



CASA CENTRAL

ANNUAL REPORT 2023





Cultivating Communities, Launching Possibilities.

OUR VISION

Through our advocacy and service, individuals, families, and communities reach their fullest potential and thrive.

OUR MISSION

Rooted in our history of serving Latinos, we provide high quality services, in culturally diverse communities, that engage and empower individuals and families to thrive.



CASA CENTRAL 1343

A MESSAGE FROM **MARTIN R. CASTRO, PRESIDENT & CEO**

Dear Friends, Supporters, Staff,
and Volunteers of Casa Central:



I take pride in sharing with you our 2023 Annual Report — an outline of the impact our hard work and service has made in the Chicagoland area this past year.

While the times may be unsettled locally, nationally, and globally, our community and those we serve require that we stay focused and dedicated to our mission, just as we have done every day for nearly 70 years.

Casa Central is more than a social services agency; we are thousands of individuals, organizations, supporters, and partners united by the same goals of fostering individual and community growth, breaking boundaries, and transforming lives.

Every day our employees are deployed in our facilities and throughout the Chicago area serving infants, toddlers, teens, parents, families, and older adults alike who participate in our wide range of programs: early childhood education; after school program; violence prevention and intervention, uniting families, housing families experiencing homelessness, and caring for older adults.

It is supporters like you that make all of this possible.

So, as you read this snapshot of what we have accomplished in the past year, please remember that you are an integral part of Casa Central. What you see on the following pages happened because of your generous support and the support of others like you, who joined in and made all of this a reality.

I encourage you to consider other ways you may be able to support our mission. Casa Central continues to prepare for new challenges and hopes for your ongoing and growing support.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Martin R. Castro". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

Martin R. Castro
President & CEO



ESSENTIAL, FULL-LIFECYCLE PROGRAMMING

Casa Central offers programming for the entire community. This means programming for every kind of individual and family, at every age.

We organize our programs into three main areas:



INSPIRING LIFELONG LEARNING AMONG CHILDREN & YOUTH

Early Learning Academy

Home-Based
Center-Based



School Age Program



2

PROVIDING SAFETY & SELF-RELIANCE FOR INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES



Intact Family Services

Violence Prevention & Intervention Program



La Posada Transitional Housing Program

3

PROMOTING ACTIVE, HEALTHY LIFESTYLES FOR OLDER ADULTS

Adult Wellness Center

Home Care Services



IMPACT: OUR STORY IN NUMBERS

5,186

**INDIVIDUALS AND
FAMILIES IMPACTED**

Total number represents individuals and families reached via Casa Central's community events, educational programming and direct, family-centered services throughout the year.



INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES SERVED:

1,695

HOME CARE SERVICES

630

VIOLENCE PREVENTION & INTERVENTION

1,857

SCHOOL AGE PROGRAM & EARLY LEARNING ACADEMY

499

LA POSADA (INTERIM FAMILY HOUSING)

270

INTACT FAMILY SERVICES (CHILD WELFARE)

235

ADULT WELLNESS CENTER



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

100%

of **Adult Wellness Center** participants reported a sense of social connectedness as a result of participation in AWC.



88%

of participants reported that they have maintained stable housing for at least 6 months after exiting our **La Posada transitional housing program**.

94%

of parents reported an increase in their knowledge and skills regarding their parenting ability after completing **Intact Family** parent education classes.



92%

of children in the **Early Learning Academy Center-Based Program** met or exceeded expectations in social and emotional development.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

100%

of participants in our **School Age Program** reported that the program helps them increase their knowledge about healthy activities and choices.



100%

of adult participants in our **Violence Prevention & Intervention Program** reported increased knowledge on the rights and remedies available to them as survivors.

94%

of children in the **Early Learning Academy Home-Based Program** met or exceeded expectations in physical development (gross and fine motor skills).



93%

of participants in our **Home Care Services Program** reported feeling supported in managing their daily living activities.

PARTICIPANT STORY

Violence Prevention & Intervention Program

Participant names have been changed to protect their privacy.

Melissa came to Casa Central’s Violence Prevention and Intervention (VPI) program because she identifies as a survivor of ongoing domestic violence. Throughout her childhood, Melissa was exposed to domestic violence in many ways, through physical abuse from her father and mother, and through a sexual assault by a neighbor. At only 17, Melissa immigrated to the United States alone, and lived in poverty. When she met her husband, she felt loved and protected, so she was overjoyed when he proposed and brought her to live with his family. Melissa thought she would finally have the love and safety she craved as a child.

Unfortunately, things changed quickly, and she also was emotionally and physically abused by her husband, especially when he came home after drinking. He used Melissa’s mental health diagnosis as an excuse to denigrate her.

To find help, Melissa began weekly therapy services through Casa Central’s VPI program. Through time and consistency, Melissa was able to build trust with her therapist, and speak openly about the abuse she experienced and the feelings that came with it.

Melissa began to recognize and point out moments in which she had been gaslit, realizing she was not wrong for becoming upset. Melissa stopped calling herself weak. Instead, she recognized her fear of abandonment is a product of years of trauma.

Melissa has received weekly therapy services for approximately two years through Casa Central’s VPI program. During this time, she has learned about the different types of domestic violence, and her rights as a survivor of domestic violence. Melissa has frequently planned for the safety of herself and her children when her husband becomes physically abusive to her. Melissa has also been supported in exploring how her experience of domestic violence has affected the way she views herself and her relationships. Casa Central’s educational and therapeutic services have helped Melissa regain confidence in herself and begin to provide a better life for her and her children.



PARTICIPANT STORY

Early Learning Academy (Center-Based)

Participant names have been changed to protect their privacy.

Three-year-old Tommy's family had concerns about his speech and language development. They reported these concerns to a pediatrician, but were told, "Don't worry, kids grow out of this sort of thing." However, their concerns persisted, as Tommy remained very difficult to understand when he talked. They decided to seek out services at Casa Central's Early Learning Academy Center-Based program.

Teachers at Casa Central observed Tommy and validated the concerns his family had identified. They completed developmental screenings, which further indicated a delay in speech and language development. The Disabilities Coordinator at Casa Central completed observations and discussed her findings with the family. Tommy was then referred for a formal evaluation, which would help him determine the services he would need to succeed.

It was anticipated that Tommy will qualify for speech therapy services. While waiting for his formal evaluation, Casa Central staff created a teaching plan to support his speech and language development. Now that Tommy has support from Casa Central's Disabilities Coordinator, Inclusion Aide, Education Manager, and Classroom Teaching Team, Tommy's family says they are seeing a difference and are more able to understand all the things he has to say!



PARTICIPANT STORY

Intact Family Services

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The Garcia family was referred to Casa Central for Intact Family Services due to concerns related to domestic violence and mental health. The caregiver, Ms. Garcia, was allegedly a victim of domestic violence by her partner, and it was putting her one-year-old child in danger. Ms. Garcia's mental state was of concern as well. She tried to hurt herself and was also violent towards her partner due to the abuse.



After a comprehensive family assessment, the assigned Child Welfare Specialist linked the family to recommended services. While enrolled in Domestic Violence services for victims, Ms. Garcia reported learning the importance of a safety plan for herself and her child. Mr. Garcia also engaged and completed the partner abuse intervention program. Mr. Garcia reported using the learned techniques to avoid perpetrating acts of violence towards his partner.

The Intact Family program served this family for nine months, during which the Department of Children and Family Services Norman Funds were provided to ensure appropriate sleeping arrangements for the minor. Both parents demonstrated increased self-awareness about how their actions affect their child. The parents also demonstrated tremendous growth in their self-identified goals and in their ability to adjust behaviors to parent effectively and keep their child safe and free from future harm.

PARTICIPANT STORY

La Posada Program

Participant names have been changed to protect their privacy.

A young couple and their two-year-old daughter decided to flee Brazil to the United States. They made the difficult decision after their reports to the local authorities of sex trafficking in the workplace were disregarded. They traveled for four months with their daughter through the jungle and deserts of Brazil, briefly resting at bus stops and churches along the way. There were many instances where the family did not have anything to eat. Upon arrival to the U.S., the family made their way to Chicago and were sent to Casa Central's La Posada Transitional Housing Program.

During their stay at La Posada, the couple settled into their private unit and received clothing, groceries, and items to cover their basic needs. They met with their case manager regularly for service planning and received various referrals to connect them to immigration, legal, financial/public aid and housing assistance. Both adults in the household were unemployed upon entering the program.

The couple worked enthusiastically with their case manager and overcame many barriers as they worked towards meeting their goals. They took English as a Second Language (ESL) classes through La Posada's EDUCATE program. The family began to find a foothold on which to balance and slowly stabilize themselves.

As they progressed in the program, La Posada's team applied for, and secured, appropriate housing for the family. They also received low-cost furnishings for their entire apartment, moving services, and assistance with transitioning their daughter into the local Head-Start program. With the continuation of follow-up services from La Posada, the family, along with their case manager, will continue to work together towards maintaining housing, resolving their immigration hearings, and eventually returning to the workforce.



PARTICIPANT STORY

Home Care Services Program

Participant names have been changed to protect their privacy.

Sandra was a victim of a robbery and assault when someone broke into her home, and she was hospitalized for a long time. After the incident, Sandra began to suffer from anxiety and depression. She was often afraid that something might happen to her again.

Sandra didn't want to live with her children because they had full-time jobs. Sandra's children were afraid that their mother was very depressed; they noticed a change in her health and a reluctance to socialize with anyone.



During one of Sandra's follow-up visits at the hospital, a social worker talked with her about Casa Central's Home Care Services program and how it could offer the support she needed. Sandra decided to move forward with the service, because of the hospital's recommendation and her children's request. With a Home Care Aide, Sandra received assistance with preparing food, personal hygiene, cleaning at home, and more.

After several months of Sandra receiving Home Care Services, a supervisor from Casa Central visited Sandra. When asked about the impact of the Home Care Services, Sandra began to cry and said, "You have sent an angel to take care of me. I have no words to express how I feel, and sincerely thank you. I was living in confinement; I was sad and sick, and I didn't open the door to anyone. I was afraid of society and what could happen to me. But my Home Care Aide arrived, and she has been an angel for me. Thanks to her, I go out of my house to my appointments. She is always with me when I go on errands. She takes care of me very well, and above all I feel protected. My tears are of gratitude."



PARTICIPANT STORY

Adult Wellness Center

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After being widowed several years ago, Wanda continued to live alone and support herself. She felt healthy and independent, and enjoyed cooking meals alone. However, her health began to deteriorate. Wanda sometimes forgot where she was or what she was doing. She would forget that she was in the middle of making a meal, accidentally leave the stove on, and burn her food. Wanda's children began to worry and consulted her doctor. They were concerned that it might not be safe for her to be alone in her house any longer.

After consultation with Wanda's doctor, the family thought it would be best for Wanda to receive Adult Day services. Wanda was referred to Casa Central's Adult Wellness Center (AWC) to receive services that would assist her mental and emotional well-being. At the AWC, Wanda would receive transportation, food, and participate in all the activities that the program offers such as memory exercises, socialization, physical exercise, games, dancing, art projects, and more.



At first, Wanda did not show interest in participating in any activities. But after a month, Wanda made several friends and grew to be more cheerful and communicative, socializing with other participants. She loves to sing, dance, make crafts and talk with other participants. Wanda approached the director of our Adult Wellness Center and said, "Thank you very much for having me here. I did not expect all the activities that you do for us. I feel very happy. You make us feel special. Last week, I met someone who is from the same town in Puerto Rico where I came from. We talked a lot about our childhoods and good times there."





2023: Cultivating communities, launching possibilities.

Selected Agency Events!

Three Kings Day

A new tradition at Casa Central, we kicked off January with a visit from the Three Kings to the Adult Wellness Center (AWC), the Early Learning Academy Center-Based, (ELA-CB) and the School Age Program (SAP). Each participant at these programs received greetings and gifts from the Kings, who traveled from the far-off land known as the Third Floor!



The MHOA Best Foot Forward Shoe Drive

In March, our annual Best Foot Forward partnership with the McDonald's Hispanic Owner's-Operators Association (MHOA) resulted in 700 pairs of new gym shoes donated to youth across the Chicago area, including children in our Early Learning Academy Center-Based program, our School Age Program, and La Posada Transitional Housing program. Mendez Group and Golden State Foods Foundation were also pivotal in making this event a success... along with Ronald McDonald himself!



2023 State of Casa Central

In March, President and CEO Martin R. Castro delivered the annual “State of Casa Central.” The event also featured the reveal of our new Auditorium mural by artists Jenny Q and Miguel A. Del Real. And artist Janice Aponte unveiled her painting of a young girl holding the Puerto Rican flag in the aftermath of Hurricane Maria — which is now proudly displayed in the entryway of our 1343 N. California Avenue headquarters building.



Street Soccer USA and World Cup Star Visit La Posada

In partnership with Street Soccer USA, children from Casa Central’s La Posada Transitional Housing Program and the “Todo para Todos” shelter in Pilsen participated in a soccer clinic last summer in Humboldt Park. The kids were given t-shirts and uniforms and got to hone their skills with trainers from Street Soccer USA and Borussia Dortmund, one of Europe’s top soccer clubs.

Roman Weidenfeller, a retired goalie who was part of the World Cup winning German national Team in 2014 was there to teach the kids as well. And NBC News Chicago covered the event!



Casa Central's
2023

Health Fair



In June, Casa Central held a free Community Health Fair. It was an afternoon of educational fun. Activities included Primary Healthcare Screenings, kids' games, raffles and giveaways, a free box of fresh produce for each attendee, and a taco truck with free food for all who took part in the good times.



SEIZE THE SUMMER!

CASA CENTRAL 2023

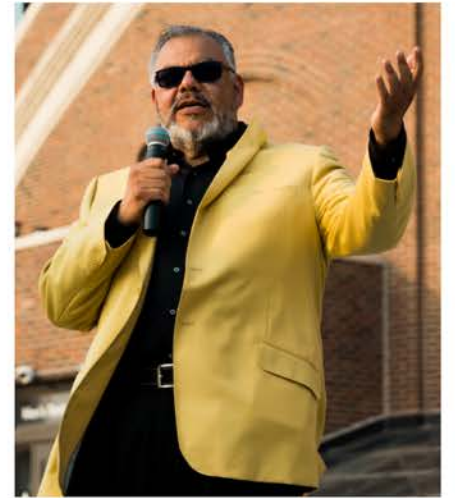
SUMMER

FIESTA

OFFSHORE ROOFTOP

NAVY PIER

1000 E. GRAND AVE CHICAGO



Supporters and staff from Casa Central got together on a sultry summer evening for tacos, music, fun — and a spectacular view of the sunset — for our Summer Fiesta fundraising event. Ballet Folklórico performed traditional Mexican dances in colorful costumes, and the festivities went on until dark.

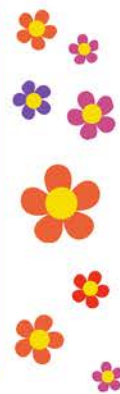




CASA CENTRAL'S

2023 * BACK TO SCHOOL * COMMUNITY

BLOCK PARTY



The Early Learning Academy's annual Back to School Community Block Party was a big success! Free backpacks and school supplies were given out to attendees, and free food, face painting, music, and a bouncy house rounded out the fun! Wet weather brought the event into our auditorium, but didn't dampen anyone's spirits.





FARM TO CASA INITIATIVE



On a chilly spring morning, ground was broken on Casa Central's new garden. Volunteers and children from the Early Learning Academy Center-Based built raised beds and filled them with rich garden soil, planting the first seedlings for the garden that now proudly stands on the west side of our main building on California Avenue. Work continued on this project throughout the summer and into fall, flowers and vegetables were raised and harvested, and painted stepping-stones were placed artfully around the plants to keep shoes from getting muddy.

Our goal in 2023 was to strengthen the bond between communities and access to food through nutrition education in our programs. The vision of Casa Central's Farm Club is to develop positive relationships with food while simultaneously advocating for a just food system.

Each practical, hands-on activity Farm to Casa provides creates foundational knowledge that allows children to build more advanced and abstract thinking about nutrition, food, and life science in general.



This approach and the experiences they share can support children's language, math, literacy, cognitive, and social-emotional skills. And the Garden is an Agency-wide effort of love!

Harvest Fest

Casa Central hosted our first annual Harvest Fest! Highlights included a guided painting workshop, decorating pumpkins, a coffee demonstration, samples of harvest-based foods, and giveaways of healthy goodies. It was fun for the whole family and was the perfect way to kick off fall!



THE GREATEST GALA IN THE GALAXY.

Friday, November 3rd 2023 | Adler Planetarium



Casa Central's 2023 "Out of this World" Gala Celebration was held at the historic Adler Planetarium on Chicago's lakefront. Over 300 attendees gathered to mingle, dine, dance and raise funds for our essential programming and services.

Our Special Keynote Speaker Dr. Bernard A. Harris, Jr., a STEM education advocate, philanthropist, and former NASA space shuttle astronaut, shared his inspirational story.

President & CEO of The Chicago Community Trust Andrea Sáenz, our Pastora San Juan Cafferty Legacy Award recipient, gave inspirational remarks about her life's work in the Chicago area.

PepsiCo received our Corporate Partner Award, Mark Rivera of ABC7 Chicago served as Emcee, and Ollie Bolds and the 3 Flights Up Band provided live entertainment.



Former Astronaut Dr. Bernard A. Harris, Jr. spent time with the kids in our Early Learning Academy conducting a fun science experiment!





2023

OUT OF THIS WORLD CELEBRATION GALA



OUR BOARDS & LEADERSHIP





Board of Directors

Fiscal Year 2023



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Board Chairperson
Managing Director of
Marketing & Communications,
Family Office Exchange



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Board Vice Chair
Professor Emeritus,
Northern Illinois University in DeKalb
(Retired)



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iBuilders Corp.



Janie Cervera
Board Member
Managing Director & Head
of Client Field Services
BMO

Emerging Leaders Auxiliary Board

Members of the Emerging Leaders Auxiliary Board (ELAB) serve as ambassadors for Casa Central and help support the programs, activities, and communities Casa Central serves through fundraising events, volunteer services, and professional engagement.



Roberto Arroyo
Sr. Engineer, People's Gas



Saul Pagan
Community Relations
Coordinator,
Meridian Health/Centene
Corporation



Saira Puga
Automation Business Analyst,
Accelerate Inc.



Oscar Aguinaga
Financial Advisor, Morgan
Stanley



Hector Camacho
Assistant Vice President, Fifth
Third Bank



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Education, City Colleges of
Chicago



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Insurance Company



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Change Enablement Lead,
Allstate



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Inclusion, Cision



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Yoly Valencia
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Strategy, JLL



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Director of Business Dev. -
Real Estate, Polsinelli



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Human Resources Manager,
Mittera Group Illinois



Ruth Abarca-Compton
Attorney, Legal Aid Chicago



Viviana Ramirez
Licensed Professional
Counselor, Depth Counseling



Ruby Palmerin
Mid-Market Sales
Development, Asana

Emeritus Advisory Board

Casa Central inaugurated its Emeritus Advisory Board (EAB), which recognizes the dedication and leadership of former board members and other community leaders who contribute time, energy, and resources to Casa Central.



Adela Cepeda
Board Member,
BMO Harris Bank



David Nirenberg
Dean, Divinity School,
The University of Chicago



Diana Palomar
Vice President of Community
Engagement, ABC7 Chicago



Amalia Rioja
Attorney, Rioja LLC



Cesar Rolon
Founder & Producer, Imagen
Marketing Consultants, LLC



**Carmen Solano-
DeCarrier**
McDonald's Owner/Operator

Casa Central Team

Fiscal Year 2023

SENIOR MANAGEMENT TEAM



Martin R. Castro
President & CEO



Nilda La Luz
Chief Operating Officer



Paul Karl
Chief Financial Officer



Illeana Gomez
Vice President of Senior
and Community Services



Nilsa Ramirez
Vice President of
Children's Services



Frank Perkins
Vice President of
Advancement

PROGRAM DIRECTORS

CHILDREN & YOUTH



Lillian Medina
Early Learning Academy
Center-Based Program
Program Director



Isela Serna
Early Learning Academy
Home-Based Program
Program Director



Destiny Morales
School Age Program
Program Director



Mayra Quinones
Adult Wellness Center &
Home Care Services
Senior Services Director



Awilda Irizarry
Home Care Senior
Services Manager

OLDER ADULTS

INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES



Ilse Acevedo
Violence Prevention &
Intervention Program
Program Director



**Doreen Herrera
Gauger**
La Posada, Interim Housing
Program Director



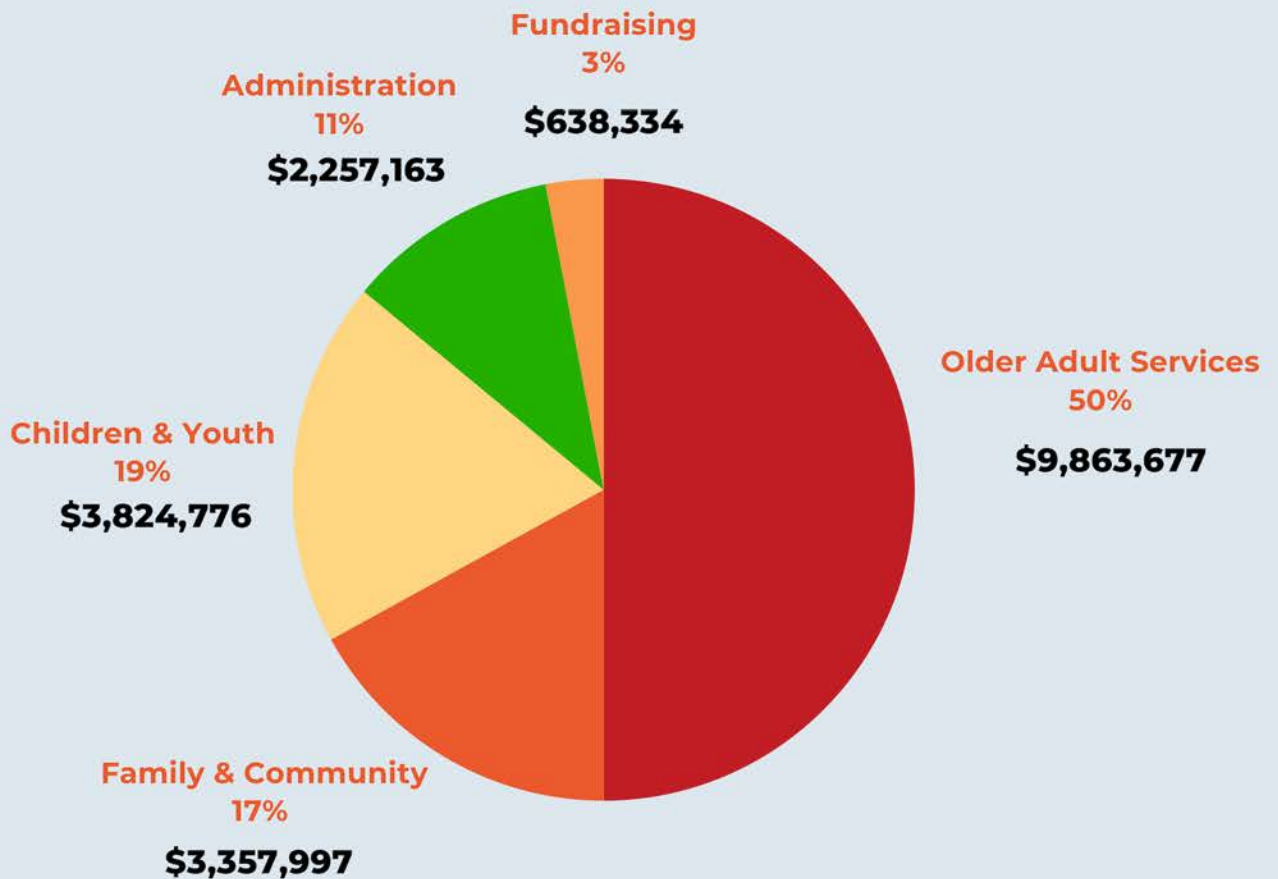
Paula Valencia
Intact Family Services Program
Program Director

How Funds Are Used

86% OF FUNDING GOES DIRECTLY TO PROGRAMS

Total expenses:
\$18,677,651

- Older Adult Services (50%)
- Family & Community (17%)
- Children & Youth (19%)
- Administration (11%)
- Fundraising (3%)







FINANCIALS

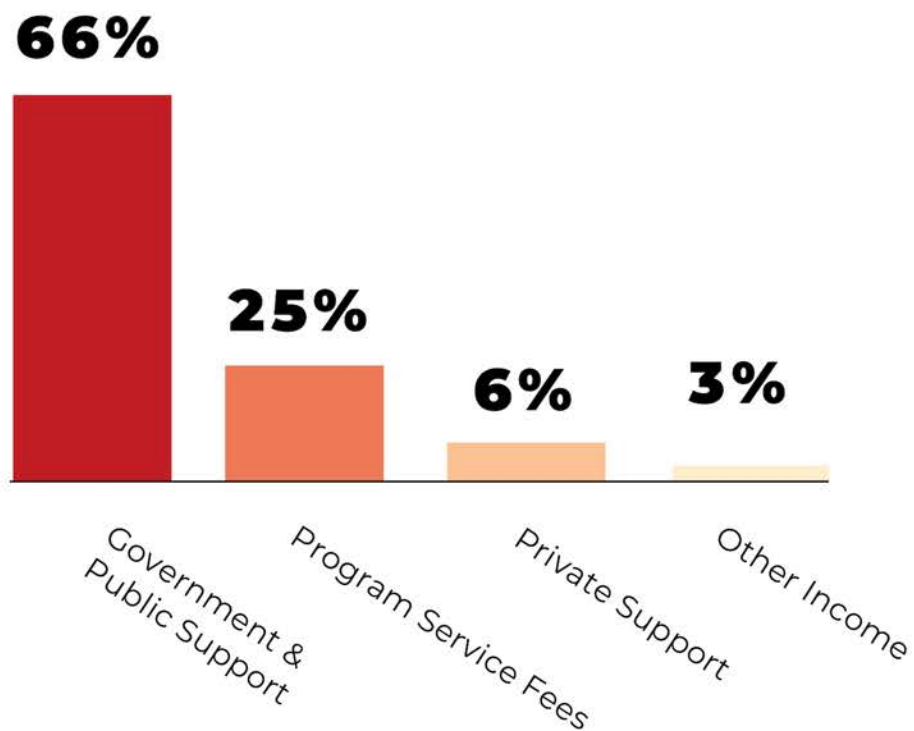
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2023

Total Revenue: **\$19,392,072**

Revenue Sources

	Government & Public Support	\$12,884,522
	Program Service Fees	\$4,896,237
	Private Support	\$1,090,080
	Other Income	\$521,233

Total: **\$19,392,072**



DONORS MAKE IT ALL POSSIBLE!



\$50,000 and Above

Amazon
University of Chicago
The Chicago Community Trust
Paul M. Angell Family Foundation
Healthy Communities Foundation
Micheal Reese Health Trust

\$49,999 to \$20,000

Anonymous Foundation
The Joyce Foundation
Julius N. Frankel Foundation
BMO
Unidos US
Russell & Josephine Kott Memorial Charitable Trust
Irving Harris Foundation
Anonymous Company
Amazon
University of Chicago
ComEd
Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.
Anonymous Foundation
Peoples Gas Company
Adobe Inc.



\$19,999 to \$10,000

Robert R. McCormick Foundation
Chicago White Sox Community Fund
Blowitz-Ridgeway Foundation
Charles and M. R. Shapiro Foundation, Inc.
The Huntington Foundation
Expedia Group
The Donley Foundation
Help For Children - Prevent and Treat Child Abuse
Humana
SC Johnson, a Family Company
The Pepsico Foundation, Inc.
Combined Insurance Company
The Chicago Community Trust
The A. Montgomery Ward Foundation
Peoples Gas Company
Allstate Foundation
McDonald's Hispanic Owners-Operators Association (MHOA)
Morgan Stanley
Old National Bank
Comcast NBCUniversal Foundation



\$9,999 to \$5,000

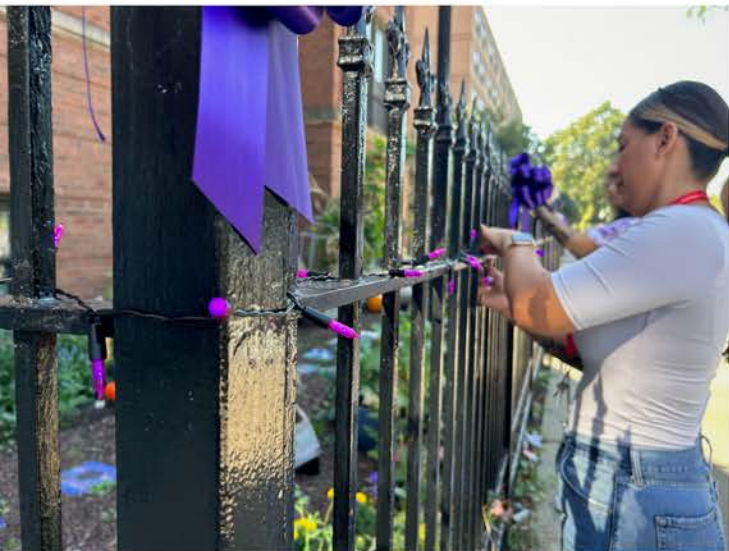
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SC Johnson, a Family Company
Unidos US
Heitman LLC
Rivers Casino
Crowe LLP
ABC 7 Chicago WLS-TV
Healthy Communities Foundation
The Northern Trust Company
PepsiCo
David G. Delgado
Ernst & Young LLP
Fifth Third Bank
iBuilders Corporation
Anonymous
Kelley Conway
Omar Aquino
Mark Rodriguez
Wintrust Financial
Troy and Alicia Johnson
Harry F. and Elaine Chaddick Foundation
Anonymous Foundation
Walter J. and Edith E. Best Foundation
The G. Gerald Fross Living Trust dated January 24, 2019
American Family Insurance Dreams Foundation
Adobe Inc.



\$4,999 to \$1,000

Nancy Travers
 Marco Romero
 Ascension - Saints Mary and
 Elizabeth Medical Center
 McCortney Foundation
 The Chicago Community Trust
 George M. Eisenberg Foundation
 for Charities
 McGraw Foundation
 Anonymous
 University of Chicago
 PepsiCo
 Andrea Saenz
 Wynndalco Enterprises, LLC
 Chad Moss
 Salvador F. Arana
 Francis Beidler Foundation
 Carmen S. Flores
 AT&T Services, Inc.
 Jonathan Trapp
 Pajeau Children's Foundation
 Greater Chicago Food Depository

Renea Poppel
 AbbVie Foundation
 Fifth Third Bank
 Combined Insurance
 Company
 Vania Wit
 Michael Cruz
 Crowe LLP
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 BMO
 Janie Cervera
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 Purva Sule
 Gabriel Gamboa
 Gloria Negron
 Beyond Green Partners
 Skadden, Arps, Slate,
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\$999 to \$500

Johanna Flores
 William Cintron
 HERE Technologies
 PepsiCo
 Raphael Rastelli
 Fred Brambila
 Greg Christian
 Troy and Alicia Johnson
 Maritza Rivera
 Gripple Incorporated
 Norece Eccleston
 Kathryn Savage
 Kate O'Malley
 Joseph M. Teller
 Anthony Cassidy
 Park Ridge Presbyterian
 Church
 Mike Zordan
 David A. Escontrias
 William D. Reynolds
 Jamila Grant
 Denise R. Rano

First Congregational
 Church of La Grange
 Barb Peterson
 John Amberg
 Robert Claudio
 Oscar Cazalez
 Christine Brambila
 Angel L. La Luz
 Jennifer Kraft
 George Gill
 Craig Veselik
 Amalia Rioja
 Jose Alba
 Jessica Andujar-Redman
 Maria Sotelo
 Stacy Witcher
 Diana L. Bautista
 Mac Brachman
 Jacqueline Hoffman
 Haydee Garcia
 Domingo Cortes

\$499 to \$100

Carmen Solano-De Carrier
PepsiCo
Elizabeth Nandi
Maritza Rivera
Nicole Brown
Illinois Housing Development
Authority (IHDA)
University of Chicago
Saira Puga
Juan Torres
Ruby Palmerin
Dinorah Zubieta
Michael Cruz
Hector Camacho
David A. Escontrias
Alexandra Bartkoske
Nicholas Bailey
Kelsey Gamblin
Montserrat Moreno
Roberto Arroyo
Jasmin Zamora
Nicholas Ramos
Maren Ronan
Saul Pagan
Devon Whiteway
Adobe Inc.
SiriusXM Media
Troy and Alicia Johnson
Craig Veselik
Michael Ortiz
Juatise Gathings
Matt Johanson
Jose Baltierra
Jesus Ruiz
Shirley Paredes
Mike Zordan
Cambria Isetta
Leticia Poole
Annet Miranda
Maria Miranda
Alison Baulos
Anthony Cassidy
Virginia R. Matos
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