

From the Corner Office



An inspiring quote tells us to "be the change you wish to see in the world." **Heartland Family Service (HFS)** is committed to building a community where everyone can reach their potential.

As an agency, we work tirelessly to reach out to those in need, many of whom struggle without support in their daily lives. Because the need is so great, we have witnessed the number of touchpoints we have with community members nearly double over the last five years.

In 2023, about 70 percent of participants in Heartland Bridges Transitional Living (designed to help people with mental health challenges) exited to long-term temporary or permanent housing. More than 85 percent of clients working with our Mental Health Crisis Response Teams (CRT) were able to remain in the community.

More than 70 percent of our clients in Heartland Housing

Sanctuary (for human trafficking and exploitation survivors) were able to establish a safe, permanent residence for themselves and their families. These are a few examples of how HFS has worked for change in the community.



The Christian Workers Association (now Heartland Family Service) was founded. Later this year the name was changed to the Omaha City Mission.



The agency changed its name to Associated Charities and new articles of incorporation were signed in the parlours of First National Bank.

Mayor George Bemis of Omaha was elected chair of the board and the first fundraiser was held.

Also in 2023, **Heartland Family Service** was re-accredited by the Council on Accreditation. **HFS** had the distinction of not only being re-accredited, but also becoming the very first accredited **Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC)** in the country. This speaks to the high-performance standards we have set as an agency and the ability of our staff to meet or exceed those standards on behalf of those we serve.

Thanks to the generosity of our funders and donors, we exceeded the financial goals we set for ourselves as an agency in 2023. Donations and grants provide approximately 60 percent of our annual budget. At the end of this past year, we raised more than \$25 million and finished with a net operating surplus of more than \$51,000.

However, as we move into 2024, the current economic climate brings many challenges. Funder priorities change and the cost of providing services continues to rise, just like everything else. Yet, the need for services in our community has never been greater.

As an agency committed to providing the best services possible for the greatest number in need, the challenging funding landscape has made us focus on how we can best care for our clients and deliver the critical services they need while being able to sustain our efforts for the long term.

Like so many of our peer agencies, we have to be adaptable in this new environment and seek new ways to serve the community and access funding opportunities.

It will take all of us working together to bring about the change we envision for our community. We deeply appreciate the commitment, dedication, and partnership of everyone who makes it possible for **Heartland Family Service** to be the change we wish to see in the world.

Thank you!





John Jeanetta,
President and CEO



Marcos Hernandez,

Board President





Leadership



The Heartland Family Service
Leadership team is made up of 13
professional members who lead our
agency in strategy, development,
housing, well-being, diversity,
counseling, and much more. With
their guidance, Heartland Family
Service strives to fulfill our mission.
We work to strengthen individuals,
families, and communities through
advocacy, education, counseling,
and support services.



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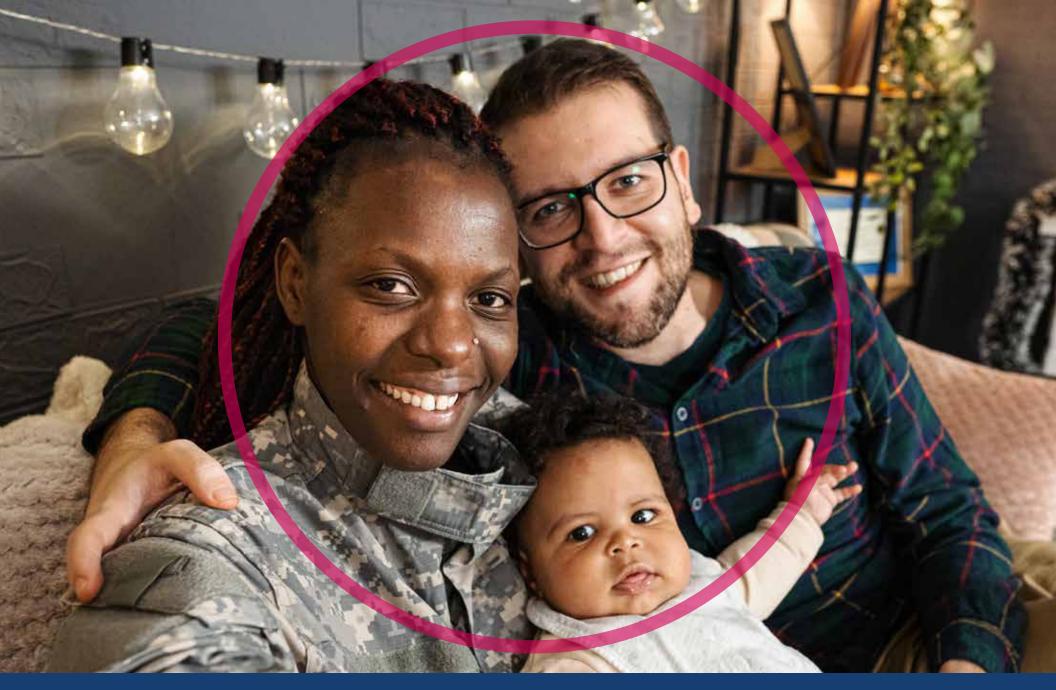
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The Family Welfare
Association & Children's
Bureau became a tax
exempt nonprofit.



The agency changed its name to Family Service of Omaha.

HEARTLAND FAMILY SERVICE AT A GLANCE

About Heartland Family Service

- Our focus is Social Work-professional, compassionate, systems-oriented helping services
- · A private agency, not a government agency
- Non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization
- Non-sectarian, not affiliated with a religious organization
- Founded in Omaha in 1875, incorporated in 1952
- Accredited by the Council on Accreditation since 1984
- Connected with nearly 120,000 individuals and families through direct services, education, and outreach in 2023
- Operates from 20 safe, comfortable locations in east central Nebraska and southwest lowa
- Achieves our mission through the efforts of 464 staff, 115 volunteers, and 634 generous individual donors, family foundations, and key funders
- A reputation for quality services, conscientious management, and excellent customer service

Values of Trauma Informed Care

Safety | Empowerment | Collaboration Choice | Trustworthiness | Equity

Our Mission

The mission of
Heartland Family Service
is to strengthen individuals,
families, and communities through
advocacy, education, counseling,
and support services.

Our Vision

Strong Communities, So Everyone Can.

Recent Awards

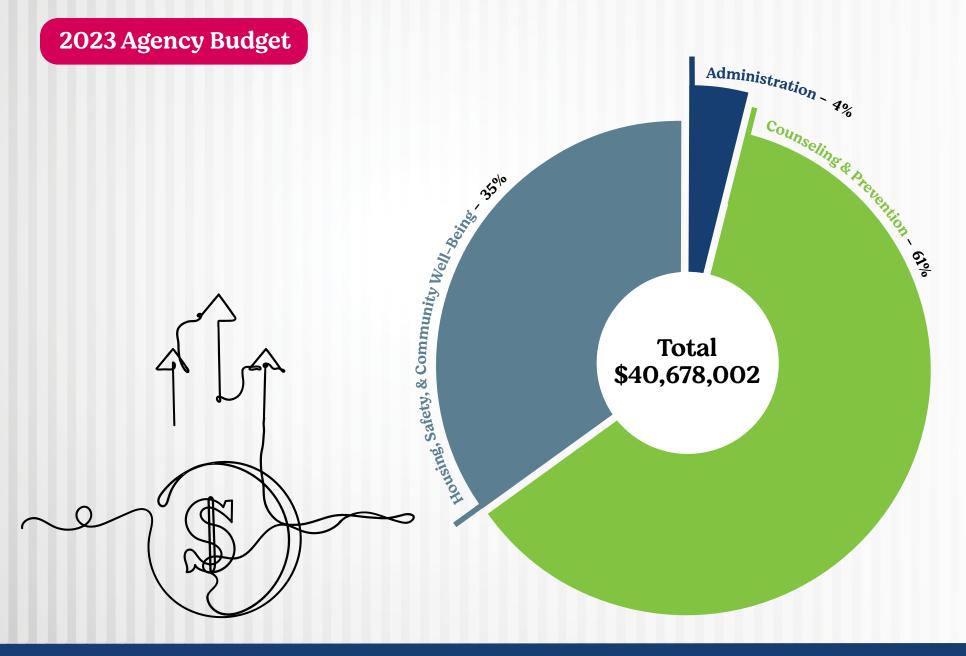
- 2019, 2021, 2022, & 2023: Best Counseling Clinic, "Readers' Choice" Best of the Big O!
- 2020: HRAM IDEAL award for Diversity and Inclusion, Human Resource Association of the Midlands (HRAM)
- 2020: Best Counseling Service, Sarpy County People's Choice Awards
- 2020: John Jeanetta, Extraordinary Leader Award, BIG Event Awards, metroMAGAZINE
- 2020: "Carnival of Love" Gala, Best Event Over 500 Attendees, BIG Event Awards, metroMAGAZINE
- 2019: Integrity Award, Large Charity Category, Better Business Bureau

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Received awards from the National Association of Organizing Charities (now the Family Service America/Alliance for Families & Children) for two consecutive years for excellence in casework service.



The agency changed its name to Family & Child Service of Omaha.





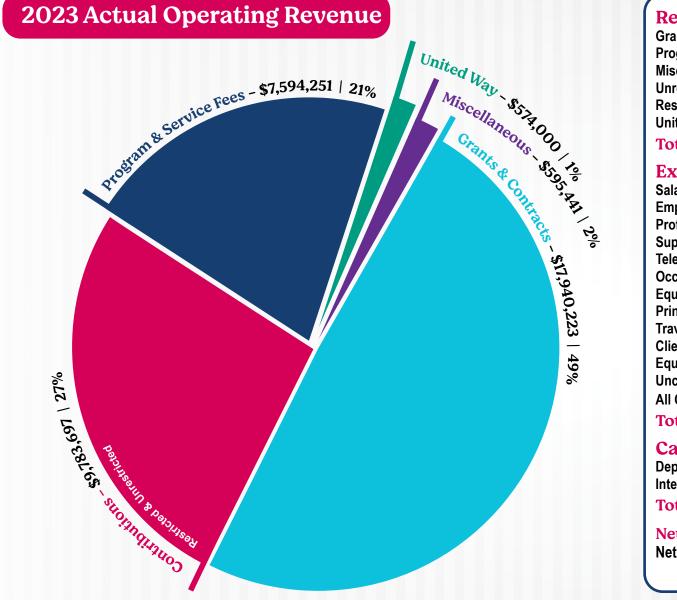
Project ENABLE was initiated to assist families in breaking the cycle of poverty through establishing a dental clinic and the first playground in east Omaha, constructing more than 2 miles of sidewalks in impoverished areas, and forming of Mothers for Adequate Welfare (MAW).



The Community Development Program was founded.

As a request from the Omaha Housing Authority, the multiservice center concept was developed.

2023 Actual Operating Revenue



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Revenue	
Grants & Contracts	\$17,940,223
Program Service Fees	\$7,594,251
Miscellaneous Income	\$595,441
Unrestricted Contributions/Events	\$1,205,057
Restricted Contributions	\$8,578,640
United Way	\$574,000
Total Revenue	\$36,487,612
Expense	
Salaries	\$20,767,376
Employee Benefits & Taxes	
Professional Fees	\$1,850,500
Supplies	\$478,950
Telephone & Internet	\$549,305
Occupancy	\$1,961,296
Equipment Rental & Maintenance	\$60,593
Printing & Publications	
Travel & Conference	\$646,468
Client Financial Assistance	\$2,439,092
Equipment Purchase	\$462,567
Uncollectible Fees	\$249,679
All Other Operating	\$818,540
Total Operating Expense	\$35,534,122
Capital Expense	
Depreciation	\$735,000
Interest	\$166,645
Total Capital Expense	\$901,645



Family Service of Council Bluffs and Family Service of Omaha merged to become Family Service of Omaha-Council Bluffs.



Mental Health Counseling and Substance Use Treatment services open in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Net Income/(Loss)\$51,844 Net Income Percent 0.1% (Figures are Unaudited)

Agency Highlights

Employee Experience

Heartland Family Service successfully completed Social Current's national learning collaborative focused on equity, diversion, and inclusion. The 15-month program began in September 2022 and concluded in December. As a result of completion, the agency created a new Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging (DEIB) strategic plan which will be implemented in 2024.

Heartland Family Service also received American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) grant funds in both Iowa and Nebraska to support workforce development efforts targeting our behavioral health workforce.

The Iowa Department of Health and Human Services awarded more than \$643,000 to assist with the recruitment and retention of direct staff.

In Nebraska, the Behavioral Health Education Center for Nebraska (BHECN) awarded more than \$491,000 to hire a lead therapist/intern coordinator to facilitate training for interns and clinicians working in Nebraska Behavioral Health services, and \$50,000 for staff recruitment and retention.

Financial Goals

Heartland Family Service ended 2023 with a net operating surplus of \$51,844.

Additionally, Heartland Family Service concluded the 2022-2023 fundraising year with a total of more than \$25.5 million, eclipsing our goal by more than \$5 million or 27.2 percent.

This was the result of budget management, efforts to improve provider rates, and successful grant writing and fundraising efforts.

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Mission Focused Services

Heartland Family Service wrapped up three years of hard work as an Iowa Disaster Recovery center. Staff, working virtually across the state of Iowa, provided information, referral, education, and case management to people impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. After the Derecho storm struck large portions of Iowa in August 2021, the services expanded to provide more help to people impacted by this natural disaster as well.

Additionally, **HFS** completed efforts to rehouse tenants of Legacy Crossing when the City of Omaha condemned the apartment complex and displaced 160 households just days before the holidays. By June 2023, all the households were back in permanent housing.

Region 6 also selected **HFS** to receive more than \$308,000 in grant funding to develop and implement recovery support services to consumers participating in Region 6 housing programs.







Agency Highlights

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Heartland Housing Sanctuary

Heartland Housing Sanctuary provides services to survivors of human trafficking. The location of the service is confidential to protect the safety of both residents and employees. Case management services are a key component and are available every day to provide safety and support when it's most needed.

The 2023 expansion of Heartland Housing Sanctuary into southwest Iowa has been a difference-maker for HFS clients. In Council Bluffs, Heartland Housing Sanctuary regularly works with staff at the Pottawattamie County Jail to facilitate weekly groups and assist with discharge planning to incarcerated survivors. Concurrently, Heartland Housing Sanctuary does outreach with the support of homeless outreach teams in the community to ensure that safety is prioritized and survivors get connected with resources and supplies addressing sexual health and other basic needs. Heartland Housing Sanctuary housing case managers provide housing assistance to survivors for up to 24 months with optional supportive services.

Additionally, the program director and advocacy and outreach coordinator have been assisting with the development of the Southwest Iowa Coalition on Human Trafficking. The group has plans to continue efforts in leveraging community partnerships and hosting meetings to ensure community groups, government and non-governmental organizations can come together to close service gaps for survivors.

Heartland Housing Sanctuary is also part of a three-year service evaluation study. To date, key findings include that staff have done a great job building trust with clients, clients believe Heartland Housing Sanctuary empowered them to make quality decisions, and clients experience their well-being has increased.



Heartland Bridges

Heartland Bridges offers two services - **Transitional Living** and **Crisis Care**. **Transitional Living** provides short-term housing for people in transition to and from mental health or substance use treatment, support services, and/or permanent housing. **Crisis Care** is a three to five day crisis stabilization residential service for individuals experiencing a mental health crisis to receive therapeutic services for mental and emotional stabilization.

In 2023, 96 percent of those in **Heartland Bridges Transitional Living** connected with our community-based **Mental Health Counseling** or **Substance Use Treatment** services. Additionally, more than 90 percent obtained non-cash benefits and more than half received permanent or temporary housing. **Transitional Living** clients also gained new employment, too. About 28 percent of **Transitional Living** clients also gained new employment.

Heartland Bridges Crisis Care is a newer service as of April 2023. Of the clients served, 79 percent were able to complete their treatment.

Peer Center

Peer Center is for anyone with a mental health diagnosis and is run by peer support staff. The service is designed to be a safe place and friendship-builder for those living in a similar situation and experiencing a similar barrier. Employees oversee the day-to-day functions at the **Peer Center** and offer individual and group sessions/opportunities.

In 2023, the **Peer Center** grew the resources available for people in need with the support of the **Iowa Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic**, **Intensive Psychiatric Rehab**, and **InSHAPE**[®]. Additionally, it partnered with others to implement a new, evidence-based supported employment service, which lends a hand to people facing serious mental health challenges.

The **Peer Center** also hosted an inaugural art show in collaboration with Harvester Artist Lofts. The event featured peer-created artwork and drew more than 300 community members to its space.

Therapeutic Education Centers

Heartland Family Service Therapeutic Education Centers are located in both Council Bluffs and north Omaha. The Omaha Campus is for students who are experiencing behavioral, emotional, and/or mental health challenges. It features individual and group crisis sessions, and family therapeutic services facilitated by experienced and licensed clinicians. The Council Bluffs Campus additionally offers innovative academic and therapeutic services for special education K-12 students with major mental health diagnoses. Students are able to receive weekly consultation from a psychiatrist.

Within the past year, the Omaha Campus reported more than 80 percent of students made progress toward their behavioral goals with more than 95 percent successfully discharged.

The **Council Bluffs Campus** reported more than 90 percent of students completed seven credits toward graduation per semester. Partnerships were also formed that increased social and extracurricular opportunities.









Family Service received its first accreditation by the Council on Accreditation of Services for Children and Families (COA).



The North Omaha Advisory Committee was established.

Housing, Safety, & Community Well-Being

The Housing, Safety, & Community Well-Being program focus area works to co-create with the community through community engagement and outreach, as well as offers a collection of services to provide immediate, and long-term assistance to members of our community experiencing crises such as domestic violence, sexual assault, trafficking, homelessness, and financial instability. Community support, education and in-home services are provided for children and families to prevent entry into the child welfare system.

Services include:

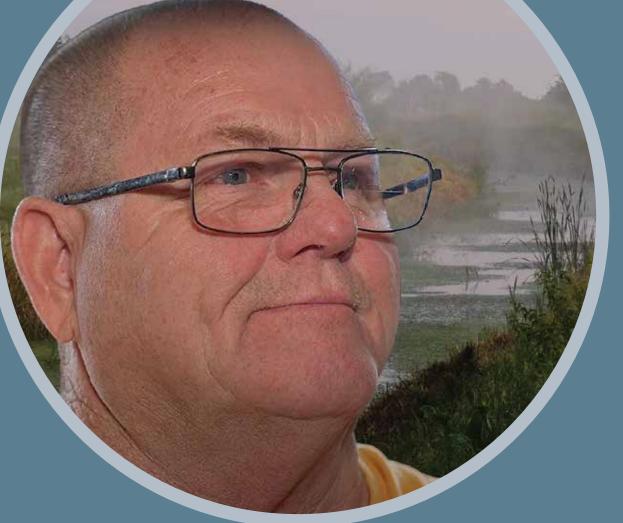
- · Advocacy, Legal, & Support for Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Sexual Exploitation & Trafficking
- Community Engagement
- Concealed Emergency Shelters for Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Sexual Exploitation & Trafficking
- Family & Youth Success, and Prevention
- Homeless Diversion & Prevention
- Permanent Supportive Housing
- Rapid Rehousing

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Housing Support Services







Even though Russ had a job, he didn't make enough to pay his monthly expenses and he couldn't get out of his lease. As a result, Russ became homeless.

Housing, Safety, & Community Well-Being

While adrift and desperately in need of safe shelter, **Russ** lived and slept in his car until it was taken from him. For a while, he had to stay at a local motel in Underwood, Iowa.

Russ still owned a kayak and used it to float a creek 20 miles all the way to Lake Manawa State Park. He slept there during the day and at night he would go to a 24-hour restaurant at a truck stop to eat and hang out because he found it to be safer than the park.

It was during this time that **Russ** met a **Heartland Family Service Housing Support Services** caseworker who helped him get his life back on track.

Watch how Russ achieved his financial stability and got a safe home. Scan the QR code or visit: bit.ly/russcan







Family Service received a special Family Service America award through the local CBS/KMTV station for the "Raising Good Kids in Bad Times" public service campaign.



Our Professional Counseling services started YouthNet, which provided family and individual counseling and activities for at-risk teens to help them stay in school and out of gangs.

Counseling & Prevention

The Counseling & Prevention program focus area offers services that share a central focus on therapeutic treatments to help manage chronic mental health illnesses, provide early intervention services, and work to prevent problems with substance use and problem gambling before they occur. These services also include therapeutic education for children, K–12, providing support today for a brighter future.

Services include:

- · Community-Based Behavioral Health
- Mental Health Crisis Response & Stabilization
- Outpatient Behavioral Health Treatment
- Outreach & Prevention
- Residential Co-Occurring Mental Health & Substance Use Treatment
- Therapeutic Education for Children Living with Mental Illness



In her early teenage years, Melissa started hanging out with the wrong crowd, which resulted in her smoking marijuana and drinking. That turned into doing meth.

She ended up in a group home, but that didn't last long.

Counseling & Prevention

Melissa ran away and eventually ended up in a girls youth rehabilitation center. After getting out, she attended college and got a full-time job. Life changed at the age of 20 when Melissa reverted back to her old ways and stole a car. She was sentenced to a felony, ended up in jail and, upon her release, the cycle of drug use continued.

At age 34, Melissa had five children ages 19 months to 11 years. She was living with the father of her two youngest children and over the next four years her situation turned out to be a vicious cycle of using drugs, sobriety, being evicted, and then homelessness.

Melissa's family had been helping her over the years but decided they would no longer provide that help. They did agree to care for her children while she waited to get into **Heartland Family Service Family**Works in Nebraska.

Family Works is a long-term residential substance abuse and mental health service in Iowa and Nebraska for women with children. It preserves and strengthens the mother-child attachment while providing housing, treatment, therapy, and support for both the mother and children.

Melissa was placed within a month and was given an apartment large enough for herself and her children.

Melissa says Family Works saved her life as she would not have gone to treatment without her children.

She says the best part was the support and hope given by staff as they wanted her sobriety as much as she did. Each service helped her in a specific way and all contributed to her success.

Her older children worked with a child and family therapist to overcome the trauma they experienced. That helped make their family whole again.

Melissa graduated from Family Works six months later. The father of her two youngest children found treatment and they were re-united.

She sought assistance through **Family Works** and **Permanent Supportive Housing** services to find a home for her family. Now, she is doing well and living independently with her children and boyfriend.

Melissa wants to stay connected with Family Works and eventually get a job to help advocate for others in similar situations.

Now, Melissa Can.

Volunteer Spotlight

"Heartland Family Service is an example-setter.

The agency is passionate and that's what we should all strive for."

- Brenda Langenberg

For more than a decade, Brenda Langenberg has been a part of **Heartland Family Service** and has been instrumental in sharing the mission and vision of the agency.

From the moment her daughter, Olivia, joined the **Student League**, she's seen firsthand the important mark Heartland Family Service has left on others. That includes, but is certainly not limited to, the strengthening of families and communities in our region.

Langenberg has been president of the HFS Friends Guild since 2022.

HFS partners with the Friends Guild annually and stages two major events. The Carnival of Love Gala and Salute to Families are held each year in February and November respectively; however, the behind-thescenes efforts to get everything organized is a year-long process. Langenberg has been steadfast in her work and support of those events. The money raised each year at the Carnival of Love Gala helps support clients throughout the year.

"Heartland Family Service is an example-setter," said Langenberg. "The agency is passionate and that's what we should all strive for. By volunteering, it allows you to make a direct impact."

Langenberg also continues to be impressed by **Heartland Family Service's** longevity.

"The resounding success stories here speak to perseverance. Those have left an emotional impact on myself and my family." Looking ahead, Langenberg envisions big things on the horizon for the agency.

For more information about volunteer opportunities with Heartland Family Service, please visit: HeartlandFamilyService.org/volunteer

Heartland Family Service sincerely thanks each and every volunteer for their dedication and support.

Volunteers

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Family Service Friends Volunteer Guild (now Friends Guild) was organized to provide coordinated volunteer assistance for our events, programs, services, and fund development.



The Safe Haven concealed emergency shelter opens in Sarpy County, NE.

Friends Guild



Friends Guild members attend the 2023 Salute to Families.

Executive Committee 2023

Brenda Langenberg - President

Cheryl Foral & Connie Kinnear - Co-Vice Presidents of Education

Deb Munro - Vice President of Fundraising

Carla Patton-Ochsner - Vice President of Membership

Amy Jacobsen - Vice President of Social

Chris Olson - Recording Secretary/Advisor

Karen Burkley - Corresponding Secretary

Kristie Stienike – Treasurer

Kathy Gross & Connie Kinnear - Gala Co-Chairs





Our current Central Administration
Office located at 2101 So. 42nd Street,
Omaha, NE, was purchased and
renovated to house our new central
headquarters and counseling center.



The Family Service Friends Volunteer Guild created the Family Service Student League fundraiser, a ninemonth education curriculum for ninth graders to learn about volunteerism and nonprofit work.

The Impact of Our Donors

"By supporting Heartland Family Service, individuals contribute to creating a community that prioritizes the safety and well-being of its members..."

- Andy D'Agosto

Panda Inc. is one of the many donors that supports the vision and mission of **Heartland Family Service** every year.

Panda Inc. is a franchise holder for Arby's restaurants serving eastern Nebraska and western Iowa and is a familiar one to HFS and its supporters for its sponsorship of the annual **Safe Haven Golf Tournament** in Papillion.

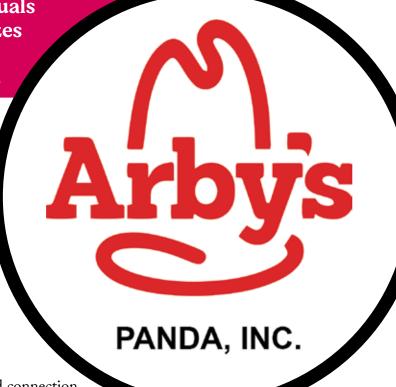
Panda Inc. describes lending its support to **Heartland Family Service** as a "*deeply rewarding and fulfilling experience*."

"The range of services provided reflects a comprehensive approach to addressing complex issues." says Andy D'Agosto, vice president of operations.

In addition to being that helping hand every summer, **Panda Inc.** knows volunteering time can elicit positive feelings like purpose, empowerment, and connection.

"By supporting Heartland Family Service, individuals contribute to creating a community that prioritizes the safety and well-being of its members, particularly those who have experienced domestic violence and sexual assault. It aligns

with the broader goal of fostering a society where such acts are not tolerated, and support is readily available for those in need." said D'Agosto.



Family Service was honored by the Nebraska Association of Family-Based Services as the Family-Based Agency of the Year.



Homeless Prevention services open in Council Bluffs, IA, and Omaha, NE.

The Homeless Link services providing case management and housing to homeless or near homeless open in Pottawattamie County, Iowa.

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The agency celebrates its 125th anniversary with an annual operating budget of \$7,970,636.



Therapeutic Education Center - Council Bluffs Campus (formerly the Therapeutic School) opens in Council Bluffs, IA.

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Assertive Community Treatment services open in Council Bluffs, IA.



Family Works services and location open in Omaha, NE.

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Help provide our clients who participate in our services and shelters, a more comfortable or enriching life experience, by selecting items from our **Wish Lists**.





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Peer Support, InSHAPE®, and Intensive Psychiatric Rehabilitation services open in Council Bluffs, IA.



Heartland Housing Sanctuary services and the Heartland Sanctuary - a concealed emergency shelter open in Omaha, NE.

Homeless Diversion services open in Council Bluffs, IA and Omaha, NE.

Signature Events



Carnival of Love Gala

Saturday, February 24, 2024

Embassy Suites, La Vista, NE



Strike a Chord Gala

Friday, June 7, 2024

Mid-America Center, Council Bluffs, IA



Safe Haven Golf Tournament

Friday, August 16, 2024

Eagle Hills Golf Course, Papillion, NE



Salute to Families

Thursday, November 21, 2024

Location TBD









The Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic opens in Council Bluffs, IA.

The Psychiatric Services & Medication Management services are opened in Council Bluffs, IA and Omaha NE.



Crisis Stabilization Community-Based Services and Crisis Stabilization Residential Services open in Council Bluffs, IA.



Looking forward to celebrating 150 years of strengthening individuals, children, and families in our community!

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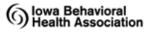
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