



BUTTERFLY BRIDGE
CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER

IMPACT REPORT

2022-2023



Our Mission

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EDUCATE

BUTTERFLY BRIDGE CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER OFFERS A SAFE, CHILD-FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT TO CHILDREN VICTIMIZED BY ABUSE OR NEGLECT AS WE PROVIDE RESTORATION AND JUSTICE IN THEIR LIVES.

LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

DEAR SUPPORTERS,

If I had to come up with one simple phrase to describe the last two years, it would be transformative growth. I am humbled and proud to say that in every forward step made, our staff, board of directors, and supporters have made each decision strategically putting the children we serve first and foremost. When I talk about our growth, I am referring to growth of our staff to provide the life-changing services, growth of our facilities, and growth of our programs to be sure every need is met for the child victims of abuse in Chilton, Autauga, and Elmore counties. We could not have built our capacity and expanded our serves if it hadn't been for our faithful supporters. In our last fiscal year which ended September 30, 2023, we expanded our forever home in Chilton County and moved into the Jeff Cobb Sr. Harbor For Heroes addition. We now have an onsite forensic medical program for all children in our service area, specialized therapeutic services to children and youth with problematic sexual behaviors, and have been able to expand our training and outreach services onsite in our new conference and training space. We are also excited that our satellite offices in Autauga and Elmore counties are expanding, and we continue to try and identify a new, forever home for our Autauga location.

Our growth has been recognized by full accreditation from the National Children's Alliance. It has been championed by all of our multi-disciplinary team partners, board, and supporters. Our two special events in 2023, Flutter and Clay For Kids, attracted more individuals than ever to attend—raising a combined total of over \$240,000. The continued growth of our special events has given us the chance to dream big and to meet growing needs and growing services!

Throughout this report to the community, you will see facts and figures that detail our growth and expansion. But we hope you'll be moved by the people—donors, Board members and staff—who form the safety net for children telling the worst story of their lives and helping them heal. As we celebrate our transformative growth, we hope you will join us and continue to advocate, to contribute, and to protect the children of Chilton, Autauga, and Elmore counties.



Jana Zuelzke
Executive Director

NEW PROGRAM SERVICES

Problematic Sexual Behavior - Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (PSB-CBT)

New evidence-based treatment available at Butterfly Bridge CAC

Some sexual play among young children, like playing doctor or looking at private parts, may be considered normal. However, some sexual behaviors are inappropriate and potentially harmful to children. For example, some children display intrusive, aggressive, or coercive sexual behaviors.

Many children with PSB can be helped with treatment. They can live at home and attend school and other activities without jeopardizing the safety of other children. Most of these children do not continue to have sexual behavior problems into adolescence and adulthood. PSB-CBT is available for children ages 7-14 and their care-givers.

MEET THE THERAPIST



Ashley Ferguson, MS, ALC

Ashley is an Associate Licensed Professional Counselor and holds a Master of Science in Counseling from Faulkner University. Ashley is TF-CBT Certified and has completed numerous hours of training in the areas of trauma, attachment, and play therapy.



Kodi Avera, LMSW

Kodi is a licensed master social worker. She is a nationally certified therapist in Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Treatment, with a specialized focus on children and adolescents who have experienced physical and/or sexual trauma.

Medical Services

Butterfly Bridge CAC now has onsite forensic medical services.

After a disclosure or concern of abuse, it is often helpful for a child to see a health professional. Butterfly Bridge CAC offers on-site, forensically-sound medical services by a specially-trained pediatric sexual assault nurse examiner (Pedi-SANE). This is at no cost to the family. Medical services are provided in a child-friendly exam room using state-of-the-art equipment.

The medical exam is not painful or invasive.

The purpose of a medical exam is to:

- Ensure the health and well-being of the child
- Reassure the child that everything is okay with their body
- Diagnose and treat medical conditions that may or may not be related to child abuse
- Provide video documentation of possible physical and forensic findings
- Address any underlying medical, developmental or psychological concerns.



Kathleen Calhoun, CRNP, DNP, BBCAC Medical Director

Kathleen is a Pediatric Nurse Practitioner and Pediatric Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE). Kathleen received her Bachelor's, Master's and Doctorate degrees from the University of South Alabama with a primary focus in pediatrics and education.

FINANCIALS

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
As of September 30, 2023

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS

River Bank -Operating Reserve	\$164,495.89	
River Bank -Checking	\$112,317.49	
Capital Campaign Checking	\$73,285.53	
River Bank Construction	\$8.47	
River Bank Satellite	\$34,663.36	
Accounts Receivable	\$4,797.89	
Grant Receivables	\$40,001.54	
Prepaid Expenses	\$1,225.00	
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		\$430,795.17

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Furniture & Fixtures	\$153,624.08	
Capital Construction -Bldg Improv	\$4,297.37	
Capital Construction -Building	\$798,459.94	
Capital Construction -Land Improv	\$50,140.35	
Capital Construction -Land	\$36,998.98	
Equipment	\$108,300.35	
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(\$92,516.21)	
		\$1,059,304.86

NON CURRENT ASSETS

Intangibles	\$15,010.00	
Accumulated Amortization	\$(15,010.00)	
Security Deposits	\$100.00	
		\$100.00
		\$1,490,200.03

LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS

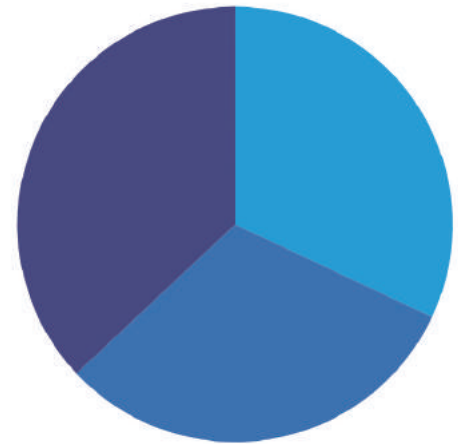
CURRENT LIABILITIES

Term Life Insurance	\$15.50	
SUI Payable	\$43.50	
United Way Withholding	\$161.00	
Health Insurance-Employee	\$827.00	
State W/H Payable	\$1,250.35	
Payables	\$22,284.79	
Simple IRA - Morgan Stanley	\$1,956.94	
941 Taxes Payable	\$7,375.43	
Unearned Revenue	\$8,000.00	
Construction Loan	\$150,894.00	
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		\$192,808.51

NET ASSETS

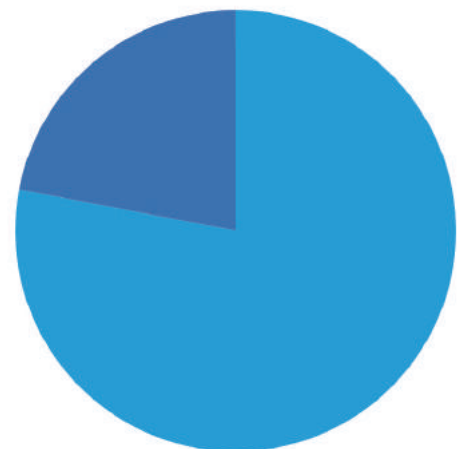
Net Assets without donor restrictions	\$278,907.74	
Net Assets with donor restrictions	\$1,018,483.78	
		\$1,297,391.52
		\$1,490,200.03

INCOME



Special Events: 32%
Public Support & Contributions: 31%
Governmental Affiliated: 37%

EXPENSES



Program Services: 78%
Supporting Services: 22%

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FORENSIC INTERVIEWS



Specially trained staff members at Butterfly Bridge CAC conduct legally justifiable fact-finding interviews with children at the request of law enforcement or the Department of Human Resources during child abuse investigations. The interviews are designed to allow a child to disclose abuse if abuse has occurred.

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COUNSELING

Evidence based, trauma informed interventions allows child victims and their non-offending family members the chance to heal from abuse. Services include: therapeutic services for child abuse victims, psychoeducational support groups for non-offending family members, and referrals to other needed community resources.



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ADVOCACY



Advocacy is designed to provide a continuum of care for children and families throughout the criminal justice process. We working closely with the local multi-disciplinary team of professionals who investigate cases. We also provide support through the process to make sure no clients' needs go unmet.

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MDT MEETINGS



BBCAC coordinates intervention among child welfare professionals in Chilton, Autauga, and Elmore counties to ensure protection of victims and their non-offending family members. Communication across agencies strengthens criminal cases so that perpetrators can be held accountable, keeping our community safe.

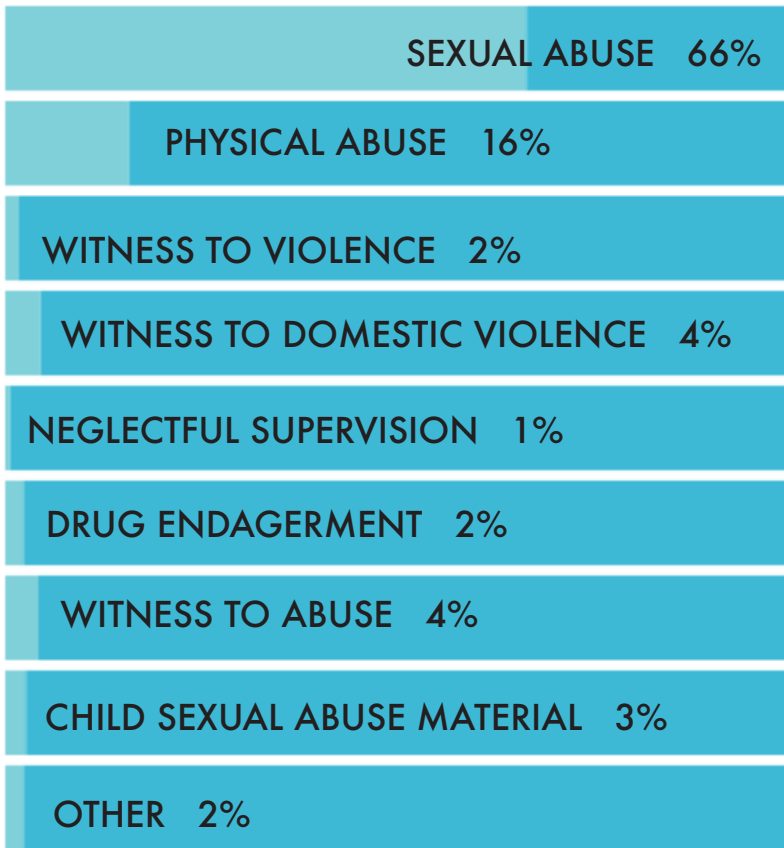
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CASES STAFFED



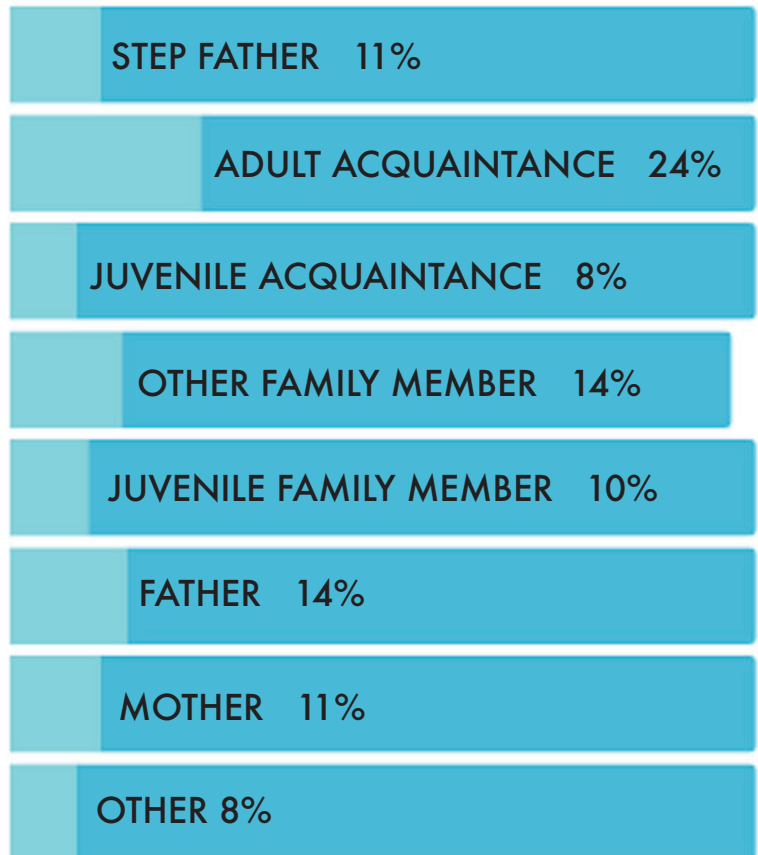
TOTAL SERVICES PROVIDED 5866

Every day children victimized by abuse come to Butterfly Bridge Children's Advocacy Center where they find caring professionals and community partners who dedicate themselves to helping them through the nightmare of abuse and neglect. The Center provides a friendly environment where children can safely tell their story and receive the support they need. Within the Center, families find support, resources, and most importantly a place where healing begins.



REASONS FOR REFERRAL

RELATIONSHIP TO OFFENDER



IMPACT & OUTREACH

Butterfly Bridge CAC staff provide free training and education on child abuse related topics to the community and to child abuse professionals.



991

COMMUNITY PROFESSIONALS
TRAINED



1,642

COMMUNITY MEMBERS
INFORMED

1,574

CHILDREN & TEENS EQUIPPED
WITH PREVENTION INFORMATION



376.5K

REACHED THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA
AND WEBSITE



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OUR TEAM



Jana Zuelzke
Executive Director &
Child Forensic Interview Specialist



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Child Forensic Interview Specialist



Katie Bayley
Therapist &
Forensic Interviewer



Ashley Ferguson
Therapist &
Forensic Interviewer



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Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church
New Life Community Church
Sand Springs United Methodist Church
Soul Winners Bible Church Inc.
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West End Baptist Church

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Clanton Lions Club
Kiwanis Club of Wetumpka
Millbrook Civitan Club #3976
Prattville Lions Club
Prattville Millbrook Sunrise Rotary Club
Rotary Club of Chilton County
The Fleur De Lis Garden Club
West Elmore County Lions Club

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