthly, attend court guarterly, prepare for trial and search for permanent homes.

### PERMANENT MANAGING CONSERVATORSHIP (PMC)

Children not returned to their parents remain in a foster home with the state named the permanent managing conservator. This refers to children who stay in long-term foster care.

Our advocates visit the children monthly and attend court to report on the well-being of the children. The primary purpose of an advocate in these cases is to ensure the children's educational, psychological and medical needs are being met while also planning for the children's future needs. COLLABORATIVE FAMILY ENGAGEMENT (CFE)

Children in foster care may be assigned a Collaborative Family Engagement team. CFE is an integrated approach between Child Advocates and Child Protective Services. All groups associated with the child's case work together to complete the steps of Family Finding in a formal and guided manner.

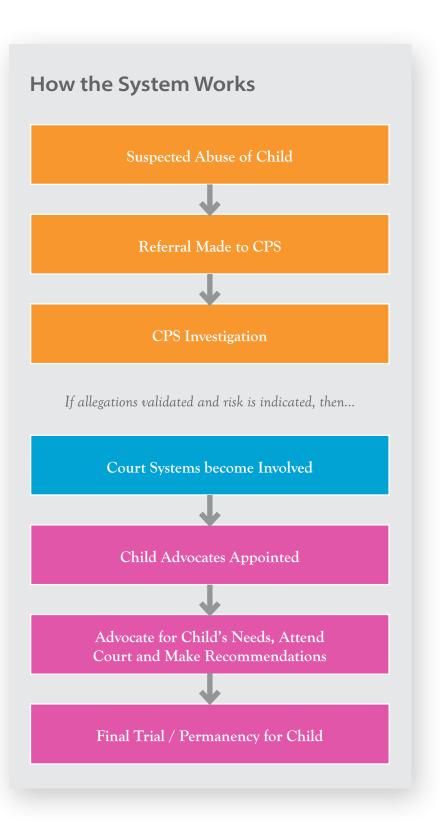
Open communication and collaboration amongst the CFE team occur, emphasizing utilizing the child's advocate. This approach models the need for a community of support around the children. CFE can often take 'finding of the family' further with this dedicated approach.

### DRUG COURT

Drug Court (Family Intervention Court/Infant Toddler Court) is an intensive substance abuse recovery program for parents with substance abuse problems committed to recovery. The program's primary goal is reunification of the children with their parents. Drug Court works in a team-oriented approach to ensure the success of participants. The team consists of therapists, substance abuse treatment providers, recovery coaches, employment assistance, CPS, Child Advocates, attorneys and judges, as well as the Drug Court staff. Child Advocates' role intensifies in Drug Court cases. Our advocates attend weekly hearings and visit with the children twice per month. The children are often returned home to their parents sooner, so advocates spend more time working with the parents and children to ensure this is in the children's best interest.

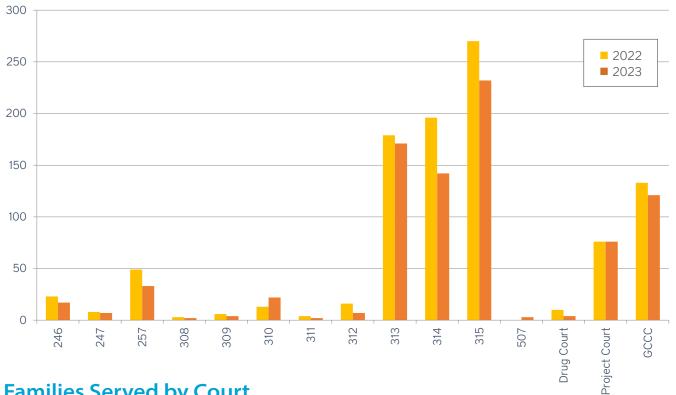
### DUAL STATUS

This program focuses on "dually involved" youth those concurrently involved in the child protective and juvenile justice systems. The children in these cases need more attention than in a typical case since they face juvenile offenses. Their advocates maintain their keeping in communication with their probation officer and ad litem, as well as attending additional hearings for criminal matters. There are more people to collaborate with, and more care is needed to help our dual-status children get back on track and find a stable home.

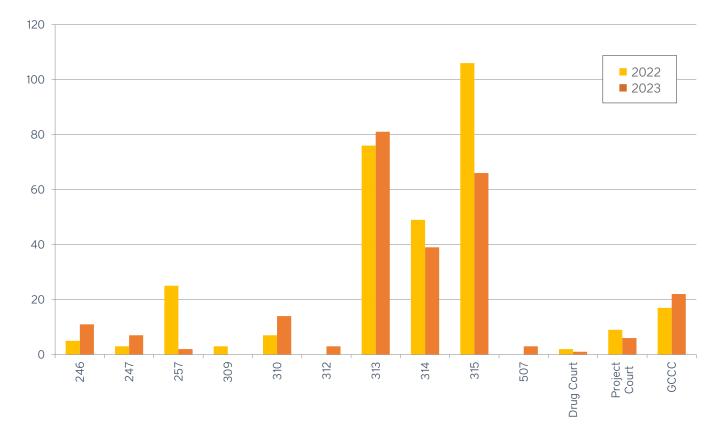


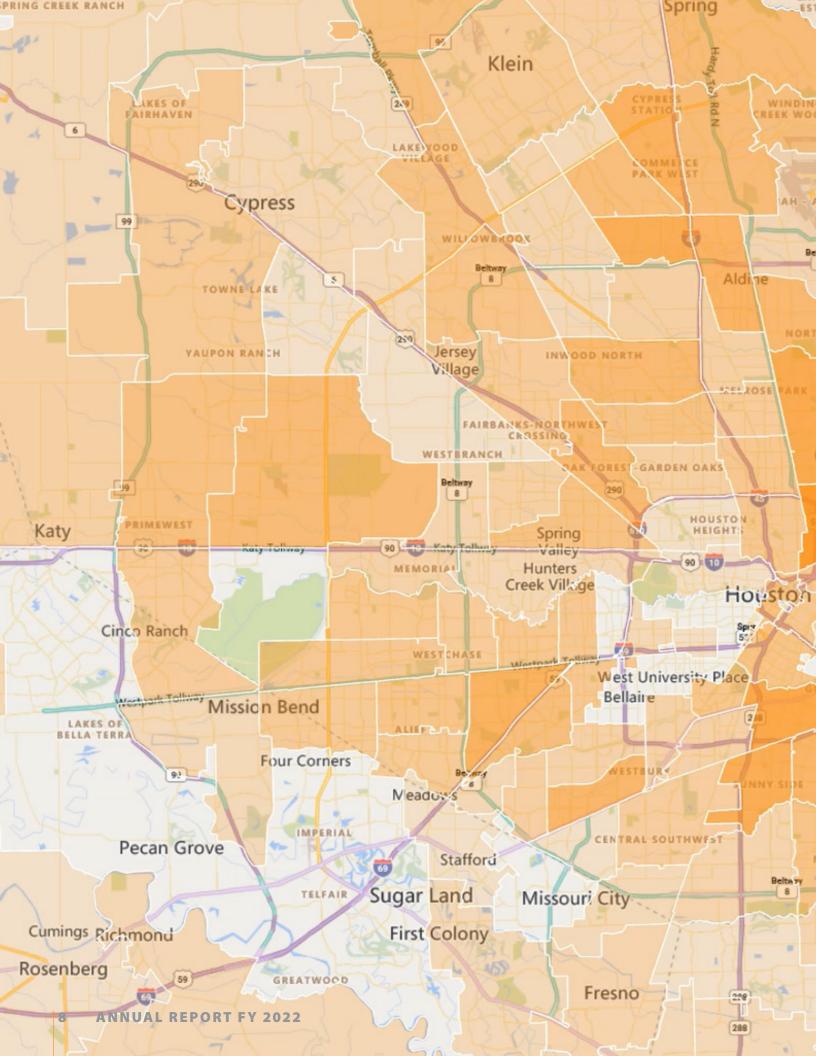
843 UNIQUE FAMILIES SERVED 13 APPOINTING COURTS 255 NEW REFFERALS

### **Referrals Recieved by Court**



### Families Served by Court





**Children Served** by Zip Code

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LE CAMI

Deer Park

Lyndon

Johnson

San Jacint River-

Humble

# WE HELPED 1,467 CHILDREN **ACROSS THE** GREATER **HOUSTON AREA.**

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99

Galveston Bay

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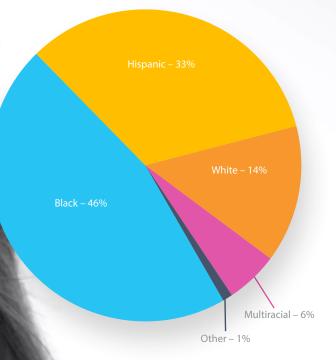
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Space Cente Vebster **CHILD ADVOCATES** 9 Friendswood

Seabrook

La Porte

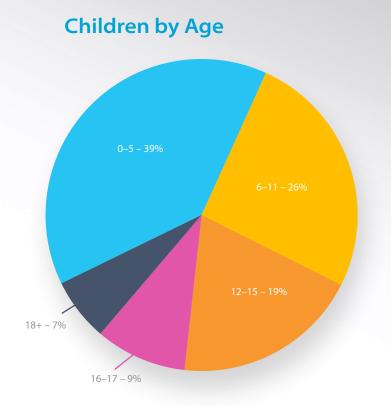
### **Children by Race**



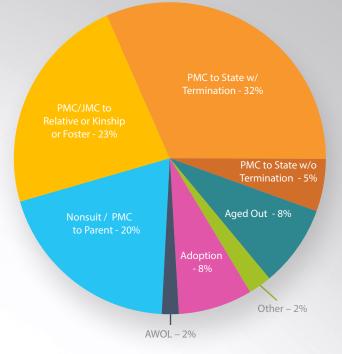
## 1,467 CHILDREN HELPED

55% of the children served were male

95% of the children helped come from low or extremely low income homes

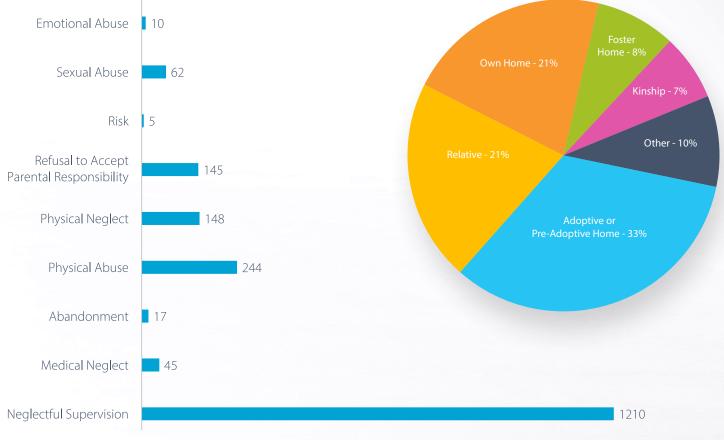


### **Outcome of Closed Cases**



### **Children by Types of Abuse**

## Placement at Close of Case



Many children experience multiple types of abuse.



# OUR ADVOCATES

### The people who make us, us.

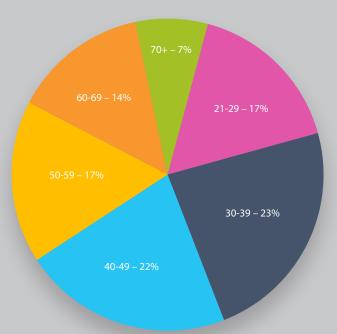
Our children are at the heart of our mission, but our advocates are the pulse. They keep us going daily; Child Advocates would not be who we are without these individuals.

Each advocate is an individual committed to our mission like no other. While they could spend their time in countless ways, each one chooses to dedicate it to Houston's abused children.

### After completing 30 hours of training, interviews and background checks, each advocate is matched with a case and a coordinator on our staff to guide them. They study the case file and get to know the children in their care. Throughout a case, they spend time each month driving to visit their children, meeting with various parties in the children's lives, working with their coordinator to understand the ins and outs of the child welfare system and testifying in court. But our advocates do so much more.

They dry tears and give hugs and throw birthday parties, too. Most importantly, they serve as a 'constant' person for the children to count on during this tumultuous time. Our advocates do whatever it takes to ensure that the needs of the children are being met while they are in care.

The role of an advocate is more than most typical volunteer roles. Each of our advocates invests their energy, time and heart to ensure that our children's best interests are met.



### Advocates by Age

THE MAJORITY

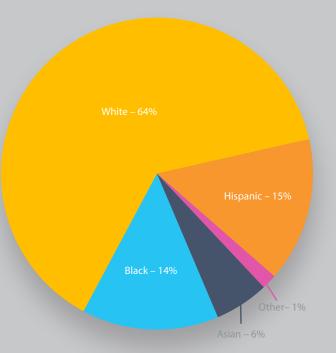
**ADVOCATES** 

**OF OUR** 

WORK

**FULLTIME** 

### **Advocates by Race**



### **Child Advocates Highest Honors**



Each year, Child Advocates presents awards to two deserving volunteers: the James A. Gwinn Volunteer of the Year award, awarded to an outstanding veteran volunteer, and the Rookie of the Year award, awarded to a new volunteer who has demonstrated exemplary commitment. **2022** James A. Gwinn Volunteer of the Year - Judy Blissard Judy has been a dedicated advocate since 2011 and has served twenty-one children. As an advocate, Judy has great initiative and

Her dedication and faithfulness to the children she serves is inspirational. When others may walk away, she stays.

independence, but she also is a great collaborator.

In addition to her casework, Judy has been an active ambassador of Child Advocates. She has helped plan and organize grad school presentations, served in our mentor program and regularly attended children's events like our Holiday Party and Childspree. The Child Advocates staff loves working with Judy and is so grateful for her years of service as an advocate.

### 2022 Rookie of the Year - Steven Kochvar

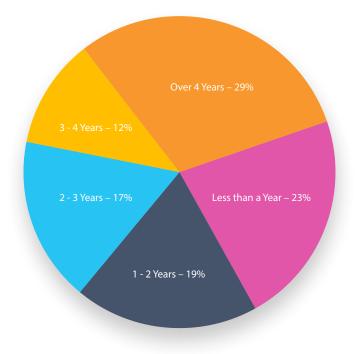
Steven graduated from Advocacy University in September of 2021 and accepted his first case that same day. Since then, Steven has worked diligently on behalf of a seventeen-year-old young man with autism.

Sam's first case has been complicated and involves many issues and agencies. Despite that, Steven has remained in contact with each of these. He has worked diligently to make sure the child's best interest is everyone's top priority. But one of the things Steven is best at is connecting and communicating with the child on his case. He is respectful and thoughtful and meets the child where he is. The deep trust and bond between them is evident.

Although he is a brand-new guardian ad litem, Steven has handled this case thoroughly, efficiently and professionally. We could not be more grateful for Steven's dedication and service as an advocate.

641 ACTIVE ADVOCATES 45,26,0 HOURS GIVEN AS ADVOCATES 125 NEW ADVOCATES TRAINED

### **Advocates by Tenure**



Houston is one of the most culturally diverse cities in the country, and our advocates can speak a total of eight different languages, further ensuring that a child's voice will be heard. In 2022, these extraordinary individuals have given consistently of their time for five years or more. Thank you for your continued service as a court appointed advocate.

#### 20 YEARS+

Roxanne Barton Andrew Chu Zack Coapland Renee Kariv Duane King Dawn Rodriguez Frank Rosie Les Schmaltz Wanda Williams

### 15 - 19 YEARS

Marcus Chery Erika De La Garza Cyndi Diller Kaija Emmons Dave Gutacker Rita Irani Lorna Muniz-Paz Cheryl Powers Jill Ritter LaTasha Rothschild Lyn Schmaltz Victoria Varner Scott Washburn

#### 10 - 14 YEARS

Clarinda Bell-Fletcher Judy Blissard Emilie Booth Suzanne Byerley Kim Carter Cheri Castillo Moira Castro Beresford Clarke Kevin Cline Brandy Copley Kathi Davis Mabel Delgado Madeline DiFraia Ashley Dominguez Nancy Epstein

Pamela Fazzone Terry Gray Robert Heine Linda Heitzer Traci Jensen Lyn Jones Kalsev Jurick Suzette Kellv Tina Kirbie Florence Langford Pam Leighton Virginia Lopez Bridgett Matthes Jane Middlebrooks **Ginny Price** Michelle Proffit Susie Pummill Diane Rifai Audrey Seals Jennifer Sizemore Sonia Sonnier LeJoi Toliver Maude Trottie Leo Valk Jolyn Welsh Coy Wheeler

### 5 - 9 YEARS

Damar Adhoch Jennifer Adrien Maria Ahmed Nneka Akpotaire Deborah Alexis Roopal Amin Janie Arevalo Daniela Armenta Dawn Armstrong Nay Armstrong Denise Bailey Missy Balleza Diane Barthlow Sherry Beatty

Ranjana Bedi David Begley Linda Berlinger Encarna Bermejo Nancy Bilderback Mallory N. Bolus Diana Bourgeois Barbara Brennan Sandra Bretting Roxanna Brom Ashley Brooks Jennifer Bruton **Diane Burgess** Deniece Bushell Sonya Byers Lorraine Byrd Kimberly Cabaniss Kellie Carney Ignacio Carrion Avery Carson Leslie Casey Ashley Causey Mayra Cerda Manny Chana Sylan Chang Amy Chenevert Vance Christopher Terri Clark Mathilda Cochran Cathleen Collins Michaela Conner Julie Copple Ernesto Cordova Monica Cordova Andrea Curran Jennifer Daly Vernicessa Darbonne Aditi Datar Chuck Davis Michelle Davis Rebecca Douglass Robyn Drake Betsy Dupree-Kyle Isabel Duran Pedro Duran Macy Dye Renee Edwards Valerie Edwards Chip Evans Barbara Feig Stephanie Felix Jan Ferrell Laurel Finger Steve Flores

Evelyn Fluellen Angela Fountaine- Key Jami Fowler Carolina Fuentes Missy Gerondale Laura Godbold Kristi Gollwitzer Jonathan Gonzalez Nancy Goodson Tabatha Gradnigo Cristina Green Pam Green Marsha Haas Stephen Hallows Cynthia Hammett Dever Hanchera Catherine Hauck Kate Hays Matthew Heckel Madelyn Herman Aida Hernandez Jennifer Hernandez Susan Hill Anita Hochman Gina Holder Chanel Hollowell Bobbi Hoyt John Hundemer Melanie Hutchinson Michelle Jackson Tanya Jackson Olinda Johnson Robert Johnson Tyeisha Johnson Camille Jones Kevin Juengst Tracy Kapiloff Anne Keithlv Andrea Kendrick Lora Kenyon Katie Kienstra Sandra Kim Susan Knoblauch Pam Knox Brenna Kody Marc Kutner Ian Lancaster Renee LeBas Alicia Lee Lauren LeGros Jan Lindley Bonita Lockings Pat London Cherylann Long

Iveth Lopez John Luu Jeff Manley Victoria Matthews Diane Mayes David McClain Ayse McCracken Grant McCracken Jency Medrano Imelda Mejia Jamie Miller Judas Mireles Treena Morgan Erin Nelson Azmine Nimji Robin Noser Monica Ochoa Mimi Peters Kelsie Prevost Maritza Quintero John Rangel Jo-Ann Reilly Jacquelyne Rocan Vicky Rocher Oneida Rodriguez Hardy Roper Jo Ann Rothfelder Richard Rothfelder Steven Ruderman Debra Ruehlen Patricia Ruple Daria Russell Nancy Saad Attra Rabia Samji Tamira Samuel Theresa Sandoval Meghan Sankowski Titi Sanusi Jennifer Saucer Suzy Schaffer Aart Schenau Tanisha Scott Judith Seigal-Paine Suzi Shaber Ekta Shah James Smith Robin Smith Deborah Socorro Jeanne Sommerfeld Sandra Sosa Lisa Speckert Nina Spencer Hannah Steen Sara Strom

Femke Struiksma Patricia Sutton Elizabeth Sweeney Paul Sykes Nancy Talkington Chenita Tayborn Ebhuoma Ozzie Terry Trina Thomas Betty Thottiyil Sara Tirado Samuel Todd Shonda Trishell Debby Tucker Anthony Urbanik Leidy Valencia Casper VanWoerden Vincent Velasquez Monique Velazco Michele Vervoort Marcia Vilas Juliana Villacorta Cheryl Vital Julie Voss Jessica Wachel Brittany Weisser Anne Wheeler John Williams Michelle Williams Simetah Williams Zona Williams Terri Wilson Lauren Winfield Robyn Wolverton Carolyn Wood Kris Woods Deidra Wright Kate Wright Kim Zinnante

as of 12-31-2022

# OUR DOLLARS AND FINANCES

#### 27+ CHILDREN FOR 1 YEAR

Anonymous The Hamill Foundation Harris County Youth & Family Services Division Houston Endowment Inc. Texas CASA, Inc. Victims of Crime Act

#### 10 - 26 CHILDREN FOR 1 YEAR

The Brown Foundation **Building New Foundations** The Ellwood Foundation The Marie M. and James H. Galloway Foundation Terri and Terrence Gee John P. McGovern Foundation Sue and Hobert Plunkett Quanta Services, Inc. Stewart Title Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts TexEx Energy Operating Theta Charity Antiques Show Kathy & Rick Walton Charitable Foundation

#### 5 - 9 CHILDREN FOR 1 YEAR

Anonymous Sally and Vince Burkett The Gordon A. Cain Foundation Harry S. & Isabel C. Cameron Foundation CenterPoint Energy Robert Charles Davis Deacons of Deadwood The Enrico and Sandra di Portanova Charitable Foundation The Gregory Fund Halliburton Charitable Foundation George and Mary Josephine Hamman Foundation Cherie and Alan Hassenflu The Junior League of Houston Lisa and George Kaleh, Sr. Cinda and Jeffrey Lack **MAXIMUS** Foundation Ayse and Grant McCracken

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#### 3 - 4 CHILDREN FOR 1 YEAR

AIG American General Anonymous Texas Trust Burnett Staffing Specialists The Cockrell Family Fund The Bill and Helen Crowder Foundation Laura and Ned Davenport Kimberly and Scott David Rod de Llano Family Foundation Cynthia Diller Enterprise Holdings Foundation First Community Credit Union Beth and John Florence F W Goeke III Charitable Fund Harris County Community Services Department H-E-B Foods Kathryn Heller The Huffington Foundation The Hyzak Family Fund Traci & Derrick Jensen Andrea and Roy Johnson Kiewit The Kiwanis Foundation of Houston **KRJ** Management Jeannie and Nolan Lehmann Main Street Capital Partners, LLC Brian Mandell Mar Family Fund Master Auto Service, Inc. Brandi Maxwell

Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church Trini and O. C. Mendenhall Foundation W.T. and Louise J. Moran Foundation NAI Partners Night Court Terry and Elliott Pew Joy and Paul Posoli Leigh and Clinton Rappole Laura Ryan and Tom Heizer Robert Saltiel Priscilla Saunders Mary Sommerfeld and Madeline Mauk St. Luke's United Methodist Church St. Philip Presbyterian Church Sunnova Energy Corporation Welela Tereffe leff and Dolly Thomas H. Suzanne Thomas Ticket to Dream Foundation Bruce Toig Charitable Fund Via Renewables, Inc. Bonnie and David Weekley Richard W. Weekley Family Fund Taylor and Nellis Willhite Michelle and Lacy Williams The Edith & Robert Zinn Foundation

#### 1 - 2 CHILDREN FOR 1 YEAR

Todd Adam Kathy and Kurt Adkins Allegiance Bank alliantgroup AmazonSmile Foundation Elisabeth and Michael Amburn American Shooting Centers Roopal Amin and Vivek Bansal The Amish Craftsman Millie and Mel Anhalt Anonymous Apex Heritage Group Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston Armadillo Litigation Funding Laura and John Arnold Stephanie and David Baird Cecilia and Antonio Ballesca Ned Barnett

Julie and Frank Bayouth Meredith L. Beaumont and Sherman Yu Heather Beken **Jim Bennett** Paige and Wesley Bennett John Benson Nancy Bertin Sheryl Bieniawski Krista and Dan Borgen William Bover BP John Brodie Jane and Ron Brownlee Tiana Carter Chapelwood United Methodist Church Chevron Ianet Clark Steven Cohn **Cokinos Energy Corporation** Jennifer and Steven Covey James Craig The Crane Fund for Widows and Children Kathleen and Harry Cullen Ricki Davis Misti Day Georgina and Joshua Deane Carmen Delgado and Duane C. King Eads Cooling Solutions Douglas Elliman Real Estate Ernst & Young LLP Janet and Larry Eshelman ExxonMobil ExxonMobil Foundation Judith and Thomas Farrell Stephanie and Julian Fertitta Fogler, Brar, Ford, O'Neil & Grav LLP **Bradley Freels** Frost Bank Gibbs & Bruns LLP Grant Thornton LLP The Grey Family Charity Fund Maxene and Michael Grove Frank X and Carol M Gruen Fund Gulf South Gunvor USA Connie and James Haddox Harris County Treasurer Grant J. Harvey Kelly Hawkins

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Shelley and Scott Washburn Kimberly and Michael Weill Wepay Westside Lexus Nancy and Coy Wheeler Grant Whittle Williams – Robert Heine World Oilman's Tennis Tournament Corp. Amanda Worthy-Weeks and Jonathan Weeks

#### 1 CHILD FOR 3-5 MONTHS

Accenture JoAnn Agee Ann and James R. Ainsworth Natalie and Rishad Alikhan Olga and Orlando Alvarado Susan and Gerald Anhalt Anonymous Carol and Bruce Appelbaum Mary Lou and James Aylesworth Mary Barone Becten, Dickinson and Company Barbara and Marshall Bendalin Abbey Bennett Black Sheep Agency Judith Blissard Gerlad Brisson James Brodnax Wendy and Cade Burks Lynn and Winfield Campbell Deirdre Carr Kevin Cline Sarah Crist Crossmark Global Investments Shawn Dalio Jennifer and Michael Day Timothy Day Marcel de Hoog Cynthia Dopjera Dymock Family Charitable Fund Kaija Emmons EOG Resources Inc. Lisa and Chet Erwin Andrew Etter Audrey Zale Flannery Iami Fowler Elizabeth Frankowski Priscilla Fryer Mimi Gammill GivingForce Foundation Sherry and Charles Gordon

R Dean Graves William Grimes Thomas Hardilek Iulie Harris Allison and Wesley Hart Adam Heine Toby Helfand Janis Henry Madelyn and William Herman Margaret Hill Susan Hill Jimmy Janacek Jane Johnson Jamie Johnson Mary Jones Socorro and David Jones Kendra Scott Design, Inc. Knights of Columbus Sylvia Landry LaPorte Family Foundation Patricia and Richard Legler Mary Leong Jim Macaluso Marathon Oil Company Misty Matin Melissa and Thomas McCaffrey Abigail and William McDonald Gretchen and Andrew McFarland Kathleen and Cody McGregor Glenda McNair Ruth McNeil McNeill Charitable Foundation Jan and Oniel Mendenhall Melissa Meyer C. Wayne and Patricia J. Miller Foundation Steven and Sheila Miller Foundation Ginni and Richard Mithoff Moody Family Fund Wendy and Ben Moreland Katherine and Norman Nelms Jo Anne and Paul Nick **Opportune LLP** Melissa and Robert Pacha Pelican Energy Partners Amv Pierce Leslie Powell Probert Family Trust David Reed Jo-Ann Reilly Diane Rifai Kayla K. Roberts Fund Catherine and Mitch Rotter Frank Rynd

Jane C. Schmitt Tiffany and Tyler Schneider Tracy Schubert Raymond Shih SignatureCare Emergency Center Stifel Raja Subramanian Kelly Takahashi **Texas** Instruments Laurie Tullier Anthony Urbanik Mark Wharton Williams Companies Carol and David Willis Cissy and David Winn Jennifer and Jake Wright

#### 1 CHILD FOR 1-2 MONTHS

April and Carlos Abello Abrahams-Kelly Family Alisa and Michael Absmeier Tanu Agarwal John Alford American Recycle Lindsey Anderson Lynnel Anderson Anonymous Amy and Andrew Anton Lindley and Jason Arnoldy Elizabeth Anne & Howard Ayers Willem Baas Sheri and Camp Bailey Elaine Balagia Kristen and Matt Barker Camille Barreto Katy Bate Heather Belcher Alice Bell Erin Bennett Stephanie and Joe Berno Mary and David Bock Bryan Bonner Susan and James Boone Ede Booth Sandi and Dexter Braband Francine Breckenridge The Brodsky Foundation Dolores and Craig Brooks Dean Butler Kym and Joseph Cabaniss Ryan Caillier Julie and Terry Carius Marlene and Jalin Casares

Ana Cavatore **Dolores** Cavatore Charles Schwab Matching Gifts Evans and Charlie Christ Janet and Ernest Cockrell Stephanie and Ernest Cockrell Iris Cordova Marla Cornell Chervl Corson Kathryn Crowder Danielle Cullen Sharon Cunningham Shelia Darby George Davenport Fund Emily Davis Stephanie Davis Erika De La Garza Carla and Michael Deavers Dell Matching Gifts Joshua Delzell Daphne and Ronald Dickerson Harry Dillashaw Charitable Trust Mary Kae and Craig Dingler Margaret Doran Suzanne and Cory Driskill Jennifer Ducote Debbie Dugger Amy Duke Elizabeth Eichelberg Lesha and Thomas Elsenbrook Carol Eschenfelder Aletha and Gerald Evert Bonnie Ewing Guadalupe and Tommy Fadal Kelsey Falcone Wendy and Tommy Fatjo Marcia and Michael Feldman Foundation Fiserv Matching Gifts Kelly Flavin Lindsay Fox Lisa Fraase Ellie and Michael Francisco Beverly Frazier Anne and John Freeman Boby Fussell Sonya Galvan Alvssa Garcia Jennifer Gatto John Gibson Laura and Carl Giesler John Gilbreath Amanda and Damon Gonzalez Paige Goodwin Kenny Grace

Barbara and Joseph Grady Michelle and Buddy Grav Grace and Jeffrey Graybeal Maribel and Mark Griffon Melissa and Albert Grobmyer Robert R. Gruman Paula Hansen Evelyn and Steve Harding Lauren and Warren Harris David Hart Katie Hart Deborah Hartsfield Terri Havens Hayes Giving Fund Erin and Boyd Heath Marion and Duane Heckmann Donna and Michael Hemmi Heather and Robert Herrold Janet and Fred Heyne Edward Hoffman Linda and Anthony Hoffman Iennifer Hohman Lisa Holder Amy and William Holland Leslie Hollingsworth Lisa and Fred Hollins Kav Holmes Howard Holsenbeck Kathryn and Alton Honeycutt Amy and Roger Horton Eileen Hugo Kerry Humphrey Julia and David Humphreys William Hurwick Gwendolyn Huskey Lindsay Hyman Jessica Inoff Ally Jafarnia Aneeta Jamal Bridget and Al Jensen Leah Johnson Amy Johnston Jeff Jones Melissa and Scott Jones Jones Lang LaSalle Matching Gifts JPMorgan Chase Foundation Match Stephanie Juran George Kaleh, Jr. Marie and Edward Kaminski Michelle Kelly Sarah Kerrigan Mary Kierum Susan Kittey

Angela Koch Brian Konwar Lisa Kopecky KPHG LLC Cheryl Kramer Kroger Food Stores Vesta Kuntz-Frommer Cindy and Joseph Lattanzi Gisette and David Leathers Liberty Mutual Matching Gifts Janet and James Lindley Carrie and Brent Lium Carmen Mach Audrey MacLean Danielle Magdol Marcy Mahon Ann and Rodney Malcolm Blair Manley Mimi and Todd Marix Anya Marmuscak Catherine Matthews Suzanne and Patrick McAndrew Grant McCracken, II Kara McCullers Jacqueline and Connelly **McGreevy** Candace Mcmahan Kimberly and Christopher Miller C. James Miller Kara Mings Matt Moake Kristen Monical Judith and Corey Mordacz Julie and Thomas Morin Peter and Fan Morris Fund Priscilla Nance Mark & Karen Newell Family Fund Stephanie and John Nguyen Anita Nunez Kristin Palmer Kathleen and Kevin Panus Katie Patterson Bernadette Payne Karen and John Payne Meghan Peckis Anthony Peterman Malia and William Pettitt Jeanne Pfeffer Pfizer Matching Gifts Quoc Pham Sue Pick Pierpont Communications, Inc. Lynn Pinkerton

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Mary Lou and John Sion Janice Sizer Barbara and Louis Sklar Claire Smith Ira Smith Stuart Smith Smolen Family Fund Margaret Somers Roxanne and Eric St. Pierre Celina Stabell Marie Stawitz Carole and Charles Steen Janis and Scott Stevenson Elizabeth and Brett Sweenev Mark S. Swerdlin Peter Taaffe Gail and William Taber Karen and Andrew Taylor Kathy and Craig Taylor Paul B. & Frances Lenora

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#### 1 CHILD FOR 2-4 WEEKS

Glenn Airola Albertson's Kevin Alft Seth Allen Hope Andrews Anonymous Astros Golf Foundation Angela Barber Wayne Blease David Braddy Amelia and Todd Casper City of Houston Pamela Cook John Da Vera Cruz William Dampier Debra Davis Lynn Davis Erin Dav Shelli Dean Concepcion DeLaGarza Alan and Amy Drain Kimberly and Kenneth Drake Jana and Mark Dundas Lysa Elkins and Irwin M. Barg Candace Elmore-Batiste Mary Ferguson

Rusty Fisher Jessica Fitzpatrick Courtney Casey Freels Lvnne Galarneau Michael Gingras Evelyn and John Granahan Halliburton Matching Gifts Ronald Hankamer Margaret and Robert Harlan Lisa and Pat Harris Cherry Hartig Harvest Point Fellowship Church Edgardo Hernandez Melanie Hoff Bo Hudson Juniper Matching Gifts Anthony Keane Iva Ann and James King Kiven Family Fund Rick Krostag Courtney Lippincott Leighton Lueder Rita Lutz Christina McGaha Rodrigo Miralles Thomas Morin Roberto Orlandi Katrina Patrick Aida Pita Baston Rodney Rayburn Tonja Rodriguez Andres M Rodriguez Ghersi Carmen Saad Hanna Sharron and Daniel Sanborn Jennifer and John Saucer Lyn and Les Schmaltz Sara Schneider Andrea and Charles Seay Melody and Neil Seefeldt Moises Sorto Sarah Streng Patricia Swen Jessica Thompson Marie and Edmunds Travis Martha Voss Margaret and James Walker Carol Wallace John J. Walsh Charitable Gift Fund Maribeth Wayne Welcome Wilson, Jr. The Winters Family Giving Fund Tiffany Wright Gladys Zamora

### 1 CHILD FO 7-13 DAYS

Thomas Adam Barbara and Hugh Allen Ginger Allen Patricia Anderson Anonymous Claire Anyah Donna Ausmus Sandy and John Baber Susan Baker Rhonda and Ariel Bass David Baur Roy Anne and Donald Beckham Mindy Beeson Kristen and John Berger Mary and William Bos Caroline Bouffard Nadine and Stephen Boutros Rachel Broussard Andy Brown Laura Burnett Michelle Burrows Dale and Jackie Butler Sharon and Barry Campbell **Emily** Casey Leslie and James Casey Chris and William Caudill Jennifer Chavis Andrew Chu Lynda and William Clark Marion and Robert Clark Mathilda Cochran Ventrice Shillingford-Cole and Wade Cole Julie Collado Erin Connally Chance Coppedge Nancy Corbet and Charles Willits Dee Crowell Deborah S. and Wayne Culver Claire Curtin Michael Dahlke Catina Davila Aldape Barbara Davis DaVita Matching Gifts Deborah and Peter Dayton Deborah Deitering Beatrice and Marc Dickson Rory Doolin Chip Douglas Michelle Droubi and Omar Harris Linda and Ronald Durant Robert Elliott

Nancy Epstein Karl Fancher Judith and D.Craig Fecel Josephine Fish Ann and Warren Fisher Thomas and Ellen Ford Kelly Gauger Anu George Sandi Greenstone Charles Griffin Jennifer Grosvenor Amanda Guardado Vickie Guerin Anne Hachtman Erin Hamilton Marit Hatfield Christina Haynes John Heath Christine and Ty Hoffer Mary and Edward Holm Wandy Hughes Lauren and Robert Hunt Bertha Jamison Amber Johnson Martha Jordan Roxanne and Timothy Knott Lee Kozak Sheryl Kuperman Marc Kutner Charles LaBounty Kelly Lawrence Jasheka Lee Bonita Lockings Pat and Howard London Carlos Macias Stephanie and Bryan Magers Shannon and David Martin Rich Martin Betty and Alan May Heather McConnell Conor McEvily Peggy and Kent McGaughy Peggy McGrane Vanessa Medina Rachel Meyer Microsoft Matching Gifts Yvonne Moody Bonnie Moore Gregory Moore Marie Morgan Don Moser Paula and Thomas Munson Virginia Murray Sebastian Nahapetian Amelia and Drew Nelson

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#### 1 CHILD FOR 1-6 DAYS

Jennifer and Ricky Aguilera Melissa and Guy Aldrich Margaret and John Ale Melanie Alo Jack and Ruth Alpert John Amann Yasmeen Ammourah Anonymous Mark Apolant Susana Arredondo Bernadette and George Bailey Alison Ballon Teresa and Nicholas Bannick Carol and Charles Bayens Tricia Bell Alice and Ralph Berkman Giuliana Bianculli Sharon Boutwell Vanessa Braxton Virginia Browning Joanne and Harry Buller Mona Cantrell Katrina Cantu Kimberly Carter Norma Chapa Charity on Top Foundation Ellen and Lyon Cohen Constellation NewEnergy Ellise Cooley Paul Dalton Natalie Diaz Melisa Dion Zachary Dobson Diane Dover Robyn and David Drake Delaiah Dupree Annette Dziabiak Barbara Eldridge Kaye Elmore **Encore** Communications Martha Espinosa Maria and Eleazar Espinoza Exelon Corporation Isabella Fernandez Melissa Fields Fluor Matching Gifts Chase Fontenot Camille Fuller Roma Gamble Rvan Garrison Zeenat Garrison Pablo Geralnik Megan Gibbs Quanda Gill Mary Gollin Martha and Israel Gomez Iennifer Green Prathima Guniganti Haku Clayton Harkness

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## **BERNIE POWELL LEGACY SOCIETY**

Bernie Powell has served more children as an advocate than any other volunteer in our history. Supported by her loving husband, Ed, Bernie advocated for more than 170 abused and neglected children over two decades. Whether making 10 to 20 calls a week to therapists, attorneys, caseworkers and relatives, or holding a girl's hand as she faces surgery to repair the wounds of abuse, Bernie exemplified the commitment required to ensure children enjoy the bright futures they deserve.

The Bernie Powell Legacy Society gives donors the opportunity to make gifts from your estate to ensure Child Advocates can provide a legacy of high-quality advocacy for generations to come. As a member we will respect your wishes for participation, recognition or anonymity, and any details of your gift will be held in the strictest confidence.

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## PULL FOR KIDS CLASSIC

Stephanie and Sasha Moritz chaired our signature fundraising event and honored longtime supporters Cherie and Alan Hassenflu. The morning started with a classic Sporting Clays Tourney. It ended with a honky-tonk styled evening party that brought in over 400 guests to support the organization. The event bootscooted close to raising \$570,000.



## **SUPERHERO RUN**

Our 10<sup>th</sup> annual Superhero Run was a smashing success with over 750 runners! Together, we raised \$125,000. We are incredibly grateful to our Presenting Sponsor, MRE Consulting, our Post Race Sponsor, Stewart, plus the countless other sponsors for their support and philanthropy in putting on this event. This event also would not have been possible without Jeff Cotner and Angie Parker, who have been dedicated since day one of Superhero Run ten years ago.



## **ANGELS OF HOPE**

Nearly 400 guests gathered for a fashion show and shopping exhibition to raise funds and awareness for our mission. The luncheon, led by chair Jane Johnson, featured a Neiman Marcus fashion show with ready-to-wear holiday attire. Child Advocates honored longtime supporter Caroline Finkelstein for her philanthropy, service and generosity. The 2022 Angels of Hope Luncheon and Fashion Presentation raised over \$317,000 in our fight against child abuse.

## THIRD PARTY EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

Child Advocates relies on its funding from many different resources. In 2022, over \$200,000 was raised by groups that produced and executed events as part of their charitable giving goals. We are always so grateful whenever a company or organization chooses Child Advocates as a beneficiary of these third-party events. Events like these not only help us reach our annual revenue goals but help us spread more awareness of our mission to a broader part of the Greater Houston community.

## **DEACONS OF DEADWOOD**

The Deacons of Deadwood are a respected area motorcycle club that supports local children's charities. We are always thankful to be selected as a beneficiary of their annual Charity Ball. In 2022, they gave \$13,000 to our mission.

## DRIVE FOR KIDS

Child Advocates was a beneficiary of this unique event for the second year. Bringing together car and race enthusiasts who also fundraised on behalf of our mission. At the end of the event, Child Advocates generously received \$20,000 in revenue support.

## NIGHT COURT

After a brief hiatus due to COVID, Night Court returned to the Hobby Center in 2022. Thanks to the talents and hard work of so many, they entertained crowds and raised funds for so many local nonprofits. Child Advocates is thrilled to have received \$10,000 from this program.

## PROFESSIONAL WOMEN OF THE INDUSTRY

This professional commercial real estate networking group supported us through a few events in 2022. Their 'Designer Purse Bingo' and 'Halloween Party' raised Child Advocates \$27,000 towards our mission.

## WEATHERFORD WALKS

Child Advocates is honored to be a charity partner of the Weatherford Foundation and a beneficiary of the 2022 Weatherford Walks. Thanks to dedicated individuals and teams at Weatherford, Child Advocates received over \$97,000.









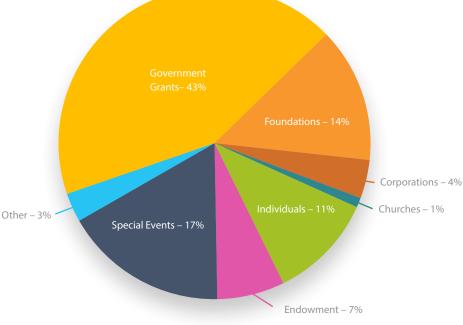
## FINANCES

### REVENUE

Total\$	5,731,214
net of <sup>s</sup> 247,308.15 in event expenses	
Special Events\$	949,804
Federal & State Government Grants\$	2,456,817
Contributions <sup>\$</sup>	2,324,593

### **EXPENSES**

NET SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	(181,567)
Total Expenses <sup>\$</sup>	(5,912,781)
General & Administration\$	(549,183)
Fundraising \$	(508,335)
Advocate Education & Training\$	(749,148)
Advocacy Services\$	(4,106,115)



#### SELECTED CONDENSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

#### **REPORT SOURCES**

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