



ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2022

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GREETINGS

From Board President and Executive Director



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO SOLACE!!! 50 years this past October! What an amazing milestone. As the Board President and Executive Director, we cannot express how proud we are to be a part of this organization. Solace was started in 1973 by three women who saw a need in the community and met around a kitchen table to establish the original crisis hotline. 50 years later, Solace provides services in a state-of-the-art facility specifically designed to meet the needs of survivors. The center co-houses a multidisciplinary team and is a strong example of how collaboration among agencies can work to better serve the community.

As we look down the road to the next 50 years, Solace remains committed to serving sexual assault survivors and to ending sexual violence before it starts. It would be ideal if the community did not need the services that are offered by Solace. A community free of sexual violence is the ultimate goal. In order to reduce the need for sexual assault services, Solace will focus on increasing the education and prevention work that the center does. Presently the Education and Prevention Department provide programs to schools, government agencies and community organizations. These programs are age-appropriate, bilingual, culturally relevant, and rigorously evaluated. We know they work.

There are many ways that you can support Solace and their mission to end sexual violence in our communities. Donations, no matter the size, can have a huge impact. Volunteering as an advocate on the crisis line or helping with fundraising can also make a difference. Just sharing this annual report with someone can help increase awareness about Solace and how they work to make communities safer.

With gratitude,

Katya Franzgen
Board President

María José Rodríguez Cádiz
Executive Director

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UPDATES

Clinical

We welcomed Cheri Loggains as the Clinical Manager this year. She brings over 30 years of clinical experience and a wholistic approach. We returned to in person services and were able to start providing weekly trauma-informed yoga classes. Additionally, the clinical team is in the planning stage to bring back psychoeducational groups and groups for parents dealing with traumatized children. Cheri aims to ensure excellence in services by providing our therapists with expert training and consultation. She is committed to continuing to grow our bilingual services through supporting our heritage Spanish speaking therapists in becoming clinically proficient.

Child Advocacy Center and Sexual Assault Services Department

This year has been very successful for the CAC/SAS after having incorporated a new manager and four other new staff members. The CAC/SAS now is fully staffed and comprised of four forensic interviewers (two of whom are bilingual), and four advocacy specialists. This team is led by Dana Longenette, who has been conducting forensic interviews for over 6 years and has worked with child abuse cases for almost 18 years. Dana is now a member of the Attorney General's Human Trafficking Task force.

Education & Prevention Department

In February 2022 our staff began in person teaching again. On June 30, after 10 years, our E&P Manager Jess Clark left Solace to pursue a statewide position as a Prevention Director. After 3 years at Solace as an Education & Prevention Specialist, Mary Beth Lindsey became Manager of this department with fantastic training and onboarding from Jess in the months leading up to his last day. In June 2022, Amanda Woods was hired as our newest Education & Prevention Specialist. Also this year, the E&P Department created a new program, "Beauty and Wellness". The program entails reaching out to businesses that have trusted relationships with their clients and providing them with training on how to handle disclosures of sexual assault.

Service Data

Child Advocacy & Clinical Services

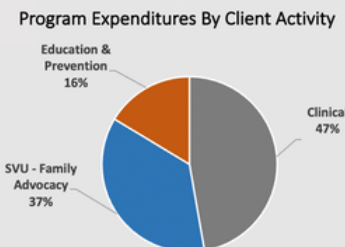
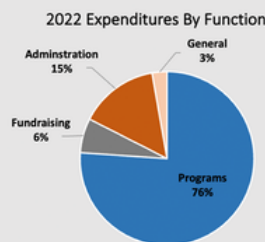
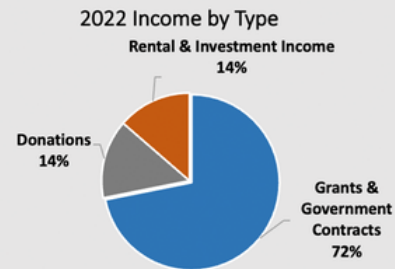
2,765 sessions for 310 clients
291 crisis calls answered
202 forensic interviews conducted
994 people served

Education & Prevention Services

78 school presentations
84 professional presentations
13,516 people reached

FINANCIALS

2022 Financial Position		
Assets	\$	2,726,896
Liabilities	\$	510,785
Net Assets	\$	2,216,111
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	\$	2,726,896
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$	880,262



Total Volunteer Hours for Fiscal Year 2022 - 4,989 hours at an in-kind value to Solace of \$74,835

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50TH ANNIVERSARY

For 50 years, Solace has reduced the impact of sexual violence in our community and relieved the emotional suffering caused by this trauma. We believe survivors are experts in their own experiences and acknowledge that empowering them is crucial to their healing process. As we achieve 50 years of service, we remain committed to serving sexual assault survivors and to ending sexual violence before it starts. As we head into the next 50 years, Solace will increase our prevention and education programs while continuing to provide expert care for survivors.

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