

2022

# ANNUAL REPORT

Alternatives Incorporated strives to eradicate domestic and sexual violence through education, prevention, and intervention in Central Indiana.



## About the Organization

Alternatives Incorporated has been serving domestic and sexual violence survivors since 1978. The agency is dedicated to helping survivors find peace and stability.

A wide array of services are available to assist in establishing a successful future. All services are survivor-driven and trauma-informed.

Advocates help connect survivors to resources throughout the community, assess their specific needs, provide additional services tailored to their unique experience, and offer ongoing support.

In addition, we provide prevention, awareness, and education opportunities throughout the communities we serve.

Together we can bring an end to the cycle of violence and create a more peaceful future for all.

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## Service Summary



#### Survivors Served

Some survivors utilize multiple programs. In total 463 unduplicated survivors were served (a 7% increase)— 168 in emergency shelter; 118 in long term housing; and 237 through our nonresidential program.



#### **Prevention Presentations**

Our prevention specialists provided 432 classroom presentations for 1,482 unduplicated youth, teaching them the elements of a healthy relationship.



#### Crisis Calls Answered

Staff responded to 3,869 crisis calls this year, providing safety planning, crisis response, and support over the phone.



#### Nights of Safety

The agency provided 4,415 nights of safety for survivors residing in our emergency shelter program.



#### **Support Groups**

Survivors participated in over 56 support, education, and therapy groups where they learned new skills and fellowshipped with one another.



#### **Professionals Trained**

Over 270 professionals throughout our service area participated in specific training related to domestic violence and sexual assault.

## Impact

"The first night I left my abusive relationship I had a sense of peace. Like a huge weight had been lifted off my shoulders. For the first time, I felt free. I laid my head down on my pillow that night cuddling with my babies and that was the first time that I felt safe."

"Alternatives has helped me find myself, helped let me know it was okay to be alone. They helped me when I had nothing and nowhere to go."

"They showed me how to believe in myself again, how to save and budget, and how to spot red flag signs of what to accept and not accept. They also helped me and my family gain housing."

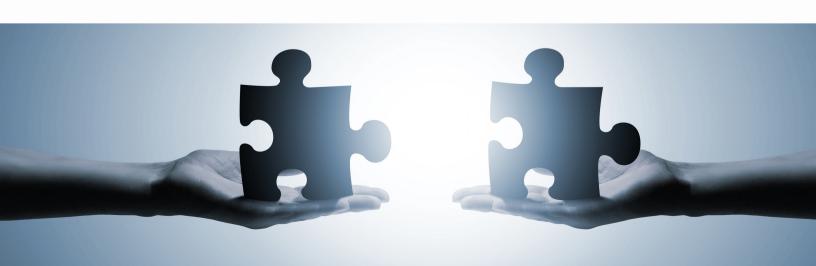
"I have already overcome so many milestones. I see myself doing better and being able to do it on my own."



### **Funders**

- ALDI Cares
- Anderson Community School Corporation
- Caesars Foundation
- The CenterPoint Energy Foundation
- Christ Church Cathedral
- City of Anderson CDBG
- City of Elwood
- City of Greenfield
- City of Tipton
- County Materials Corporation
- Crosser Family Foundation, a fund of Hamilton County Community Foundation
- Emergency Food and Shelter Program
- The Glick Fund, a fund of CICF
- Hamilton County Community Foundation, a CICF affiliate
- Hancock County Community Foundation

- Heart of Indiana United Way
- Indiana Criminal Justice Institute
- Indiana Department of Education
- Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority
- Kroger Foundation
- Madison County Coalition Against Substance Abuse
- Madison County Community Foundation
- MIBOR Foundation | The REALTOR® Foundation
- Sam's Club/Walmart Foundation
- Sertoma, Inc.
- Tipton County
- Tipton County Foundation, Inc.
- United Way of Central Indiana
- Women's Fund of Central Indiana, a fund of CICF



## Financials



Revenue		
Community Support	\$	284,666
Inkind Contributions	\$	81,713
Special Events	\$	97,395
Federal & State Grants	\$	1,017,002
Foundations	\$	93,724
United Ways	\$	143,877
Program Fees	\$	61,894
Investments	\$	(40,793)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$	1,739,478
Expense	:S	
Expense	s \$	912,928
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Personnel	\$	·
Personnel Professional Fees	\$ \$	46,334
Personnel Professional Fees Supplies	\$ \$ \$	46,334 142,743
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Fundraising 2%

Admin. 8%

Nonresidential 12%

use our

funds

21%

End of Year Net Assets \$3,200,607

## **Contact Us**



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