

COMMUNITY IMPACT REPORT



MCHS
FAMILY OF SERVICES



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A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT & CEO.



As we reflect on 2025, one word comes to mind: **resilience.**

The year brought significant uncertainty to the human services sector. Shifting policies, funding challenges, and an evolving landscape required nonprofits like MCHS to navigate uncertainty and upheaval while remaining focused on those who depend on us most. Throughout it all, our commitment never wavered.

For more than 108 years, MCHS Family of Services has stood beside vulnerable children, young adults, families, older adults, and individuals with disabilities. Because of all of you, we continued providing critical support, safe spaces, life-changing services, and pathways to opportunity for thousands of individuals throughout the year.

What I am most proud of is not simply that we endured uncertainty; it is that we continued moving forward.

We remained focused on our mission, invested in the well-being of those we serve, and found new ways to support all those who needed us.

The stories and outcomes in this report are a testament to the power of our donors and volunteers and their unwavering faith in MCHS and the collective belief that every person deserves the opportunity to thrive. You represented the compassion, dedication, and determination that defined us in 2025.

As we look ahead, we do so with confidence and optimism. Your continued support positions us for growth, expanded impact, and new opportunities to serve our communities in the years to come.

Thank you for standing with MCHS through every challenge and every success. Your resilience and support make this work possible, and together, our future remains bright.

All my best,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kevin Roach', written in a cursive style.

Kevin Roach
President and CEO
MCHS Family of Services

ABOUT US.

Who We Are

MCHS is a human services agency providing Child Welfare, Residential Treatment, Housing, Community, Mental Health, and Education programs and services to children, families, and older adults throughout Michigan.

Mission

We provide individualized treatment, care, advocacy, and permanency to children and families impacted by childhood trauma.

Vision

Building a community where every child and family has a safer and brighter future.

Core Values

Celebrate the worth, diversity, and dignity of every youth and family.

Work collectively together and through partnerships to provide the best care possible.

Give voice to our youth and families who do not have a voice.

Commit to results.

Make a positive impact on our communities.

HUSTLE & HEART.

This is what hustle and heart look like. A team of caring, skilled professionals showing up with passion, purpose, and joy while supporting one another and the individuals we serve.



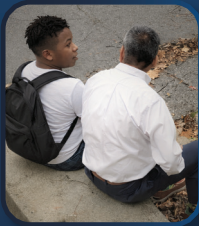
“ As an HR team member, I may not work directly with clients, but I take great pride in helping build the support team that does.

-Ellie



“ It is incredibly rewarding to support the growth and celebrate the progress of the young people we serve.

-Daniel



“ My favorite part of working at MCHS is watching young mothers grow in confidence, independence, and hope for their future.

-Ronnika

OUR PROGRAMS.

Child Welfare

Foster Care

Provides safe havens for hundreds of children removed from their homes due to abuse and neglect. Through care and support, we help children find secure, loving homes with a focus on permanency and safety.

Adoption

For children unable to reunify with their families, we help find safe, loving, forever families so they can reach their fullest potential.

Housing

Independent Living Plus (ILP)

We support young men aging out of foster care by providing mentorship, life skills, education support, and workforce development while helping them build confidence and access the resources they need to thrive.

My Friend's Place

We support young people facing homelessness or housing instability by offering transitional and rapid rehousing for up to 24 youth at a time, paired with resources, case management, and therapeutic support to help them build stability and move forward.

Teen Infant Parenting Services (TIPS)

Provides housing and supportive services to young parents and their children in Detroit, helping families experiencing homelessness build safety, stability, and confidence.

Supportive Independent Living (SIL)

We serve male teenagers with complex backgrounds and needs by offering skill-building, employment support, recreation, and case management to help them move forward.



Community Services

Senior Programs

Our Foster Grandparent and Senior Companion Programs connect senior volunteers with youth through community partnerships, building supportive, intergenerational relationships.

The Fowler Center

We welcome children, teens, and adults of all abilities to barrier-free summer camps, weekend respite experiences, equestrian programs, and travel adventures.

Child Abuse Prevention

Our prevention services support young parents across our Family of Services, helping create safe, stable homes through parenting support and essential items like diapers and baby supplies provided by our community of donors.

Unaccompanied Children

We walk alongside refugee children with comprehensive support, including home studies, case management, language and legal services, and long-term foster care.

Mental Health

My Safe Space

We walk alongside young people facing a mental health crisis, providing stabilization and support during times of homelessness or housing instability.

Mental Health Services

We support young people and their families through personalized treatment plans designed to foster healing and personal growth.

The Center for Pediatric Health & Wellness

We are in the early stages of developing The Center for Pediatric Health and Wellness, a state-of-the-art facility in northwest Detroit focused on supporting the mental and physical health of children and families.



Residential Treatment

Residential Care

More than housing, we offer residential treatment with wraparound care that meets the physical, emotional, and social needs of youth.

Aftercare

We walk alongside children and families during the transition into a new home, offering support and advocacy throughout the first year.

Clinical/Case Management

We pair daily care with personalized clinical and case-management support, creating an individualized plan that supports each child's growth and well-being.

Education

Fostering Leadership Academy

Our K–8 free public charter school is dedicated to whole-child learning, equipping students with the academic and social-emotional skills needed for success.



MORE THAN A SAFE PLACE.



When Tyzhane came to Michigan from Louisiana, she was hoping for a fresh start. Instead, she found herself facing one of the hardest moments of her life.

After escaping a violent domestic abuse situation, Tyzhane and her infant son, Ma'chai, were homeless, living out of their car with nowhere else to turn.

"It was one of the most terrifying things I have ever faced," she says.



As a young mother, Tyzhane was determined to protect her son, but the road ahead felt uncertain. She needed safety, stability, and support. Not just for herself, but for the little boy she calls "the light of my world."

That's when she found the Teen Infant Parenting Services (TIPS) program. Here, she found more than housing, she found the stability and support she needed to begin rebuilding her life. Tyzhane was able to focus on healing, strengthening her independence, and creating a foundation for the future.



Today, Tyzhane and Ma'chai have a home of their own. She is employed, financially stable, and focused on the future she once feared she might never have. Ma'chai is thriving, and together they are building a life grounded in safety, hope, and opportunity.

Looking back, Tyzhane knows exactly where that new beginning started.

"MCHS lit the way for me."

Her story is a powerful reminder that when young moms receive the support they need at the right moment, they can move beyond crisis and toward lasting stability, independence, and opportunity.

A FUTURE WORTH FIGHTING FOR.

This past spring, Travion graduated from high school, a milestone that once felt almost impossible.

Born to a teenage mother and later adopted, Travion faced significant challenges and as he grew older, anger and behavioral struggles followed him into school and daily life. He experienced trauma at an early age and entered foster care after a difficult home environment. By age 9, he was placed in the Residential Treatment Program at MCHS, where he met mentors who would help change the course of his life.

At MCHS, Travion found that kind of unwavering support. Staff members became the trusted adults who challenged him, encouraged him, and remained by his side through every success and setback. Over time, he began to see something in himself that others had seen all along: his own potential.

Today, Travion is preparing for adulthood through MCHS's Independent Living Program, where he is building the skills and confidence to live independently. After graduation, he plans to pursue a career in the skilled trades and continue creating the future he has worked so hard to achieve. Travion's story isn't defined by the hardships he experienced as a child. It's defined by resilience, perseverance, and the power of people who chose to believe in him.



STORIES WRITTEN TOGETHER.

Travion, Tyzhane, and Ma'chai are three of the countless individuals whose lives have been impacted through MCHS Family of Services. While our staff are often the ones on the front lines providing direct care, stories like these are made possible by a much larger community. Donors, volunteers, staff, partners, and those we serve all play a part in helping write new chapters of hope, healing, and possibility.

Together, we are helping individuals and families move toward a brighter future.

A YEAR OF RESILIENCE & TRANSFORMATION.

**1,686
Unique
Individuals**

Received Care,
Advocacy, Respect,
and Dignity Across
our Family of
Services

357

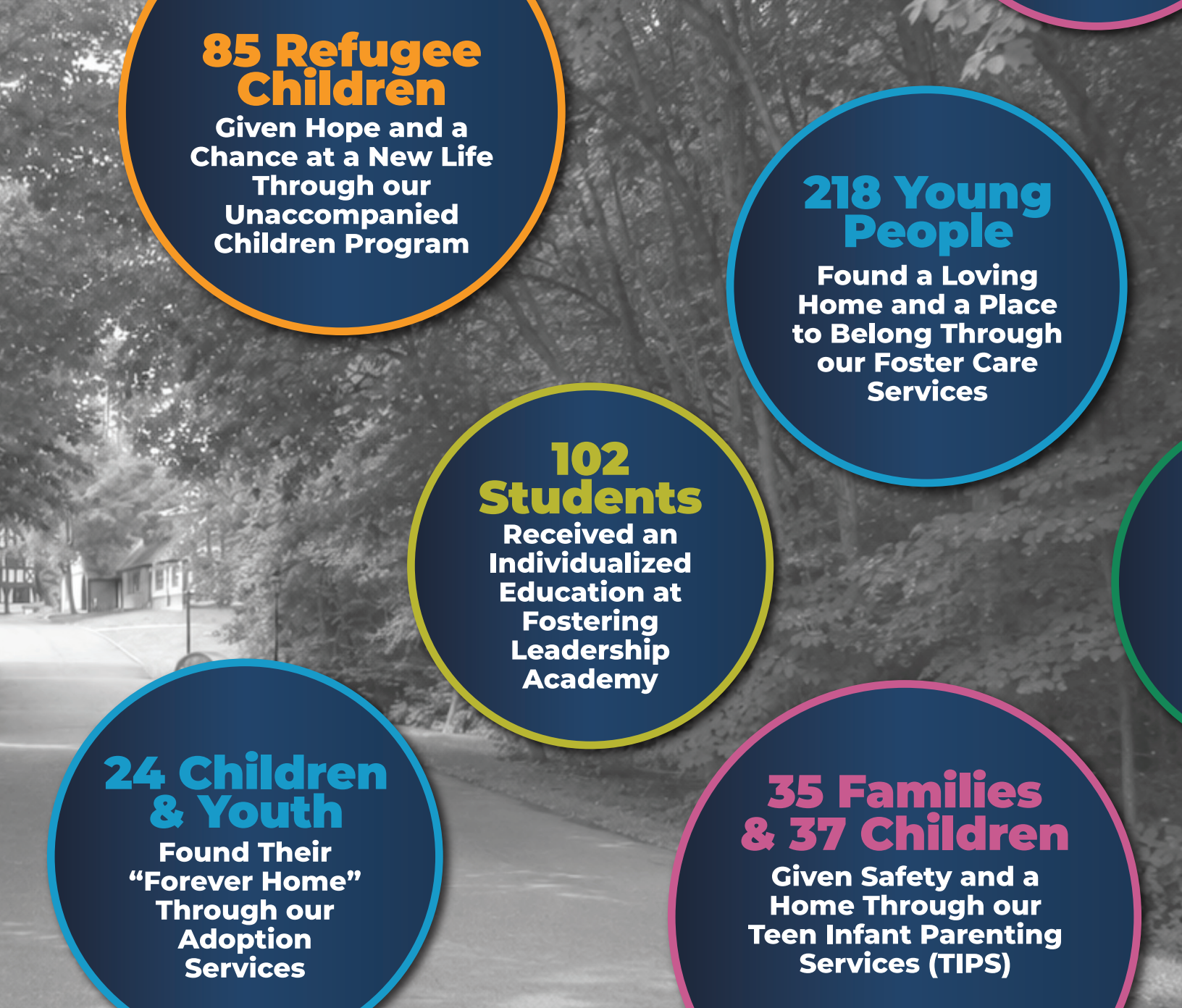
The Average
Number of
Individuals Served
at MCHS on
Any Given
Day

**798
Campers**

Experienced
Limitless Joy
at The Fowler
Center

**46 Young
Men**

Aging out of Foster Care
Received Mentorship
and Life Skills Training
Through our
Independent Living
Programs



85 Refugee Children

**Given Hope and a
Chance at a New Life
Through our
Unaccompanied
Children Program**

218 Young People

**Found a Loving
Home and a Place
to Belong Through
our Foster Care
Services**

102 Students

**Received an
Individualized
Education at
Fostering
Leadership
Academy**

24 Children & Youth

**Found Their
“Forever Home”
Through our
Adoption
Services**

35 Families & 37 Children

**Given Safety and a
Home Through our
Teen Infant Parenting
Services (TIPS)**

COMING SOON:

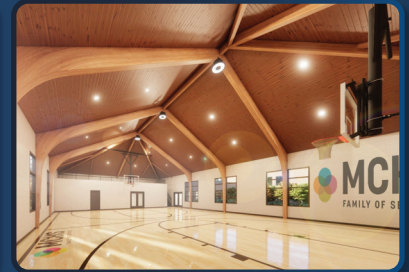
The Center for Pediatric Health and Wellness

Imagine a place where children, teens, and young adults can heal and grow while they learn, play, connect, and receive the care they need.

That place is becoming a reality in northwest Detroit.

MCHS is in the process of transforming a 55,000-square-foot building into **The Center for Pediatric Health and Wellness**, a state-of-the-art space designed to support youth and families from Detroit and across Michigan.

With services ranging from therapy and crisis care to day treatment and respite support, the Center will bring together **mental health, medical and dental care, education, and recreation** in one integrated model, helping approximately 4,000 children, adolescents, and families each year take meaningful steps toward healing and hope.



Scan To Learn More About The Center And How You Can Be Part Of This History-Making Moment In Detroit



MCHS

LEGACY SOCIETY

The **MCHS Legacy Society** is an annual program **celebrating the impact** of our most generous financial partners and the safe spaces, vital resources, and life-changing services their support helps provide for children, families, and older adults across our communities.

“My father, Norman Strachan, lived at Methodist Children's Home Society Children's Village in the 1940s, when my widowed grandmother needed support for her sons. The care he received helped shape values of honesty, accountability, and hard work that live in me today.

-Ron Strachan, Society Member



Current Administration Building in Redford, painted by Norman during his time as an MCHS resident

Why Join?

Members enjoy exclusive benefits, including opportunities to engage with MCHS initiatives, recognition in our publications, and the satisfaction of knowing their generosity creates lasting change. Together, we can strengthen our community and build a legacy of hope, empowerment, and resilience.



Ron and Norman



Norman, age 10

Join Today!

Become part of the **MCHS Legacy Society** and help strengthen the programs that make MCHS a trusted community partner. Your support creates meaningful impact today while helping build a stronger future for the children, families, and communities we serve.



**Scan To
Learn More
About Joining
The Movement
And Becoming A
Society Member**



MCHS | PLANNED GIVING

Create Your Legacy

At **MCHS Family of Services**, we've spent more than a century providing care, hope, and stability to children, young adults, families, and older adults across Michigan. From foster care and transitional housing to mental health services and community support, your generosity makes real transformation possible.

Planned giving gives you a meaningful way to extend your values beyond your lifetime and ensure MCHS continues to transform lives for generations to come. By including MCHS in your estate plans, you create a lasting legacy of compassion, care, and opportunity for those who need it most.

Why Planned Giving Matters

Every child deserves a safe home. Every family deserves support. And every person deserves the opportunity to thrive. Your planned gift ensures that MCHS can continue fulfilling this promise—long into the future. Whether you choose to include MCHS in your will, name us as a beneficiary of a retirement account, or support our mission through other planned gifts, your impact will ripple through the lives of hundreds of families across Michigan.



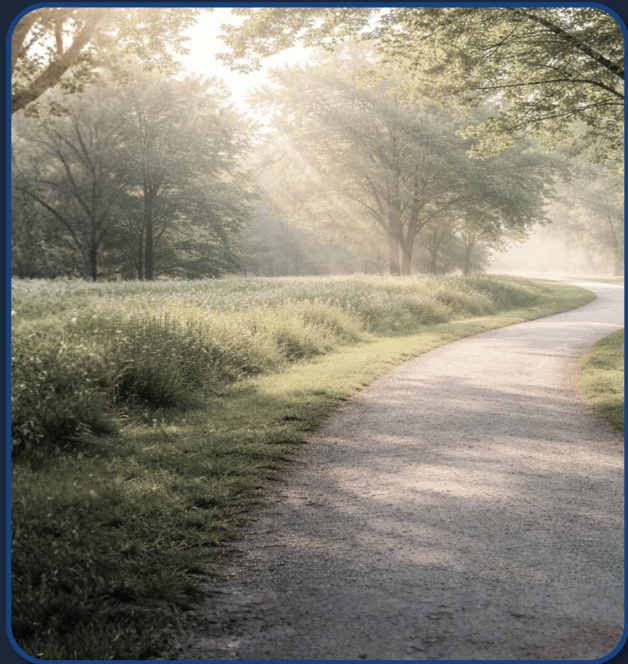
A PATH FORWARD. A LEGACY THAT LASTS.

How it Works

Planned giving is flexible and can be tailored to your personal, family, and financial goals. Options may include:

- Bequests
- Beneficiary Designations
- Charitable Trusts or Annuities
- Gifts of Stock or Other Appreciated Assets
- Pooled income funds
- Employer matching gifts

Please consult your financial or legal advisor to determine the best option for your situation.



Your Legacy Begins Today

When you choose **MCHS Planned Giving**, you help build a future where children and families have access to care, belonging, and opportunity for generations to come. We are grateful for the thoughtful donors who have already included MCHS in their long-term plans. If you have made a planned gift, please let us know so we can thank you and honor your vision.

**Scan To Learn More
And Explore How
Planned Giving
Could Fit Into
Your Legacy**

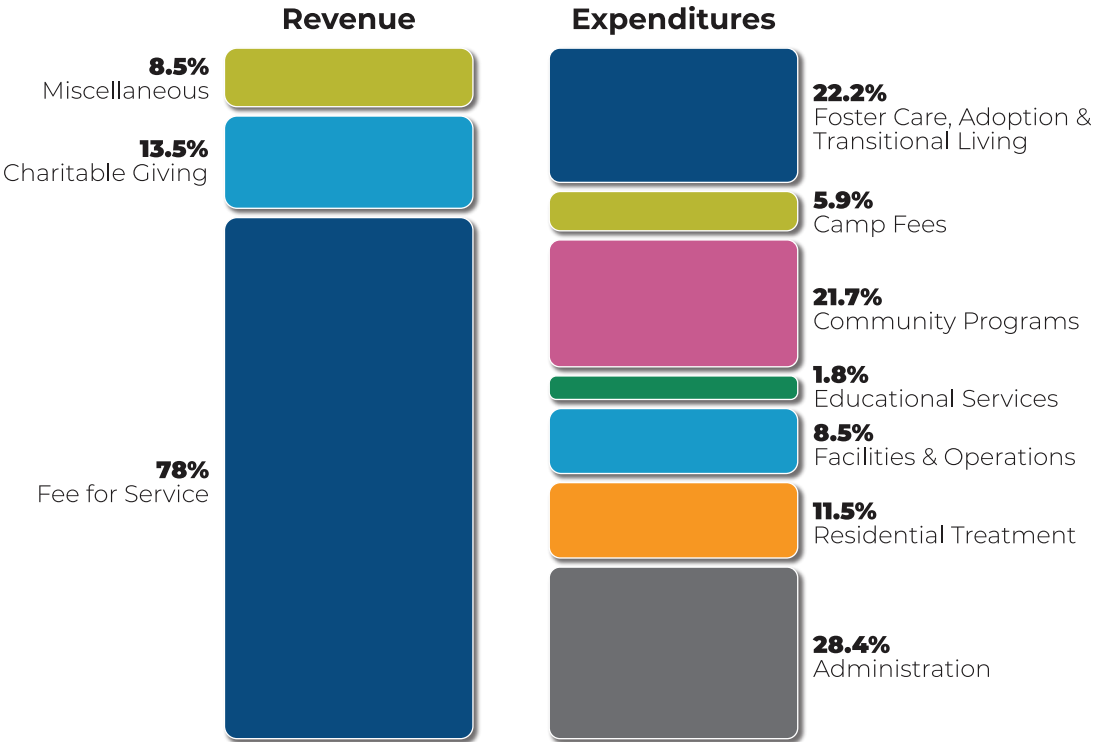


FINANCIALS.

We are committed to maintaining the highest accounting standards, demonstrated through independent audits and reviews by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR), the American Camp Association (ACA), AmeriCorps, and the Department of Education. These rigorous practices reflect our dedication to responsible stewardship, long-term sustainability, and continued growth.

For more information, please feel free to contact our Finance Team at finance@mchsmi.org.

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800
Volunteers
Gave Over
3,200
Hours Of
Service In
2025!

At MCHS Family of Services, we believe our volunteers are truly top notch. From individuals and community groups to churches and corporate teams, they all share something special:

they know what it means to show up.

And when they show up, they bring more than helping hands. They bring open hearts and a genuine desire to make a difference in the lives of those we serve.

Volunteer opportunities at MCHS are personalized and meaningful. Our development team works closely with individuals and groups to create unique experiences that align your skills and interests with the needs of our programs and the people we serve. Whether you have a few hours, a full day, or a team ready to serve, we would love to help you find a way to get involved.

Ready to roll up your sleeves for children and families in need? Contact us today at volunteer@mchsmi.org and let's get to work!



THERE'S MORE THAN ONE WAY TO SHOW UP.

Volunteering is one meaningful way to show up, but it's not the only one. There are plenty of ways to support children and families in our community, whether you have time to give, resources to share, or people you can bring along with you. Check out a few other ways to show up below.

● **Schedule a Tour**

Tucked away on 90 scenic acres in Redford, Michigan, the MCHS Family of Services' main campus is a hidden gem. Schedule a tour to explore our history, see our work firsthand, and discover what partnership with MCHS can make possible for those we serve.

● **Make a Donation**

Your generosity through monetary donations and in-kind gifts helps sustain the essential programs and services children, families, and older adults rely on every day. With your support, MCHS is helping build safer, stronger communities and create brighter futures across Michigan.

● **Leave a Legacy**

Planned giving is a meaningful way to give back and invest in the causes that matter most to you. From gifts of cash or stock to naming MCHS as a beneficiary of a retirement account or trust, there are many ways to create a lasting impact.

To explore your options or learn more about joining the MCHS Legacy Society, contact Chief Development Officer Raquel Sulaiman at **rsulaiman@mchsmi.org**. We would be honored to help you create a legacy of hope and healing.

● **Become a Foster Family**

Opening your heart and home to a child in foster care can change a life, including your own. Through fostering or adoption, children are given the safety, stability, and belonging they need to grow and thrive.

Ready to learn more? Contact us at **fostercare@mchsmi.org**. Our team is here to answer your questions and support you as you take the first step in your foster care journey.

● **Let's Connect!**

There is always something meaningful happening at MCHS, and we would love for you to stay connected. Join our email community and follow us on social media to hear the latest stories, learn about upcoming events, and discover new ways to make a difference.

Have questions or want to connect? Reach out anytime at **info@mchsmi.org** or call **(313) 531-4060**.

We'd love to hear from you!



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OUR COMMUNITY OF PARTNERS.

We're grateful for our community of financial partners* whose generosity moves our mission forward. Your partnership creates real impact for the children, families, and communities we serve, helping build brighter futures across Michigan and beyond.

Individuals

Amanda Scroggs
Amory Roach
Andrea Reese
Andrew and Lyndsay Franklin
Andrew Baldwin
Ann and Brian Turnbull
Annie and Andrew Bazakis
Ashley Deeb
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Arizona Community Foundation
Arrow Office Supply
Auto Club Group Foundation
Bank of America
Bank of America Charitable Foundation
Big Beaver United Methodist
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Brightmoor Christian Church
Camp Nebagamon Scholarship Fund
Center Stage Dance Company
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Comerica Bank
Costa Casual
Detroit Lions
Detroit Manufacturing Systems
Detroit Tigers
Down River Cleaning Services, INC.
Dryden Family Foundation
DTE Energy Foundation
E & L Construction Group, Inc.
Emil Rummel Agency
Ernst & Young
Ever Kold Refrigeration
Fifth Third Bank
Five Eleven Auction
Framework E
Gallagher
Gasser Bush

General Motors
Glantz Family Trust
Grosse Pointe UMC
Grosse Pointe UM Women
Groundworks Companies
Growth Works
Hadley Family Foundation
Hap CareSource
Hope UMC
HOUR Media
Huntington Bank
KeyBank
Kienbaum Hardy Viviano Pelton Forrest
Kissel Family Charitable Fund
Lake Michigan Credit Union
Lake Trust Credit Union
Life Construction
Lis, McCallion, Raymor & Co., P.C.
LoVasco Group
Margaret Dunning Foundation
Masco Corporation
Mercantile Bank
Metropolitan UMC
Metropolitan UM Women
Michigan Conference of the UMC
Midwest Strategy Group
Mihalich Charitable Foundation
Milford UMC
MVP Collaborative
National Diagnostic Services
NBS Commercial Interiors
Noreen Owens Photography
Northville First UMC
Orsa Credit Union
Orsa Foundation
Plymouth Kiwanis Foundation
PNC Bank
Proactive Technology Management
PWC
Raising Canes
Robin Schwartz PR
Samuel L. Westerman Foundation
Santa's Toy Drive & Social Work
Sigma Gamma Foundation
Sun Communities

Ted Lindsay Foundation
Textiles Fabric Shop
The Betty & Leo Blazok Foundation
The Carls Foundation
The Children's Foundation
The Home Depot Foundation
The James Binson Charitable Foundation
Title One, Inc.
Toshiba
Towne Mortgage Company
Tuscola County Community Foundation
Twelve Mile Crossing
Two Men and a Truck
United Methodist Foundation of Michigan
United Women in Faith of Birmingham and Berkley
Van Elslander Family Foundation
VersiCare Group
Wade Trim
Ward Church
Waterford Central UMC
Wendy Marie Cope Memorial Fund
Yeo & Yeo
Zingerman's

“ I support The Fowler Center of MCHS Family of Services because it is a vital resource rooted in autonomy, dignity of risk, and belonging. Fowler creates opportunities for people of all abilities to try new things, build confidence, and experience life in ways that honor their independence and dignity.

-Damon Bryan



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