



Seizing Tomorrow Today

**Bold Moves
Bright Future**






promoting safety, well-being and permanency

**ANNUAL REPORT
2022-2023**

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Chanel Boutakidis
Chief Executive Officer



Sue McGuirl

2020-2024 Board Chair

Dear Friends,

The Greeks have two types of time: *chronos* and *kairos*. Life is a combination of routine (*chronos*) and unexpected moments of opportunity (*kairos*). This past year Five Acres has embraced the balance between following a steady plan and seizing opportunities for how we will move boldly into the future.

Over the years, as we have shared stories of past clients in our annual reports, there has been one theme. While each child was unique, they needed time in a steady and caring environment to get to a place where they could receive a loving family option. In 1888, helping to raise orphans until they were adopted was our way of ensuring that every child had safe, healthy, and permanent family solutions. Over the century, we have pivoted to figure out how we increase our impact on children toward our mission even as things shift around us. Whether it be a pandemic, a reform, or politics, how and when we seize the opportunities determines the bold moves we make for a brighter future.

This past year California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal – commonly known as CalAIM – took center stage with the vision to improve outcomes for the millions of Californians covered by Medi-Cal, including those with the most complex needs. California will allocate Medi-Cal funds to healthcare. Managed Healthcare will be required to link and contract with a range of non-traditional health and wellness agencies, like Five Acres. The non-traditional services include case management, housing support, peer support, and much more. The multi-year state reform had some regulatory changes to existing Five Acres services. More importantly, it gave us the opportunity to enter into new contracts and services with healthcare companies such as Anthem, LA Cares, Health Net, Molina, and CalOptima that align with our mission.

Once a child enters the foster care system, it becomes challenging work because they have already been traumatized, and permanency is more difficult to find. Over the past decades, we shifted our approach and pivoted toward expanding our prevention efforts, which means helping children who live with their families to stay together safely and avoid entering the foster care system. With the new opportunity under CalAIM, Five Acres is seizing the moment to diversify our funding streams and expand our prevention efforts and reach via healthcare contracts.

We are grateful to our hardworking team that have been maintaining our current services while simultaneously helping to expand services to our new healthcare population. Whether children are referred to us from the foster care system, or from the healthcare system, they are all coming to us because they are at risk due to safety, well-being, and permanency. From a child who is in foster care and experienced abuse and needs care and a safe haven, to a child who is suicidal with mental health challenges at risk of being removed from their home due to hospitalization, our goal remains the same for our Five Acres children – to have the unconditional love and safety that they deserve and need with a forever family. It is hard, challenging work. And when we discharge them, we sometimes hold our breath. We can feel exhausted. But, when we get occasional communications from former clients and hear how their stories turned out, we are reminded of the vital work we all do, including the role our generous donors play. Over time and in unexpected moments, we change lives.

In this annual report, you see how embracing *kairos* can lead to bold moves for advancing our mission. With your ongoing commitment to our journey, together we will continue to seize the opportunities for the children and families we serve.

Sincerely,

Chanel Boutakidis
Chief Executive Officer

Sue McGuirl
2020-2024 Board Chair

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.

Our Services

Since 1888, Five Acres has been supporting children and families within their communities. Today, we partner with families across Southern California to create a permanent, safe, and healthy environment for every child.

We offer a full range of behavioral health services at each of our many clinics, via telehealth, or by coming to you. We also offer comprehensive inpatient care for children who need 24/7 care.

We accept insurance from Anthem, CalOptima Health, Health Net, and Kaiser Permanente.

Residential

Every child should be raised by a loving family. Yet, when a child experiences acute trauma at home, living outside the home and within residential care is sometimes the best place to support children and families during the reunification process. At Five Acres, we provide short-term therapeutic residential care for these children to restore balance, rebuild trust and reunify them with their families or connect them to loving foster-adopt families.

Prevention

Preventing children from entering the foster care system is key to curbing Southern California's growing foster care and homelessness crisis. Five Acres' prevention services support families in the community by sending mental health and behavioral health specialists into the homes of children, youth and families.

Permanency

Five Acres actively strives to provide stability by connecting children to safe, permanent, and loving families. Our permanency services create loving homes for children in need through foster care, adoption and mentor support for families going through the adoption process. Through Adoption Promotion Support Services, we support children and adoptive families to nurture lifetime commitments.

Community Based Services

Through our Community Based Services, we provide behavioral support, skill building, and counseling to children and youth who are experiencing risk factors or stressors that cause disruptions in their home, school, relationships, and communities. We also provide support to parents, caregivers, and families to improve relationships, develop skill sets, and cope with symptoms in a positive and safe way. While our staff provide traditional mental health services, our Community Based Specialty Division also focuses on specialized preventative and early intervention services to keep children safely in the home and improve the overall quality of life for the children and families we serve. In addition, our Deaf Services remains the only provider of community-based counseling to individuals who are deaf in Los Angeles County.

Private Health Care Services

We partner with private health care organizations across Southern California to provide access to intensive services for children to keep them safe in their own home and community. Through our care, we help lower the child's risk of psychiatric hospitalization and reduce the need for out-of-home congregate care placements.

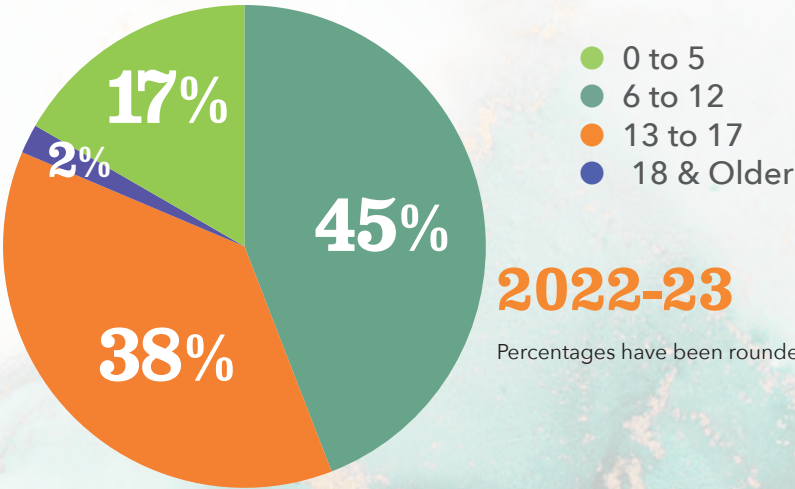
Who we Serve

Agency Client Impact Age in Years

Total persons served since 1888 - over 300,000

Persons Impacted in 2022-23 - 6,166*

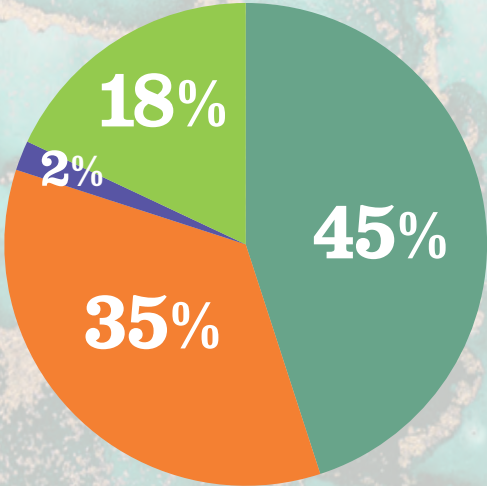
* Changes within the Family First Act reduced the number of clients we could serve within our residential and community-based divisions.



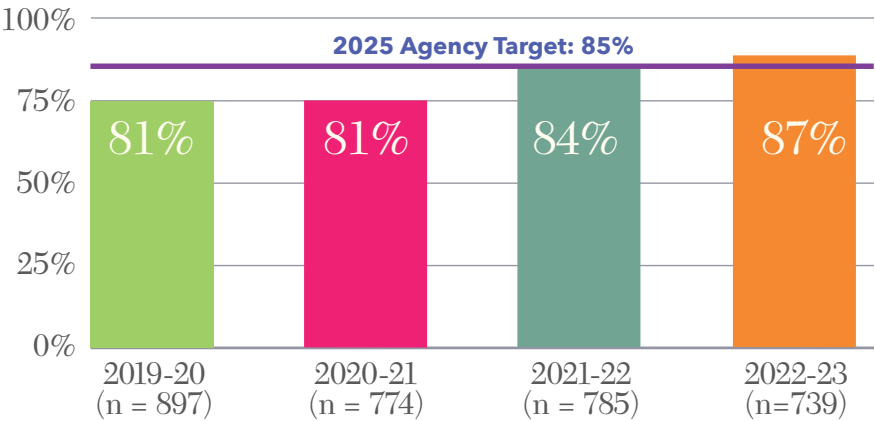
2022-23

Percentages have been rounded for clarity.

2021-22



% of Clients Who Achieved Permanency Through Five Acres

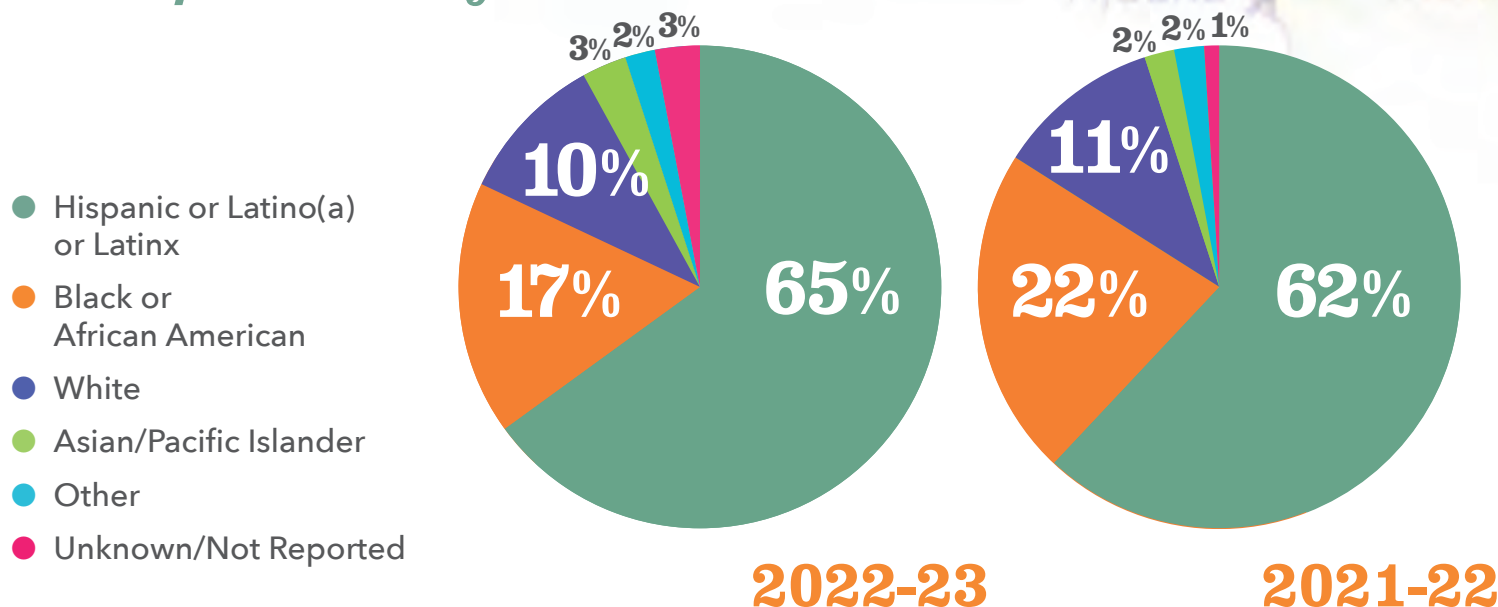


We achieved an 87% permanency rate for our families, above the strategic plan goal of 85% by 2025!



Seizing Tomorrow Today: A Look at Our Impact and Future

Agency Client Impact Race/Ethnicity



Bold Moves, Bright Future Vision to 2025

***Where We are To Date.**

Client Impact:

We will find innovative and creative ways to reach a permanency rate of 85%.
To date: Our permanency rate is at 87%!

Fiscal Vitality:

By 2025, we will work together to increase new funding sources by 15%. To date: We have increased new funding sources by 35%!

Cause Awareness:

By 2025, together we will rally our constituents to increase overall giving per person impacted

from \$0.58 a day to \$0.70 a day. To date: we have increased to \$0.89 a day!

Workforce Wellness:

We will be a place where everyone wants to work by retaining, growing, developing our staff and reducing turnover to 20%. To date: We have reduced turnover to 18.5%!

Operational Efficiency:

We will create access to care through teleservices. To date: 90% of 5A clients have received at least one telehealth session!

Seizing Opportunities For Safety



In the fiscal year 2022-2023, Five Acres continued its longstanding commitment to enhancing the safety, well-being, and permanency for children and their families, marking 135 years of dedicated service. Our focus on data-driven decision-making and evidence-based practices has been more critical than ever. With the establishment of the Zeilstra Research and Training Center and the implementation of an agency-wide Evidence-Based Practices (EBP) culture, we have solidified our position at the forefront of child and family services.

Key findings highlighted the persistent challenges faced by children and adolescents, particularly in the realms of mental health and safety. Drawing from the Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System, we've observed troubling trends in mental health, with increases in feelings of sadness, hopelessness, and suicidal behavior among youth, like Annie, who was 11 years old. She displayed suicidal ideations when angry or frustrated. Having experienced 12 out-of-home placements within seven months, Annie was admitted to Five Acres. These issues underscore the urgency of our mission and the importance of our work to create safe environments for the children and youth we serve.

With no family support or involvement, Annie's court-appointed special advocate worked tirelessly for her educational needs and consistently visited. Annie had developmental delays and was diagnosed with diabetes. She also had an individual education plan to assist with her unique educational needs. While at Five Acres, Annie received individual therapy, group therapy, rehabilitation services, psychiatric support, Therapeutic Behavioral Services, and case management. On the adoption track with the Department of Child and Family Services, Annie attended many adoption events in search of a loving family. Through our innovative approaches and commitment to excellence, Five Acres' conscientious team has impacted Annie's life and that of 6,166 individuals this past fiscal year, with a significant portion of our clients being children under the age of 12 experiencing mood disorders and depression.

Besides our short-term residential therapeutic program, our efforts in providing specialized outpatient programs have addressed critical safety concerns, including decision-making, suicide risk and non-suicidal self-injurious behavior. Our team believed that Annie could benefit from individualized identified specific services that Regional Centers offer. Annie was initially denied twice. Our team continued to advocate for Annie, and after almost two years of being persistent, Annie was finally approved for Regional Center Services that would provide her with additional services and resources she needed to succeed.



Annie's team worked diligently in reducing her behavioral challenges by providing Annie with skills and tools to utilize during challenging times. Open to treatment and gaining the tools she needed to decrease or stop the maladaptive behaviors she was displaying, Annie was successfully discharged after two years of being at Five Acres to a foster home.

As we reflect on the past fiscal year, we are reminded of the importance of our mission and the need for bold moves to support the children and families we serve. Our journey is far from over as we continue to make strides towards a brighter future for all.

Seizing Opportunities For Well-Being



Maria watched her daughter, Nancy, with a mix of concern and hope for what she knew was possible with the right support. At just 14 years old, Nancy had already faced battles that would test the resilience of someone twice her age. The onset of self-harm at 11 and a heartrending suicide attempt three years later were the harrowing lows in Nancy's young life. It was a period marked by depression, self-harm, and suicidal thoughts that left her grappling with motivation, struggling at school, and straining family relationships.

The Five Acres team, under the watchful guidance of Karina Ramos, the director of Private Healthcare, became their lifeline. They were introduced to the community-based mental health services through the Kaiser Wraparound Contract, an initiative that has touched over a thousand lives across various cities.

When Nancy participated in the Wraparound Program, it was a race against time to construct a robust safety net around her. The team tailored a treatment plan that addressed the intricate web of challenges Nancy faced. A clinician helped her understand the importance of medication and communication with her psychiatrist, navigating through the family's

cultural beliefs about medical treatment. Family therapy sessions became a haven for resolution and understanding, fortifying the bonds that had weakened under the strain of Nancy's condition.

A behavioral specialist and case manager brought their expertise to the forefront, helping Nancy reintegrate into school life and leveraging her father's support in a pivotal role. The case manager, alongside Maria, worked tirelessly to secure resources and educational support, ensuring that Nancy's academic journey did not falter due to her mental health challenges.

The transformation was profound. Within five months, Nancy had met all her treatment goals. She found strength in her vulnerability, channeling it into advocacy for her younger brother's mental health needs. Now, Nancy walks the halls of the same high school her mother proudly works

at and once graduated from, not just surviving but thriving.

Maria and Nancy's journey is a testament to the power of bold moves for dedicated care given by our team and the resilience of the human spirit in creating a bright future.



Seizing Opportunities For Permanency



Our Five Acres team works to provide loving, forever families for children and youth awaiting adoption. The journey to adoption is often a testament to the power of love and commitment, which is vividly exemplified by Kailany's and Mateo's stories.

In a heartfelt culmination of nearly three years of nurturing care, Alana Gentry and Erich Schneider officially welcomed Kailany into their family in October 2023 when their adoption was finalized. Since being placed with them in January 2021, Kailany has thrived under their attentive guardianship, enveloped in a loving and caring environment that has fostered reunification. Alana has been supportive of our permanency efforts by hosting support groups. Kailany has developed a love of music, the outdoors, and is creative. Seizing the opportunity to create a loving and forever home, Alana and Erich have ensured Kailany's journey to adoption is a story of joy and endless possibilities.

After overcoming tremendous challenges, Mateo has found a forever home with Eduardo Ruedas and Anthony Hurtado, following a 13-month journey through foster care. Escaping a past marked by severe abuse, Mateo has flourished with the unwavering support of his resource parents. Our intensive therapeutic services and a consistent mental health team have transformed his initial behavioral challenges into remarkable progress. Eduardo and Anthony are now navigating the path to secure Mateo's citizenship, a testament to their

dedication to his well-being. Mateo's integration into the family and bond with their extended kin highlights the resilience and transformative power of love and care in healing and making his future bright.

Overcoming adversity and embracing new beginnings are often overwhelming for everyone involved in the adoption process. Through consistent support and dedicated therapeutic interventions, our teams have seized opportunities to turn trials into triumphs. Kailany and Mateo and their respective families now see brighter futures.



2022-23 Leadership

Executive Board

Susan P. McGuirl, *Board Chair*

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Past Board Chair and Vice Chair Audit

Shoshana Puccia, *Board Secretary*

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Grace Russak, *Vice Chair Nominating*

Kirsten Hansen, *Vice Chair Administration*

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Carol Chen John Reitnouer

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2022 Golf Classic

Danny Reaume and Joey Reaume, *Co-Chairs*

2023 Annual Gala

Trish Gonzales and Nicole Rasic, *Co-Chairs*

Children's Guild

Ruth Coyne and Florence Nelson, *Co-Presidents*

Senior Leadership

Chanel Boutakidis, MA, MFT
Chief Executive Officer

Jennifer Berger, MPA
Chief Advancement Officer

Chinling Chen, LCSW
Chief Program Officer, Prevention

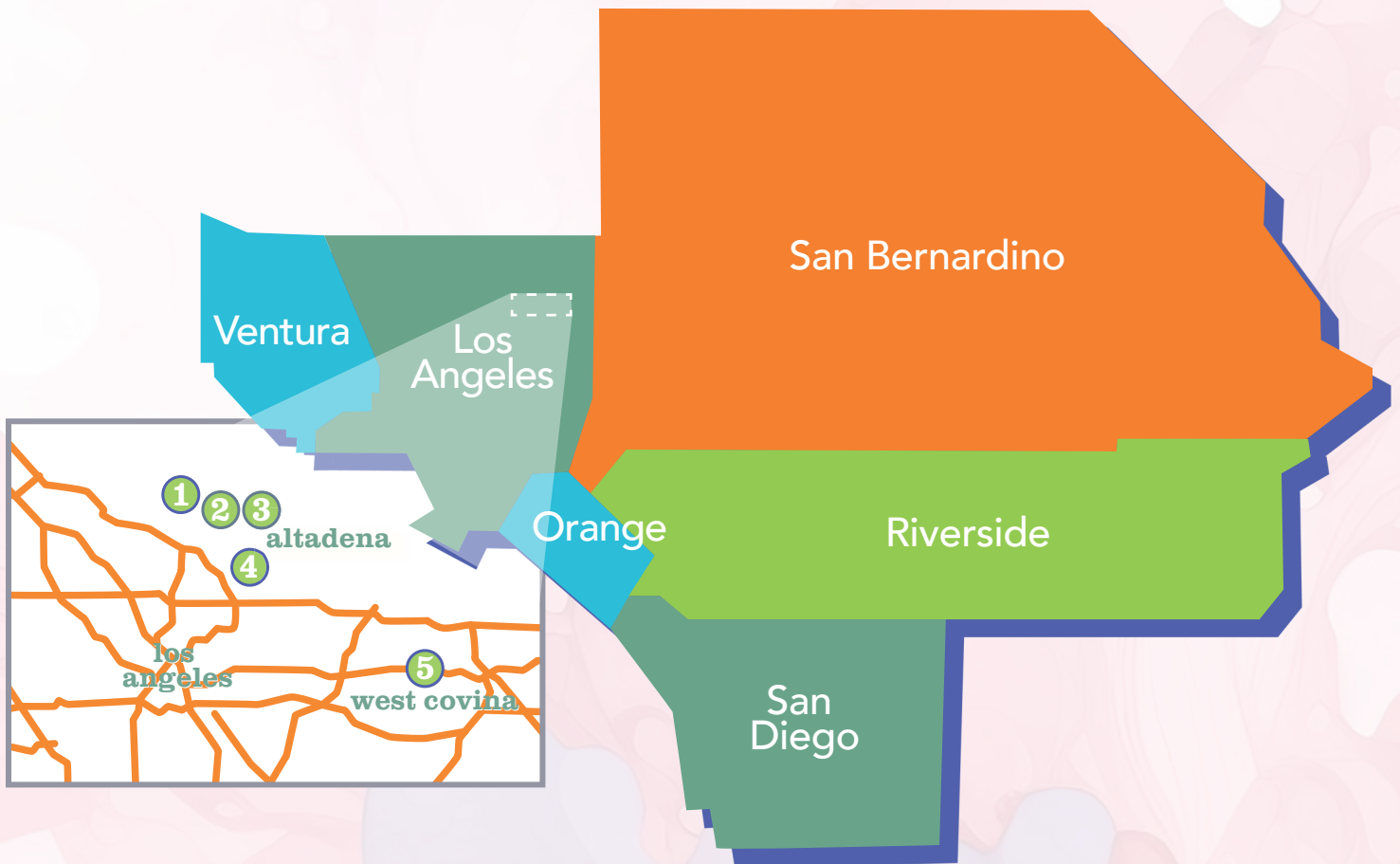
Elizabeth Gonzalez, MA, LMFT
Chief Program Officer, CCR

David L. Graft
Chief Financial Officer

Rachel McClements, PsyD
Chief Operating Officer

Five Acres

Service Area



Five Acres Offices

1. Colby and Keck Buildings

704 W. Mountain View St.
Altadena, CA 91001
Ph: (626) 798-6793 Fax: (626) 797-7722

2. S. Robert and Denise Zeilstra Research & Training Center

747 W. Mountain View St.
Altadena, CA 91001
Ph: (626) 798-6793 Fax: (626) 797-7722

3. Robert Ketch Administration Building

760 W. Mountain View St.
Altadena, CA 91001
Ph: (626) 798-6793 Fax: (626) 797-7722

4. Fair Oaks Location

867 N. Fair Oaks Ave.
Pasadena, CA 91103
Ph: (626) 993-3100 Fax: (626) 585-1664

5. West Covina Location

2934 E. Garvey Ave. South
Suites 100A and 102
West Covina, CA 91791
Ph: (626) 214-0301 Fax: (626) 214-0303

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Audited Financial Statement

Most of Five Acres' funding comes from highly restricted government contracts which don't always cover everything our clients need. Your charitable support is the game changer, empowering special programs and projects that enhance the safety, well-being and permanency for the children and families in our care.

Assets

	2022	2023
Cash	\$4,755,468	\$6,335,930
Investments	\$21,974,786	\$24,499,190
Accounts Receivable	\$7,572,380	\$11,781,137
Collection	\$0	\$0
Pledges Receivable	\$0	\$0
Other Current Assets	\$1,512,053	\$1,917,260
Fixed Assets (net)	\$2,419,231	\$2,483,053
Right-of-Use Assets - Operating Leases	\$0	\$2,916,016
Total Assets	\$38,233,918	\$49,932,586

Liabilities

Accounts Payable	\$4,309,733	\$4,088,816
Accrued Liabilities	\$5,247,817	\$10,404,463
Deferred Revenue	\$217,754	\$5,000
Government Owned Assets	\$0	\$0
Line of Credit	\$0	\$0
Paycheck Protection Program	\$0	\$0
Right-of-Use Assets - Operating Leases	\$0	\$2,960,284
Total Liabilities	\$9,775,304	\$17,458,563

Fund Balances

Retained Earnings (unrestricted)	\$26,547,124	\$30,511,596
Retained Earnings (restricted)	\$1,911,49	\$1,962,427
Total Net Assets	\$28,458,614	\$32,474,023
Total Liabilities & Fund Balances	\$38,233,918	\$49,932,586

Program Revenues

Government Contracts & Service Fees	\$31,495,784	\$36,199,796
Other Programs	\$3,302,275	\$2,811,606
Total Program Revenues	\$34,798,059	\$39,011,402

Public Support

Contributions & Bequests	\$1,474,017	\$1,073,640
In-Kind	\$432,858	\$234,566
Special Events	\$596,765	\$554,142
Total Public Support	\$2,503,640	\$1,862,348

Other Revenues

Dividends: Gain/Loss on Investment	\$1,072,952	\$2,635,956
Total Revenue & Support	\$38,374,651	\$43,509,706

Expenses

Program Services	\$30,556,252	\$33,274,795
Support Services	\$6,055,139	\$6,219,502
Total Expenses	\$36,611,391	\$39,494,297
Change In Net Assets	\$1,763,260	\$4,015,409

Seizing The Spirit of Service

The spirit of volunteerism shines brightly in the hearts of the Reaume brothers, Danny and Joey, whose exemplary dedication to Five Acres has rightfully earned them the title of Volunteers of the Year. At the helm of the 35th Annual Homecoming Tailgate Golf Classic, they stand as pillars of the community and the epitome of commitment to a cause greater than themselves.

Danny Reaume, the dynamic managing director at Jones Lang LaSalle, alongside his brother Joey, the astute executive vice president at Colliers International, have been steadfast supporters of our mission. Their journey with the organization spans over seven years on the Golf committee, with this past year marking their fifth as co-chairs. Yet, their bond with Five Acres stretches even further back, instilled in them since childhood by their father, Brad Reaume. Brad, who is the executive vice president of Bolton, an IMA company, and a significant figure in the history of the golf tournament, served both as a past Tournament Chair and a current committee member.

The Reaume brothers not only bring their professional acumen to ensure the success of the

annual golf classic but also their personal passion—a passion kindled by their father's example and fueled by their shared belief in giving back.

"We are proud to be associated with an organization like Five Acres that provides safety for children in foster care," said Danny and Joey. Their words are not merely a statement but a testament to their life-long commitment. Growing up with the values

of philanthropy and community service, they recognize the importance of seizing opportunities for a collective effort to support and uplift the most vulnerable and ensure their bright futures.

The Reaume brothers' dedication to our organization is a vivid illustration of how volunteerism can be a family legacy, passed down with the values of empathy,

generosity, and leadership. As we honor Danny and Joey Reaume as Volunteers of the Year, we celebrate not only their achievements but also the enduring spirit of service that runs deep through the veins of the Five Acres family. Their story is a powerful reminder that when we work together for a common good, the ripple effects of our actions can transform lives for generations to come.



From left to right: Joey Reaume, Brad Reaume, and Danny Reaume.

Interested in volunteering?

To learn more about volunteer opportunities, email volunteer@5Acres.org.

2022-23

Philanthropy Circle and Cumulative Giving

Thank You

We are profoundly thankful to Five Acres' generous and selfless donors who bring hope home for every child to have a loving, permanent family. Because of you, the futures for these children and families are brighter than ever.

Visionary Circle (\$100,000.00 +)

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Cumulative Giving

Donors who have made significant cumulative gifts during the history of Five Acres.

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The Annenberg Foundation
Anonymous
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BCM Foundation
The Estate of Frank Brill
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Andrew Crowell and Family
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Majestic Realty Co.
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A Legacy Gift For Bright Futures

On a warm afternoon last year, Mary G. Colby's descendants, including her daughter Jane Colby Parks, and granddaughter Mary Jane Parks, took a tour with their family that was a walk through history, deeply intertwined with their family's legacy.

The story of Mary G. Colby and the Colby family's generosity began to unfold in 1988 with an initial estate gift that signified much more than monetary value—it represented a commitment to education and community support. This gesture of goodwill continued with an additional gift, following the passing of Mary's daughter, Susan Colby. The legacy of giving is set to continue with the heart and dedication of the Colby estate, promising ongoing support to our mission.

Born in 1891, Mary G. Colby's journey from Winona, Minnesota, to the affluent neighborhood of Pasadena, California, was marked by a life of service and philanthropy. She and her husband, Arthur Wyckoff Colby, maintained a vibrant household with a commitment that transcended

generations in the community. In a family visit to Five Acres in the summer of 2023, Jane, nearing her 90th birthday, and her daughter Mary Jane, a figure active in politics and nonprofit work, embodied the spirit of their matriarch, Mary G. Colby.

The Mary G. Colby Center, named in 2004, serves as a cottage for children in our short-term residential therapeutic program. The building stands as a monument to the Colby family's enduring support and dedication that has enriched the lives of many children in foster care. Their legacy gift will continue to brighten the futures of generations to come.



Five Acres Legacy Society Members

The Five Acres Legacy Society was formed as a way for like-minded humanitarians to serve future families in need. By including Five Acres in your estate planning, you ensure the safety, well-being and permanency of Southern California's children as if they were your own.

Leaving your own legacy as a child and family advocate is not a complicated process. If you have a special place in your heart for our mission, we encourage you to consider including Five Acres in your estate plans or trust. Many options are available that may enable you and your family to enjoy a tax benefit now or at the time your estate is settled.

If you have already included Five Acres in your estate plan, please reach out to us. We would like to honor you through the Legacy Society to acknowledge your inspiring generosity and compassion for others. If you are considering a planned gift, please contact Jennifer Berger at (626) 773-3749 or jberger@5acres.org to learn the many ways you can establish a meaningful legacy of your own. On behalf of the children and families we serve, thank you!

Legacy Society

Corrine Abel Estate
Carolyn G. Adams
Raymond Andersen Trust
Anonymous (2)
James A. Avedikian
Horace and Victoria Baker Family Trust
Harold Baloyan
Jennifer and John Berger
Jean Blackburn
Lorraine Boatenhamer Trust
Chanel and Ioakim Boutakidis
Carole and Jack Brady Trust
Lorraine Brakebill Estate
James M. Brayshaw Jr.
Todd A. Brewer
Mary Brigham Estate
Frank Brill
Ann Garland Brown Lifetime Trust
David W. Bryant
Dianne Bukata
Mimi and Paul Carter
Ruth Cashy Estate
John Chun
William M. Clark
Louise N. Clark
Cathy and Paul Clement
Mary G. Colby Estate
Dorothy Cook Estate
Corngold Family Trust
Georgia D. Coye
Andrew Crowell and Family
Davis Family Trust
Ryan D. Dietz
Henry Dupuy Estate
Jean Ellison Estate
Don G. Erickson Trust
William Eskew Estate
Judith A. Farrar
Robert J. Floe
Elizabeth D. Forster Estate
Elaine R. Gilbertson Estate
Mollie Graham Estate

Elizabeth Greenberg
Eleanor Hague Estate
Noel Hanson
Rose Harrington Estate
Hugh and Nancy Helm
Harcourt Hervey Esq.
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Anne H. Janssen Estate
Christianne and Charles Kerns
Estate of Carl A. Kersey
Virginia Kineston
Janet Kirtlan
Debi and Scott Kroman
Kelley Bannon Lashley and
Daniel C. Lashley
Pauline W. Ledeen Estate
Harry Long
Fred Losch Estate
Leslie A. Lyons
Shawn Mackey
Tania K. Makshanoff
Estate of Anne and Courtney Marculescu
Patricia Martin
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Everett G. McDonough
Katheryn McEachern Estate
Leonard McGee
Jeffrey McGraa
Susan P. McGuirl and Bob Musselman
Christine McKenzie
Jessica Miller
Estate of Margaret and Omar B. Milligan
Kay Mobus Estate
Roger Molvar
Chiyon Yi Moore
Margaret Mowery Moore Trust
Christopher Morphy
Brian Nash
Jane F. Neilson Trust
Jenell Newhouse Estate
Mariann and Thomas Nolan

Ruth and Kenneth Olson Estate
Dr. Chris Pahl
Jane V. Palmer
Lilly M. Petersen Trust
Hazel F. Peterson Trust
Dorothy J. Phillips Estate
Maxine Pittroff
Ernest Posey
Shoshana Puccia
Marjorie Reedtz
John and Charlotte Reith
Susan Rhoades
Mrs. J. Randolph Richards
Michael and Anne Riffey
Karen C. Ryan
Elzada F. Schweitzer Estate
Margaret H. Sedenquist
Sarah R. Simonds
Emily Bishop Simpson Estate
Helen Drake Smetz Trust
Joanne Stanley Estate
Marty Stewart
Jonette Strasburg Trust
Dorothy Stromberger Estate
Ingeborg Talbert
Lois M. Tandy
Estate of Alice C. Taylor
Sarah Taylor Estate
Giulio Varsi
Delores A. Walker Trust
Walli D. Wallis Trust
Anne Saunders Walls Estate
Estate of William P. Weinberg
Gretchen M. Wiechman
Susan B. Wier
George N. Williamson Estate
Mabel C. Williamson Estate
Marjorie K. Wyatt
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1 donate

2 advocate

3 connect/share

4 volunteer

**5 foster and
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760 W. Mountain View St.
Altadena, CA 91001

By email: giving@5acres.org

By phone: Contact Jennifer Berger
at (626) 773-3749

Consider a gift of stock or including Five Acres
in your estate plan: Contact Jennifer Berger at
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