

July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016 Annual Report



Mission Statement

Children's Advocacy Center for the 31st Judicial District delivers exceptional services to victims of severe child abuse. Our team directly reduces the trauma from abuse, through our provision of a well-coordinated multi-disciplinary investigation. We vigorously fight to break the cycle of child abuse by providing prevention services through education.

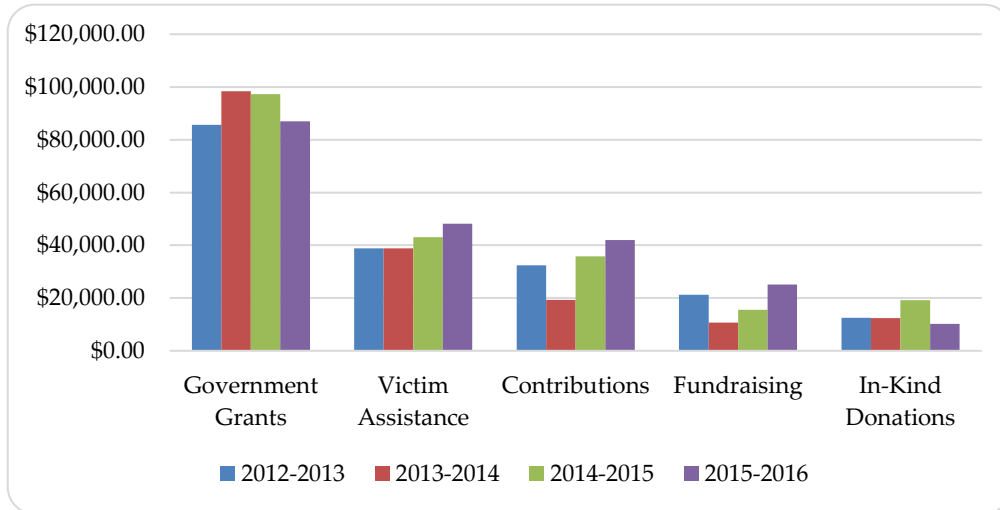
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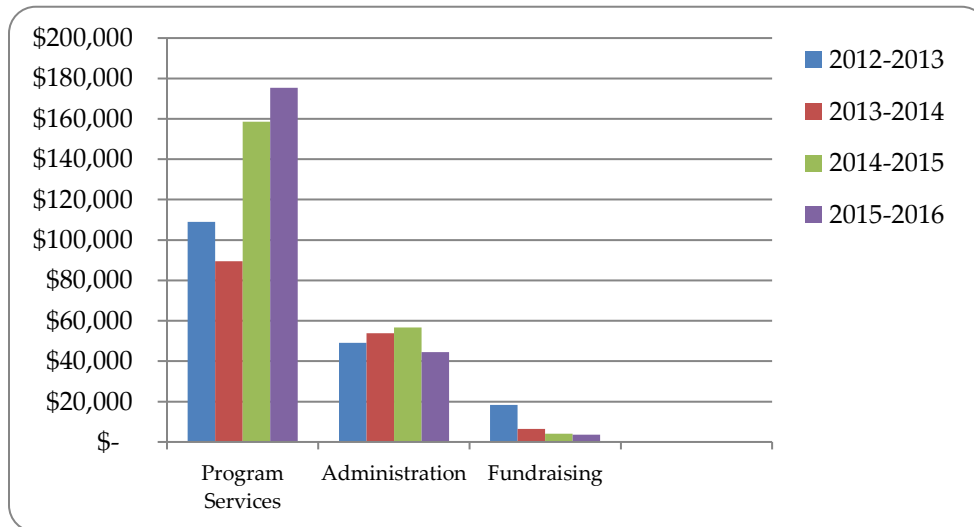
Financial Review

Every child abuse victim who receives our direct services does so totally free from charge. We are financially dependent upon grants, corporate contributions, and the generosity of others.

Revenue and Support



Program and Support Expenses



Copies of our annual audited Financial Statements are available upon request.



2015-2016 Program Outcomes

- 683 reports of child maltreatment to the Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline (calendar year 2015)
- 184 cases referred to CAC31
- 161 Forensic Interviews of suspected child abuse victims and/or witnesses
- 262 Individual Trauma-Focused Therapy Sessions
- 1582 Victim-Family Advocacy Interactions
- 109 Crisis Counseling
- 60 Criminal Justice Support and Advocacy Cases
- 113 Information and Referrals to Community Resources
- 115 Criminal Compensation Education and Assistance
- 13 Child Protective Investigative Team Case Review meetings and 5 Team trainings
- 10 cases referred for Prosecution
- 215 Children received Back to School Supplies
- 21 Community Events for Prevention Education or Awareness Training
- 6751 children received personal body safety education through classroom interaction and assembly presentations
- 116 Adults were educated as Stewards of Children
- 539 Warren & Van Buren County School and Medical Personnel were provided continuing education
- 337 Warren & Van Buren County Pre-K Parents were educated in Child Abuse Prevention



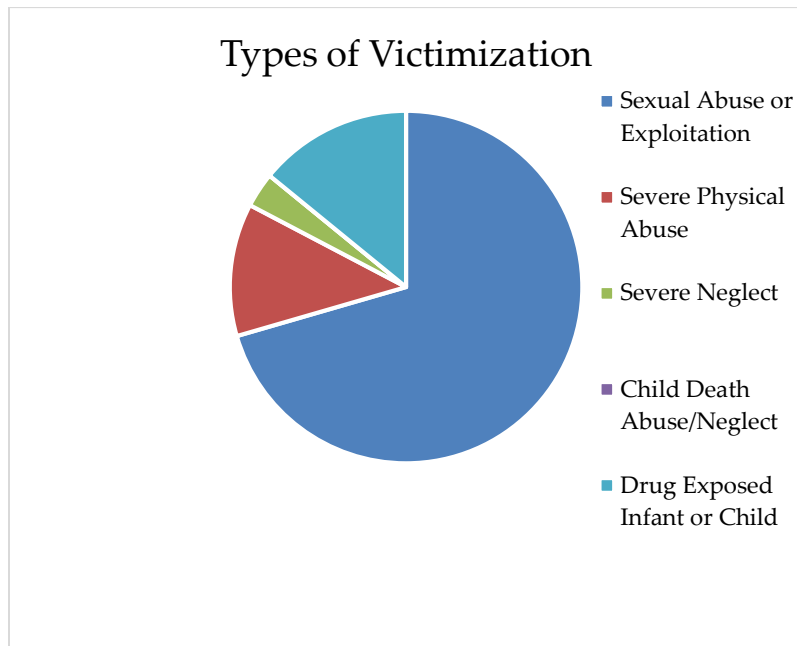
Measuring Results

The following information is obtained through voluntary participation in Client Surveys and Child Investigative Protective Team Surveys.

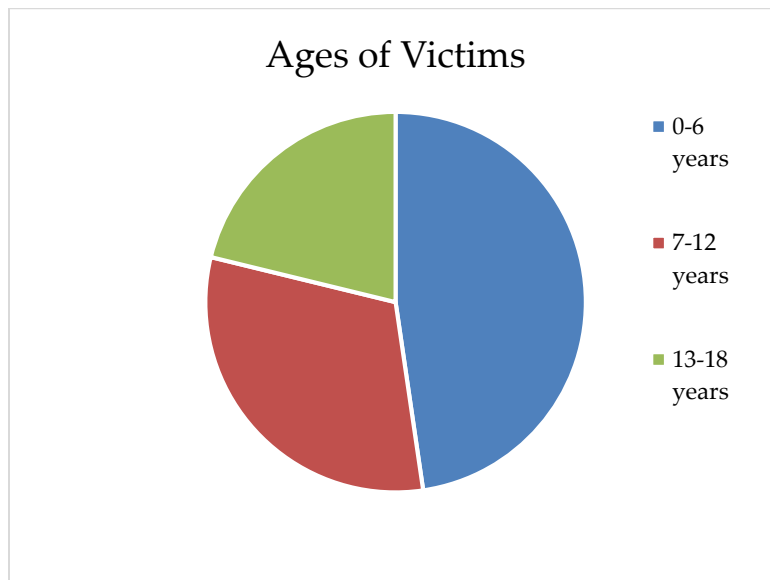
- **Caregivers and children feel safe** - 94% caregivers strongly agree their children felt safe during their visit to CAC31.
- **Caregivers felt informed** – 92% caregivers strongly agreed their questions were answered to their satisfaction. 92% caregivers strongly agree they were provided with resources to support their child and respond to his or her needs in the days and weeks ahead. 95% caregivers strongly agree they were provided with information on the various services and programs provided by CAC31.
- 92% Child Investigative Protective Team members strongly agree that the child and family benefits from a collaborative investigation approach.
- **Counseling Satisfaction** - 98% caregivers strongly agreed the trauma counseling services their child received were beneficial. 98% caregivers strongly agreed if their child needed counseling services, they would return to CAC31.
- **Counseling Results** - At the conclusion of trauma-focused therapy 60% children displayed between 22-90% improvement in their Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder assessment scores.
- **Prevention Education** – Evaluations from 94% of 5th Graders showed increased or stationary knowledge as result of our *It's OK to Tell* classroom education.

Program Statistics

During our 2015-2016 fiscal year, the Children's Advocacy Center for the 31st Judicial District and our Child Protective Investigative Team partners investigated 683 reports of child maltreatment within the 31st Judicial District. The severe abuse allegations perpetrated on these children were identified as:



86% of the alleged abusers were known by the child or family members (non-strangers)



1490 children have received comprehensive services through CAC31 since July 2006, when we started utilizing a data tracking system.

**72% reported as Sexual Abuse
89% Alleged Perpetrator known by family**

MEET OUR TEAM

CAC31 Personnel:

Martha Phillips, Executive Director

M'Lee Hudgins, Forensic Interviewer

Robin Cutrell, Victim-Family Advocate/Prevention Specialist



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Department of Children's Services

Juvenile Justice

McMinnville Police Department

Office of the District Attorney General

Our Kids Inc.

Spencer Police Department

The Ross Center

Van Buren County Sheriff's Department

Warren County Sheriff's Department

The CHILD is the reason, the focus, and the purpose of our CPIT!

CAC31 TRUST ALLIANCE

The trust you have placed in the viability of our organization is sincerely gratifying. Our deepest appreciation to each one of our benefactors, your generosity allows us to make a difference in the lives of the children of Warren and Van Buren Counties. We ask that you please continue with your commitment to CAC31, our children need awareness and voices to advocate for their protection.

Protector's Circle - \$5000+

City of McMinnville
JCS Community Foundation (Jarden Consumer Solutions)
National Children's Alliance
Saint Thomas River Park Hospital
State of Tennessee Department of Children's Services
Warren County Tennessee

Guardian - \$2500+

Bridgestone – Warren Plant
Deer Path Farm (Gary & Brenda Martin)
Ms. Dianne Gillespie
Powers Properties
Mr. & Mrs. F.R. Searle

Champion - \$1000+

All-O-K'sions Flowers, Gifts & Limousine
Bacar Constructors, Inc.
Children's Advocacy Center of Tennessee
Gondola Pizza and Steak
Tennessee Child Advocacy Center
United Way of Warren County
United Way of Wilson County for the Upper Cumberland
Walmart #668 McMinnville

Blue Ribbon Partner \$500+

Caney Fork Electric
Citizens Tri-County Bank McMinnville & Spencer
Dynamis Inc.
Mr. Jeffery Golden
Mr. & Mrs. Billy Holt
Homeland Community Bank
MAST Partners, LLC.
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Middle Tennessee Dr Pepper Bottling Company
Our Kids Inc.
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Simpson Livestock
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Turner Auto Salvage LLC
Womack Printing Company, Inc.
Yorozu Automotive

Patron \$250+

Ascend Federal Credit Union
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Dr. & Mrs. Wallace Bigbbe
Mr. Rex Ecoff
Kroger Community Rewards
LaCazona Mexican Restaurant
Mrs. Elaine Wilhelm

To those we may have inadvertently failed to identify our sincere apologies. We are most appreciative of everyone's understanding in the importance of our CAC, its mission, and your commitment to helping us halt child abuse.

CAC31 TRUST ALLIANCE *continued*

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Mr. & Mrs. Don Alexander
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Ms. Melba Bonner
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McMinnville Exchange Club

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Park Theatre
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Pell
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Miguel & Janice Rodriguez
Jim & Deb Russell
Don & Beth Saunders
Bill & Kathleen Schoenig
Security Federal Savings Bank
Shoe Sensation
Mr. Charles Smith
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TAFCE Warren County Council
Col. Thomas & Betty Vaughn
Donna & David Vise
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Warren County Lions Club by Lafever Tool Company
Dave Wideman
Jimmie & Brenda Woodlee
Mr. O.M. Womack

CAC31 Friends and Community Partners

1230 WAKI Sports Radio
Aconcoction
Baker Mountain Farm
Barrett's Office Supply
Big Love BBQ
Mr & Mrs Mike Baus
Missy, Josh & Abigail Baxter
Bill's Liquor Store
BLTV
Bonner FCE
Ms. Dean Brewer
Boyd Christian School
Ms. Jennifer Brooks
Burrett Memorial Library
Calfkiller Brewing Company
Cash Express
City of Spencer
Coco's Designs
Constable Jason Dodson
Cornerstone Baptist Church- Ladies Quilting Group
Cornerstone Computers
Covenant Academy
Cumberland Manufacturing
Cumberland Co Playhouse
Angela Decorcy
Dollywood
Evening & Noon Exchange Clubs of McMinnville
Fall Creek Falls State Park
First Baptist Church, McMinnville
Gardens of Memory/Spencer Funeral Home
Ms. Kayla Greer
Ms. Tammie Gribble
Ms. Pat Grissom
Hales Cleaning Service
Mr. & Mrs. Bob Holeman
Jack Daniels Distillery
Jenny Cochran Plunder Designs

Ms. Barbara Kimble
Lowe's Home Improvement
Magness Library
Keisha McBride
McMinnville Civic Center and Dept. of Parks & Recreation
McMinnville Police Department & Public Safety Officers
McMinnville Public Works
McMinnville-Warren Co Chamber of Commerce
Midway FCE
Ms. Annie Moffitt
Morris Higham Management
Mt. Leo Church of Christ
Mullican Family Trust
Nashville Predators
Nashville Zoo at Grassmere
Ober Gatlinburg
OK Heating & Air Conditioning
Open Your Hearts Group
Pacesetters
Park Theatre Group
PEG Broadcasting
Mr. Steve Phillips
Ms. Jackie Powell
Mrs. Teresa Priestley
River City Ducks
Rock City
Ms. Kelly Roberts
Ross & Ross Law Firm
Ruby Falls
Rustic Touch
School Board of Warren County
School Board of Van Buren County
Shelly Lytle & Renee Willis
Duane Sherrill
Southern Standard Publishing
Southern Traditions China & Gifts

Space Walk of Murfreesboro
Spencer-Van Buren County Chamber of Commerce
Spencer Police Dept.
Star 107
Stained Glass by B
Sweet Suzi's Homemade Fudge
Tennessee Aquarium
Tennessee State Constables
Tennessee Valley Railroad Museum
Tiger Lily Boutique
The Foglight Foodhouse
Topz Frozen Yogurt/Metro Deli
Three Star Mall
United Diamond Brokers
Upper Cumberland Social Services
Van Buren County TN
Van Buren News
Van Buren County Republican Party
Vickie Rowland Beauty Control
Vinson's Crossroads FCE
Jay Walker
Walmart Sparta
Ms. Jean Ware
Fay & Will Warren
Warren County Extension Office
Warren Co. High School Excel Club
WCPI
Wendys
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Dawn Winton Photography
Ms. Bobbye Woodard
Women of the Moose
WOW Country 105.3

Kids Funfest and Safety Day - April 25, 2015

This event is a collaboration of the City of McMinnville, Children's Advocacy Center, Families in Crisis - New Beginnings, and Kids of Community along with area businesses committed to the betterment of our children. *CAC31 is merely the custodian of these records and restricted use funds on behalf of Kids Funfest and Safety Day committee.* All funds raised are dedicated exclusively to the annual production of this free day of wholesome family fun. Our mission is to provide education, physical activity, entertainment, and a meal to area children at no charge. A crowd of about 600 enjoyed a slightly dreary yet fabulous day of safety and education disguised as free food and good fun.

Kids Funfest and Safety Day epitomizes the amazing things that happen when a group of like-minded organizations band together for communal good. This event was possible because of those who dedicated countless hours to planning, those who committed financially, and all the organizations that volunteered their time on a highly coveted Saturday to provide activities or food for the children.

Kids Funfest and Safety Day Sponsors

Event Partners over \$250

Advance Financial Services
Ascend Federal Credit Union
Bridgestone – Warren Plant
Jarden Consumer Solutions
Middle TN Dr Pepper Bottling Company
Middle TN Natural Gas - Project Hometown Help
Namaste OB/GYN
OK Heating & Air Conditioning
Roscoe Brown Inc.
Sound Business Inc.
Yorozu Automotive

Event Allies \$50 - \$249

Applebee's of McMinnville
Dr. & Mrs. Wallace Bigbee
Caney Fork Electric

Citizen's Tri-County Bank
Cumberland Caverns
Custom Vinyl Signs
Edward Jones – Leann Cordell
Exchange Furniture Company
Frito Lay
Gant Oil Company
Todd & Kathy Herzog
High's Inc.
Keepsake Catering
Mud Bums Sports Grill
Petey's Pals
Pinnacle Orthopaedics
Sonic Drive Inn
Space Walk of Murfreesboro
Super Rama Foods



2016 Steering Committee

Vanessa Miller, Event Chair
Martha Phillips, Children's Advocacy Center
Kendra Foust, City of McMinnville
Kristi Stubblefield, Families in Crisis New Beginnings
Ricky Hodge, Kids of the Community
Sherri Denning, Jarden Consumer Solutions
Jason Dodson, Tennessee State Constable Association
Carlene Brown, Petey's Pals

Participating Organizations and Volunteers

Please forgive us if we failed to acknowledge anyone; every contribution is so important!

Air Evac Life Team 44
CHEER Mental Health
Community Theatre Group
Erlanger Life Force II
Kids of the Community Volunteers
McMinnville Civic Center & Staff
McMinnville Electric System
McMinnville Fire Dept. & Fire Pup
McMinnville Physical Therapy
McMinnville Police Dept.
McMinnville-Warren County Chamber of Commerce
National Guard
NHC Nursing Home
PEG Broadcasting
Smartt Mud Fun Run

TenderCare
Southern Standard
Space Walk Inflatables
Miss Macy Tabor
TN Dept. of Children's Services
TN State Highway Patrol
TN State Constables
TN-Warren County Emergency Management Assoc.
TWRA
UT – TSU Extension
Vanderbilt Life Flight
Ms Kelly Walker
Warren County Board of Education
Warren County EMS
Warren County Constable Association

Warren County Coordinated School Health
Warren County Health Dept.
Warren County Schools
Warren County Rescue Squad
Warren County Sheriff Dept. - DARE