Dear friends,

In 2014, there were 66,572 confirmed child abuse cases in Texas. This does not even begin to cover the incidents that are not reported or are unknown. Unfortunately, children aren’t always able to openly talk about their abuse. It is our job as adults to serve as advocates and help them take back the life they deserve.

Last year the Child Protection Team celebrated 25 years of service and commitment to serving children who are living with abuse, investigating the abuse and creating a safer environment. The CPT is a group of committed professionals including law enforcement, Child Protective Services, attorneys, medical professionals and our community, working each day to respond to reports of abuse.

It is the team’s overall vision to end the cycle of abuse through advocacy, education and community support. With your support we are able to provide education to the public through our Spot It. Stop It. campaign. These powerful messages create a sense of urgency to learn the signs of abuse so we can begin helping children now, rather than later. We encourage you to visit SpotItStopIt.org, share the message with others and speak up for the children who need us.

Thank you for your support, your patience and your desire to help the most vulnerable children in our community.

Michael Torres, Executive Director

OVERVIEW OF FINANCIALS

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- 1,947 Children & 1,158 Adults
- 7,788 Services

OUR AMAZING VOLUNTEERS

11,109 Total Volunteers

$247,945 Total Volunteer Value

EDUCATION SERVICES

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- 6,050 Community members reached through education services

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Children received sexual/physical abuse exams.

Forensic interviews conducted at the Center for Child Protection.

Raised through community fundraising efforts.

Child abuse cases presented to grand jury.

Confirmed child abuse victims in Travis County.

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CPS strives to keep children in Travis County safe by assessing safety issues and identifying needed Child Protection Team services and intervention.

Child Protective Services

Community

Law Enforcement

Prosecution

The District Attorney’s Office has dedicated attorneys to coordinate investigations and to make and prosecute child abuse suspects.

314

Child Protection Team

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2,157

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Lisa Butterworth, PNP, Kelly Liker, MD, Heather Van Diest, LMSW

Lindsey Van Buskirk, CPS Program Director

Stephanie McFarland, Travis County Assistant District Attorney

Steve Harvey, CCP Board President

Tama Williamson, CCP Board Vice President

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 childcare's medical center of central texas

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