



## AGENCY OVERVIEW

Children's Home + Aid is a leading child and family service agency in Illinois. Each year, it protects, educates and counsels over 40,000 children, youth and families to improve their lives. For 130 years, Children's Home + Aid has been a compassionate advocate helping to shape public policy in child welfare, early childhood and juvenile justice. Children's Home + Aid is recognized for establishing best practices and achieving outstanding results through its programs and services that focus on child abuse prevention, healthy child development and strengthening families.

**Our Mission:** To give children help, hope and opportunity.

**Our Vision:** To build a better life for children, youth and families.

**Our Work:** Saves children's lives, moves families forward and goes where the need is greatest.

Children's Home + Aid served over 40,000 children and families through direct and indirect services in Fiscal Year 2013.

Children's Home + Aid has an annual budget of more than \$60 million, nearly 1000 employees statewide, over 1,100 licensed foster families, and more than 80 programs in 28 locations in nearly 60 counties in Illinois including the cities of Chicago, Rockford, Bloomington-Normal and Metro East areas.



### Family Centered Services

Protecting children from abuse, strengthening families and providing safe, permanent and loving homes.

**Foster Care:** 1,743 abused and neglected children were kept safe in foster homes.

**Adoption Support Services:** 170 families received adoption support services.

**Intact Family Services:** 1,429 children and 458 parents and caregivers benefitted from services to stabilize families that have suffered abuse, neglect or extreme hardship.

### Early Childhood Services

Building a strong foundation for a lifetime of learning

1,132 children at risk of academic failure received vital early care and education to promote school readiness and healthy development at our five Child + Family Centers.

23,984 parents and children were helped to access affordable, high-quality early childhood care and education.

### Clinical and Community Services

Advancing the success of children, youth and families

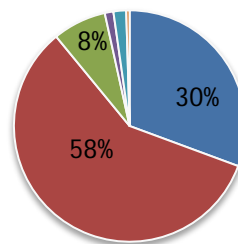
**Child and Family Counseling:** 833 fragile children were strengthened through counseling.

**Parent Support:** 2,110 parents were helped to build their parenting skills and learn about their child's development, benefitting 1,194 children.

**Residential Services:** 67 emotionally troubled children were helped to heal from abuse, neglect and other trauma through intensive 24/7 therapeutic residential care.

**Youth Services:** 2,892 at risk youth received help to ensure their success at home, in school and in their community.

### Fiscal Year 2013 Public + Private Support and Program Revenue: \$60 Million



- Government Grants
- Government Fees
- Philanthropic Contributions
- Trust Income
- United Way
- Other