



**2022 Childkind Annual Report**

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**Life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness** – these are things every child should experience within the context of a safe and nurturing family. For many children, especially those with complex medical and developmental disabilities, such experiences can be beyond reach. The reason is not because of an underlying disability or chronic condition. Instead, it is most often due to the absence of a healthy family life.

Medical neglect, trauma, and institutionalization are all too common occurrences among children with medical complexity and developmental disabilities. When they happen, their all-important enduring bond with a mother and/or a father is lost and hope for life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness might forever be lost.

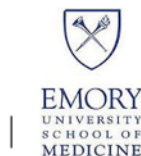
Since 1988, Childkind has dedicated itself to one simple vision: that all children with complex medical needs and developmental disabilities live to their own unique fullest potential as part of a safe and nurturing well-supported family. For more than thirty years, this has been our focus in everything we do.

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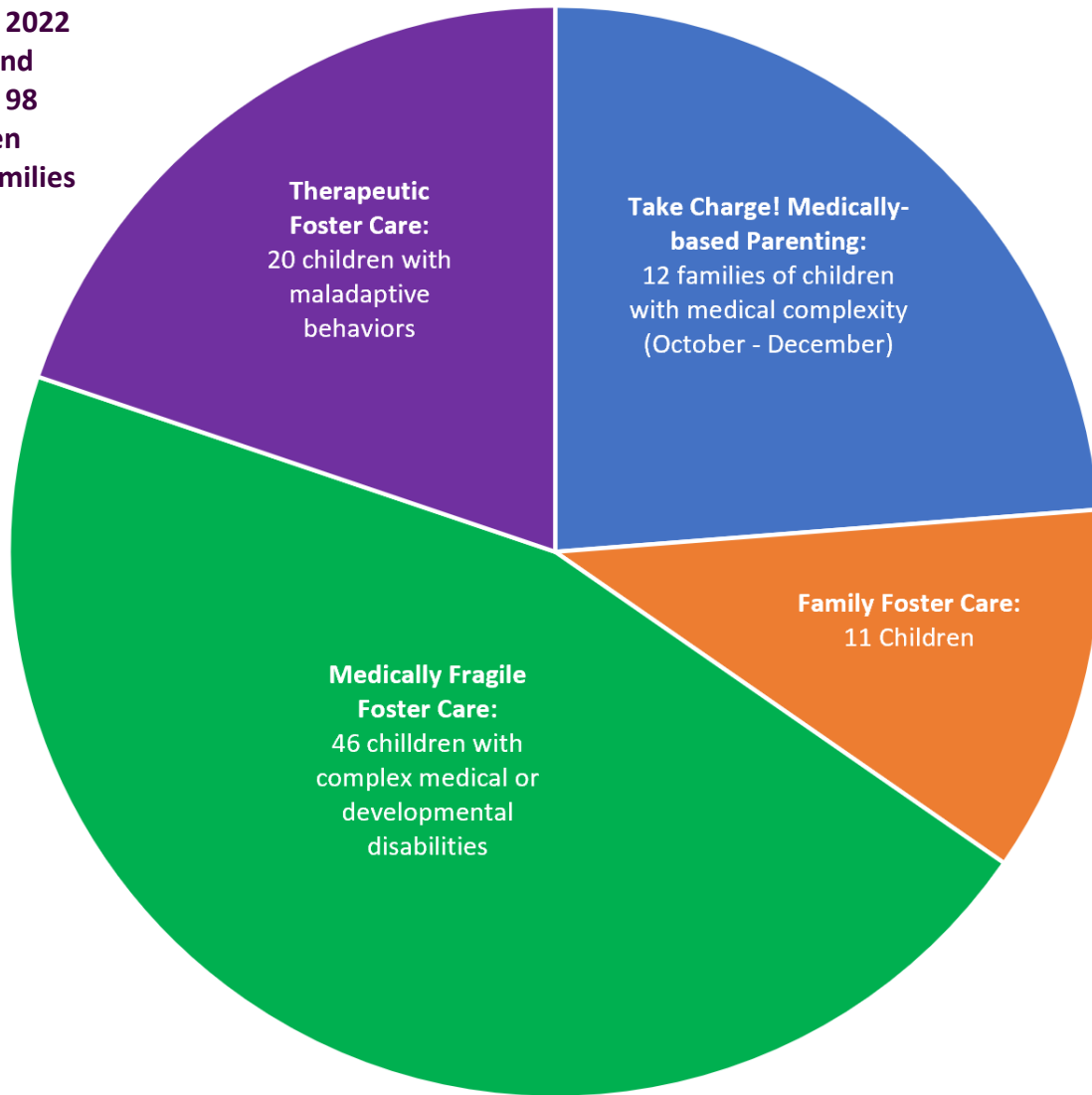
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# Children and Families Served, 2022

**During 2022  
Childkind  
served 98  
Children  
and Families**



## Medically Fragile Foster Care

For over two decades, through its Placement Services program, Childkind has offered specialized multidisciplinary foster care placement for children with complex medical and developmental disabilities.

Fully accredited by the Council on Accreditation (COA), Childkind's model programming has documented success at serving children with multiple health challenges.

## Therapeutic Foster Care

The target population for Childkind's Therapeutic Foster Care program is children with significant behavioral and developmental challenges in foster care, especially those at risk for or who have experienced multiple placement disruptions.

Childkind's program accepts children up to age 18.

## Family Foster Care

Since 1992 Childkind has been providing family-based foster care services for children in state custody.

Childkind was founded in 1989 as a group home for HIV+/AIDS affected children. In 1992 Childkind closed its congregate care facility and began serving children in family-based placements.

## Medically-Based Parenting

Childkind developed an evidence-informed parenting program model called *Take Charge! Medically-Based Parenting*.

Not only has the model shown success at building parental care capacity and preventing family break-up, it has also documented success at dramatically lowering healthcare costs.

# Childkind's Financial Stewardship

## Childkind, Inc. Statements of Activities

For the years ended December 31,

2022

2021

### Revenues and Other Support

State and federal program service fees	\$ 3,690,441	\$ 3,265,866
Local grant contributions	11,250	5,000
Contributions	10,100	20,725
Other income	-	31,175

Total revenues and other support	3,711,791	3,322,766
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### Expenses

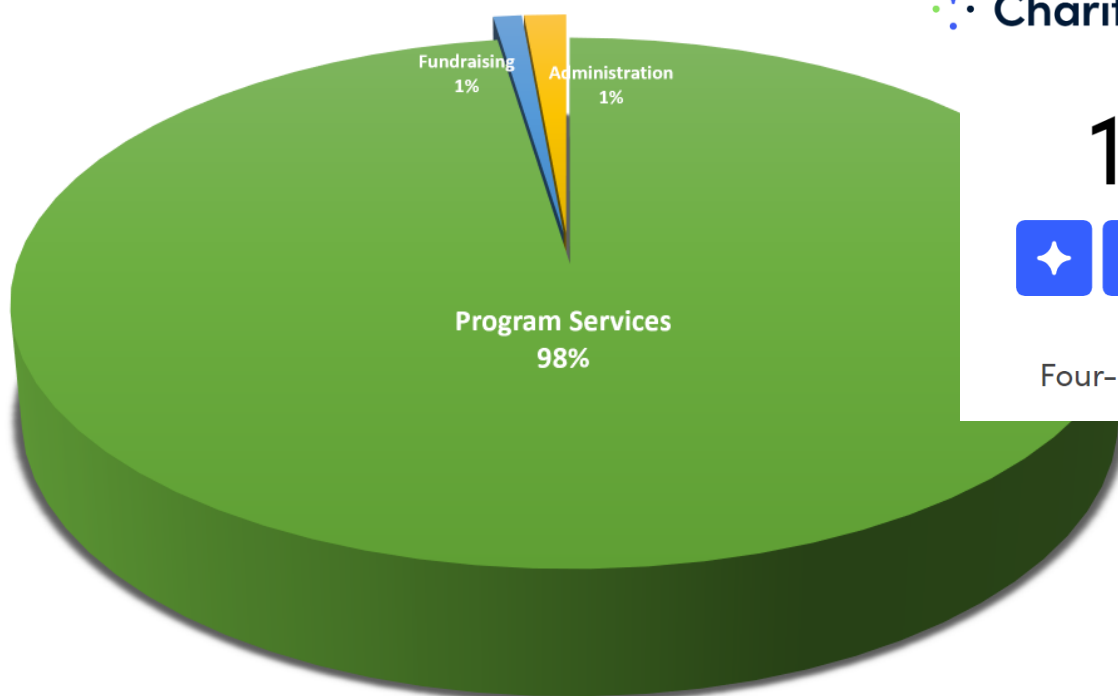
Program services	3,539,174	3,195,354
Fundraising	35,183	21,959
General and administrative	51,541	136,462

Total expenses	3,625,898	3,353,775
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Change in net assets	85,893	(31,009)
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Net assets at beginning of year, without donor restrictions	364,320	395,329
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Net assets at end of year, without donor restrictions	\$ 450,213	\$ 364,320
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Help support our work of healing  
among children and their families.

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