Organizations Funded by the ADCANP in 2016

District 1

- Alta Pointe Health Systems, Inc.
- Auburn University
- Baldwin County Child Advocacy Center
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of South Alabama, Inc.
- Catholic Social Services for Family Service Center - Bay Minette
- Goodwill Easter Seals
- Gulf Regional Early Childhood Services
- Mobile County Health Department
- The Family Center
- United Cerebral Palsy of Mobile, Inc.

District 2

- Aid to Inmate Mothers
- Alabama Parent Education Center
- Alabama Partnership for Children
- Alfred Saliba Family Services Center
- Auburn University
- Exchange Center for Child Abuse Prevention
- Family Guidance Center of Alabama
- Family Services Center of Coffee County
- Family Support Center
- Gift of Life Foundation
- Healthy Kids
- Montgomery Area Family Violence Program, Inc. dba Family Sunshine Center
- Organized Community Action Programs, Inc.
- Second Chance Foundation
- United Cerebral Palsy of Mobile, Inc.

District 3

- Auburn University
- Chambers County Council for Neglected and Dependent Children and Youth, Inc.
- Child Care Resource Center Inc./Employers' Child Care Alliance
- Coosa Valley Youth Services
- East Alabama Mental Health
- East Central Alabama United Cerebral Palsy Inc.
- Family Services Center of Calhoun County, Inc.
- FIRST Family Service Center
- Sylacauga Alliance for Family Enhancement, Inc.

District 4

- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast AL
- Community Action Agency of Northwest AL
- Family Services of North Alabama
- Family Success Center of Etowah County, Inc.
- Gadsden State Community College
- Jasper Area Family Services Center, Inc.
- Lawrence County Schools
- Marshall-Jackson 310 Agency
- Sheffield City School
- Thirteenth Place
- United Cerebral Palsy of Northwest AL
- United Way's Success By 6

District 5

- Attention Homes of Northwest Alabama, Inc.
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of North AL
- Community Action Agency of Northwest AL
- Decatur Youth Services
- Family Services Center, Inc.
- National Children's Advocacy Center
- Parents and Children Together
- United Cerebral Palsy of Huntsville & Tennessee Valley, Inc.

District 6

- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Birmingham
- Camp Fire Alabama
- Childcare Resources
- Exchange Club Child Abuse Prevention Center
- Family Guidance Center of Alabama
- Girls Incorporated of Central Alabama
- Glenwood, Inc.
- IMPACT Family Counseling
- Kid One Transport, Inc.
- St. Clair County Day Program, Inc.
- United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Birmingham
- Vineyard Family Services of Central Alabama, Inc.
- Youth Towers

District 7

- BAMA Kids, Inc.
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of West Alabama
- Central AL Regional Child Advocacy Center
- Children's Aid Society
- Child Abuse Prevention Services of Tuscaloosa
- UA—Child Development Resources
- Dallas County Children's Policy Council
- Dallas County Family Resource Center
- My Father's House Foundation
- Pickens County Family Resource Center
- Tuscaloosa Family Resource Center dba Tuscaloosa's One Place
- UCPWA of West Alabama

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The Alabama Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention (ADCANP), *The Children's Trust Fund,* is the only statewide organization focused exclusively on the issue of child abuse and neglect prevention. We advocate for children and the strengthening of families.

***Our Mission**: To secure resources to fund evidence-based community programs committed to the prevention of child maltreatment; we advocate for children and the strengthening of families.*

The Alabama Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention is the Alabama Chapter for Prevent Child Abuse America. The Alabama PCAA was established May 18, 2007.

Prevent Child Abuse Alabama

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How Can You Help?

DONATE . . .MAKE A TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DONATION

Help prevent child abuse and neglect by making a tax-deductible donation of any amount to the Alabama's Children's Trust Fund. Donations can be made by visiting our website at http://ctf.alabama.gov.

CREATE AN HONORARY OR MEMORIAL FUND

Honor the life of someone special by designating the Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention's Children's Trust Fund as a recipient of tax deductible honorary or memorial donations.

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Over 85% of the Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention's Children's Trust Fund dollars go directly to fund programs that protect our children from abuse and neglect. Income tax refunds can become an investment in the children of this State. This tax-deductible donation can be done by simply attaching Schedule DC to your State Income Tax Return and checking 1d "Child Abuse Trust Fund".

NETWORK . . .CONTACT YOUR STATE LEGISLATOR

Request support for ADCANP and the programs we fund in your communities to ensure healthier children and stronger families, and reduce the avoidable taxpayer expenses through providing community-based programs across Alabama.

PURCHASE A PREVENTING CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT LICENSE PLATE

When you buy a Children's Trust Fund tag or a Realtor® specialty license plate, approximately 92% of the purchase price goes directly to fund community-based prevention programs in Alabama. These tags are available at every County Probate Office and are tax-deductible. They can be personalized with any combination of six letters or numbers at no additional charge.

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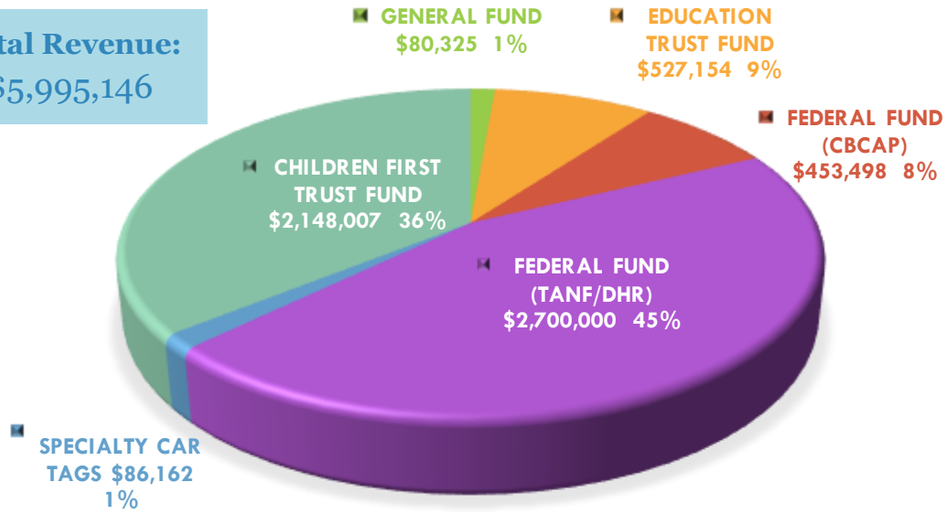
Financial Statement for Fiscal Year 2016

Total Revenue:
$5,995,146



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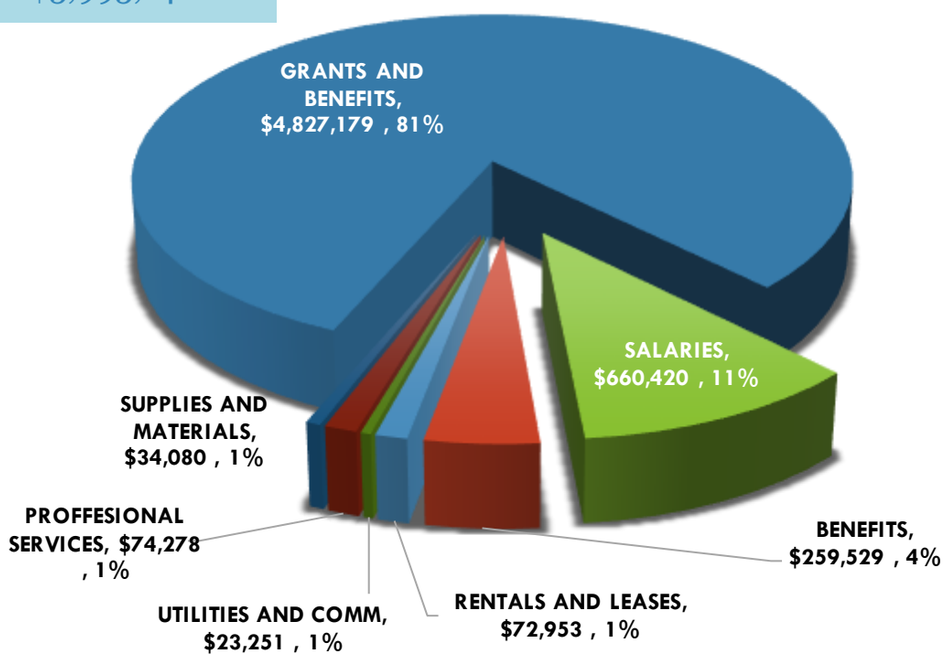


Greetings All,

We are proud to present our 2016 Annual Report of the Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention. This report highlights our revenue sources, expenditures, grantees and program evaluation. The 2016 report also features the creation of the Children's Cabinet and the work of the Erin's Law Task Force.

Our agency, also known as The Children's Trust Fund, works diligently to secure the resources to award grant funding to community-based programs across Alabama that work to prevent child maltreatment. Programs funded fall into the categories of parent education and support; home visiting; fatherhood; respite care; mentoring; and public awareness. Our grantees incorporate the protective factors work in their service models and delivery. These community-based programs focus on providing resources and training to ensure that children are raised in safe, stable and nurturing environments.

ADCANP/CTF provides on-going training and technical assistance, as well as other resources, to each of the programs funded by our agency to ensure accountability and we partner with Auburn University to evaluate the progress and success of each grantee. We are equally proud to partner with other state agencies and organizations as we work together to invest in programs that provide children and families with opportunities to thrive.

Warmest regards,

Sallye R. Longshore
Executive Director

*The ADCANP has been protecting children in the state of Alabama for **33** years.*

1983
ADCANP was established by Act of Legislature

1996
Children's Trust Fund tag approved to raise funds and increase awareness

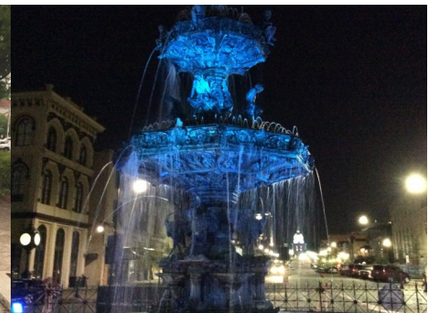
2000
ADCANP partners with Alabama Association of Realtors to increase funding through specialty car tags

2007
ADCANP became the Alabama Chapter of Prevent Child Abuse America

2010
ADCANP partnered with SIDS of Pennsylvania to begin Alabama Cribs for Kids program

2015
Passage of Erin's Law in Alabama & Governor's Task Force on Prevention of Sexual Abuse of Children established

2016
ADCANP became a member of the Governor's Children's Cabinet & ADCANP Deputy Director became Chair of the Governor's Task Force on the Prevention of Sexual Abuse of Children



2016 Highlights

Alabama Children's Cabinet

In April 2016, Governor Robert Bentley announced the creation of the Alabama's Children's Cabinet to streamline services and programs to Alabama's more than 1 million children. Sallye Longshore, ADCANP Executive Director, was one of ten department heads appointed to the Alabama Children's Cabinet.

Governor's Task Force on the Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse

After the passage of Erin's Law, a Governor's Task Force was created on the Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse in 2016. The Task Force is led by Representative Terri Collins, a ADCANP Board Member, and the Vice-Chair is Tracy Plummer, ADCANP Deputy Director. A highlight of their work was Act 2016-354 (HB 238) enacted during the 2016 Regular Legislative Session, which includes certain Governor's Task Force recommendations that resulted in statutory additions, deletions, and/or changes. Additionally, Executive Order Number 20 (Ordered April 28, 2016) states that the children's policy councils and local child advocacy centers shall develop a child sexual abuse prevention plan based on needs at the local county level, including accomplishing the following:

- Report on respective county child sexual abuse prevention plans.
- Work with local school systems in developing a program on Mandatory Reporting to be provided at the beginning of each school year as part of each local school system's in service
- Work with local school systems in developing an orientation for all middle school and high school students regarding "peer-to-peer" sexual abuse crimes to be provided at the beginning of each school year.

Child Abuse Prevention Month

In April 2016, the ADCANP and grantees promoted awareness on the importance of child abuse prevention through a variety of outreach efforts. There was a total of 68 events that occurred across the state, which included proclamation signings, balloon releases, 5K runs, and Family Fun Days!

Program Evaluation

In 2015-2016, the ADCANP awarded over $5.3 million to fund 122 community-based prevention programs and 2 statewide initiatives that applied for grants. The ADCANP contracted with a research team in the Human Development and Family Studies Department at Auburn University to evaluate the combined effort and effectiveness of these programs. Key findings from the evaluation include:

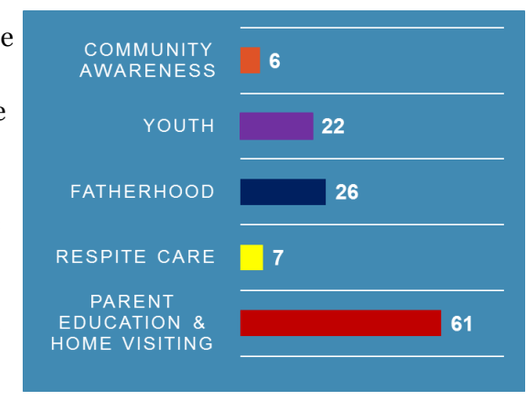
- The percentage of youth in grades 3-5 who said they knew "a lot" about each of the 11 learning objectives increased an average of 45% pre-program to post-program in their assessment.
- Adult participants in Parent Education & Home Visiting and Respite Care programs had statistically significant improvements in the following: use of support services, use of positive parenting skills, child development knowledge, positive view and knowledge of one's child, stress and anger management, ability to respond to child's needs, and ability to seek informal support.
- Public awareness of child maltreatment prevention impacted over 24,611 youth and adults who participated in a community awareness event or presentation in 2016. Helpful information was also provided through media and social media outlets, accumulating 11,397,280 exposures/ impressions.

$5.3 million
in grants awarded

124
programs statewide

100,156
adults & children impacted

"Overwhelmingly, programs continue to show empirical evidence of enhanced protective factors and indications that funding prevention programs can reduce the significant human and economic costs of child abuse and neglect."
Auburn University, Human Development & Family Studies Department

Programs Funded

Research indicates that key activities for the prevention of child maltreatment include public awareness, parent education, respite for parents of special needs children, facilitation of positive father involvement, and child and youth awareness, knowledge and support. Based on these key activities, the chart to the right categorizes the 122 community-based prevention programs by their focus.