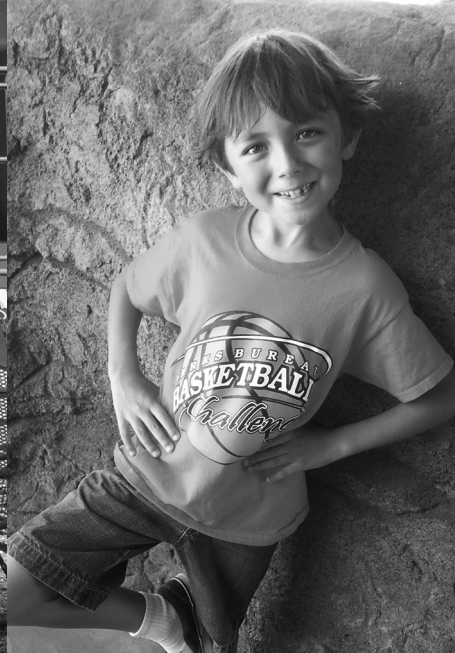
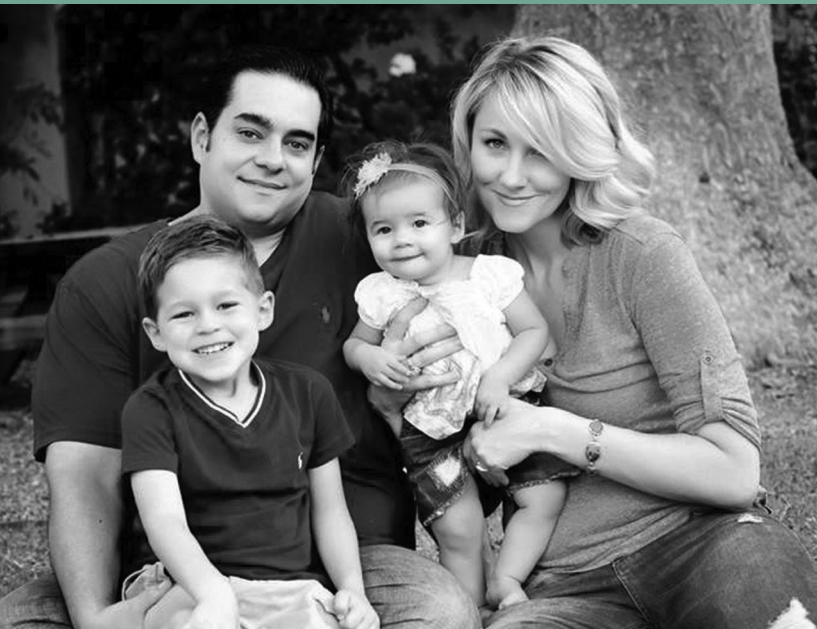


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Five Acres School is proud to be accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC), a world-renowned academic association responsible for the accreditation of United States public and private universities, colleges, secondary and elementary schools. WASC accreditation assures our community that Five Acres School’s purpose of serving special needs children K-10 is appropriate and is being accomplished through a viable education program. WASC ensures our school is a trustworthy institution for student learning.

why five acres?

We help children and their families thrive. We help children to grow up with HOPE.

Last year, Five Acres served more than 8,700 children and families through programs spanning a full continuum of care, including community-based counseling and support services, intensive residential care, a therapeutic school for special needs students, and foster care and adoption services.

Take the **Cortez family**, who understand that as foster parents, their role is to provide a safe, loving home for children who need a place to land during a time of upheaval. Since 2009 they have fostered more than 25 boys and girls and have adopted their daughter. Or **Dawn and Leigh Ann** who adopted their son **Daniel** because supporting LGBTQ foster youth and having a commitment to diversity was what mattered most to their family. And then there is Five Acres volunteer, **Suzanne**, who was matched with her “special friend” at our residential home when the child was just six years old. **Suzanne** has remained close with **Tonia**, who has just turned 20 years old and is now working part time, going to community college and living on her own in a foster youth transitional apartment. The hope for a better life for these children and their families (and thousands of others) is **why five acres**.

You have helped facilitate and transform **five acres’ why**. You, our supporters, partners and friends, you have done so much this year to help us transform the lives of some of the most vulnerable children and families in our community.

Simply put – thank you!




Chanel Boutakidis
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2016-2018 board chair

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and Ryan Dietz,
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Some names in our features have been changed to protect confidential information of our children and families.

why us?



our mission

Five Acres promotes safety, well-being and permanency for children and their families by building on their strengths and empowering them within communities.

Since 1888, Five Acres has been helping children with safety, well-being and permanency, because getting children into a place where they feel safe and have the chance to heal is the only way for children and their families to move forward from any upheaval or trauma, and live hopeful and successful lives.



In 2016, Five Acres launched its Transitional Shelter Care (TSC) to support girls (specifically siblings) who are removed from their homes by the Department of Children and Family Services. This unique program provides respite during a time when children are at their most vulnerable and allows siblings to stay together. More than 50% of siblings are separated when placed into foster care. Five Acres' Transitional Shelter Care offers a safe place for siblings to stay connected and not be separated.



safety

We keep children like **Ebony** safe and free from harm. She came to our residential home at age 13 when she was removed from her home with signs of impulsivity and physical aggression. Since being in our care, **Ebony** has slowly built relationships, participated in positive conversations, and her mother and father became actively involved in her overall treatment through family therapy and consistent visits. **Ebony** has been discharged into her mother's care and reunified with her family.

well-being

We help children like **Oliver** with preventative and therapeutic services. Seeking help after experiencing thoughts of committing suicide, **Oliver** believed he was a big disappointment to his family and friends. Over time and with the support of Five Acres counseling, **Oliver** began to trust the bond he and his therapist had and began to develop close relationships with his teachers at school and have heart to heart conversations with his mother at home. **Oliver** began to visualize his own future and to spend more time socializing with friends. After six months of support, **Oliver** has met his treatment goals, loves school and has an open and communicative relationship with his mother.

permanency

We help ensure that every child has a healthy and permanent family solution. Take **Elvis** and **David** - **Elvis** was about to turn 2 and **David** was nearly 7 years old when they were placed with their foster family. Less than a year later, the boys' adoption was finalized. Since then, the family members have grown together and created their own, new family traditions, like Friday night "hang out" and waking everyone for cake for breakfast on their birthday. Research shows that children like **Elvis** and **David** who have at least one committed family relationship experience much greater stability and are more likely to succeed.

why five acres' programs?

(From top L to R clockwise): Cynthia Narvaez (client age 17), Alondra Narvaez (older sister), David Narvaez (oldest brother), Jessica Gallegos (David's girlfriend), Alison Perez (younger sister), Daryl Bargy (step-father), and Sophia Castillo (mother).



Five Acres is the only agency in LA County that provides therapeutic services to deaf and hard of hearing individuals and families through its Deaf Services program. In 2015, Sophia Narvaez reached out to Five Acres for help with her daughter, Cynthia, who is deaf, and was struggling with significant anger and depression that was affecting the entire family. Clinician Jayne Kim has been working with Cynthia and her family for more than a year, with very positive results.

5A: How did you learn of Five Acres' Deaf Services program?

Sophia: A clinic in Long Beach gave me information about Five Acres. I wanted to find someone who signs and understands my daughter, Cynthia. I was looking for someone who is familiar with deaf culture and knows American Sign Language.

5A: How has Five Acres helped your family?

Sophia: Five Acres supported us with family therapy sessions and treatment for Cynthia. My daughter was

hospitalized twice for suicide attempts and I had been trying to get help for her. She was very angry and had been depressed almost all her life. Cynthia often blamed the family for many things. I did not know how to help her until Five Acres came in. We have been working very hard with our therapist, Jayne, on improving family communication and relationships. It has not been easy, but we have kept working to get better. Five Acres also helped me learn how to communicate, improve my parental discipline, set up rules and responsibilities, and be a better parent to Cynthia. The therapy really helped us make positive changes and we have become a better family. I am very grateful for the help that we received from Jayne. I don't know what would have happened if it weren't for Five Acres.

Cynthia: I felt like Jayne taught me how to control my anger and to stop thinking about dying and suicide. She helped me to stop being negative and manipulating my family, and learn to express myself without yelling. She taught me how to be more

responsible for myself and not depend on my family to do everything for me. I learned how to respect my parents' rules, and how to change my life for the better and be more serious. I feel like my therapist believed in me when no one else did.

5A: Is there any advice or tips you would like to share for families looking for deaf therapeutic services?

Sophia: Their services are wonderful, friendly, and have a calming impact. I highly recommend Five Acres therapeutic services for any families in need with a deaf or hard of hearing member.

Cynthia: Get therapy services from a Five Acres deaf therapist and it will help you improve your family and your life.

To learn more about Deaf Services, contact Amy Kay at (626) 993-3165 (voice) or (626) 421-7861 (VP).

why care?

safety

9 out of 10

children who receive Five Acres prevention services while they are still living with their families will sustain permanency by staying together safer and healthier

well-being

The average Five Acres client received an overall improvement in their physical and mental well-being of

72%

permanency

Five Acres had an overall agency permanency rate of

79%



2015-2016 leadership

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families served

Five Acres services had a measurable impact on over 8,700 children and family members in Southern California during the 2015-2016 fiscal year.

This map indicates where clients live and are served as well as our main service locations.



Five Acres has been accredited by the Council on Accreditation (COA) for the past 30 years. The COA is an international accrediting organization that partners with nonprofits to improve service outcomes for excellence in the delivery of human services. Accreditation shows that Five Acres accepts and meets COA best practice standards, and welcomes an onsite visit by an evaluation team of experts and a subsequent review.

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why give?

With vital support from contracts, partnerships, grants, and donors, Five Acres is able to provide the programs and services needed to support our children and families. With the help of our various funding sources, we can accomplish our mission of providing safety, well-being and permanency for the children and families who need us most.

audited financial statements 2016

assets	
Cash	\$735,848
Investments	\$9,627,702
Accounts Receivable	\$4,610,785
Collection	\$195,000
Pledges Receivable	\$294,046
Other Current Assets	\$301,924
Fixed Assets (net)	\$4,828,294
total assets	\$20,593,599
liabilities	
Accounts Payable	\$825,001
Accrued Liabilities	\$2,821,869
Deferred Revenue	\$505,186
Line of Credit	\$2,412,600
total liabilities	\$6,564,656
fund balances	
Retained Earnings (unrestricted)	\$12,831,552
Retained Earnings (restricted)	\$1,197,391
total fund balances	\$14,028,943
total liabilities & fund balances	\$20,593,599
program revenues	
Government Contracts & Service Fees	\$28,670,796
Five Acres School & Deaf Services	\$2,277,005
total program revenues	\$30,947,801
public support	
Contributions & Bequests	\$1,183,378
In-Kind	\$303,591
Collections	
Special Events	\$367,240
total public support	\$1,854,209
other revenues	
Dividends: Gain/Loss on Investment	\$(30,106)
total revenue & support	\$32,771,904
expenses	
Program Services	\$27,354,687
Support Services	\$6,117,660
total expense	\$33,472,347
change in net assets	\$(700,443)

why invest?

Current donations from foundations, corporations and individuals, as well as the strength of our relationships with our community, provide improved outcomes for our clients' immediate needs and for their personal happiness and growth opportunities. In addition, your investment now improves and strengthens our offerings for future children and families. Your contributions allow us to provide the best services possible to vulnerable families that need our services to thrive and transform their lives.

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beginning July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016.
Gifts received after June 30, 2016 will be
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The Legacy Society is a membership group for individuals who remember Five Acres in their estate plans, which help to sustain agency services for future generations. If you have been touched by or benefitted from the work we do, arranging for a planned gift is a thoughtful way to help Five Acres continue to serve children and families in crisis beyond your lifetime.

Planned giving may seem complicated, but it's actually much easier than most people realize to make provisions for a future gift. In addition, options are available that may enable you and your heirs to realize a tax benefit now or at the time your estate is settled.

Please let us know if you have already included Five Acres in your estate plan. We would like to honor you through the Legacy Society for your future kindness, compassion and generosity.



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