



### **Hands & Hearts Raises More Than \$100,000**

We are absolutely delighted that so many of you could join us for our 18th annual Hands & Hearts fundraising luncheon this month! Every day we are guided by our mission to heal children, empower youth and strengthen families, but getting to share success stories with people like you keeps us motivated.

***We are thrilled to share that we raised more than \$100,000 during Hands & Hearts!***

We hope that you left the luncheon knowing more about CCFI and Boys & Girls Club of Norman and felt empowered to support our community. We invite you to stay engaged with our mission by following us on social media, visiting our website or scheduling an agency tour!



### ***Not able to make it to Hands & Hearts?***

If you were unable to join us at Hands & Hearts, you can still make an impact by **making a donation or multi-year pledge!** *Click the button below to make a secure online donation today!*

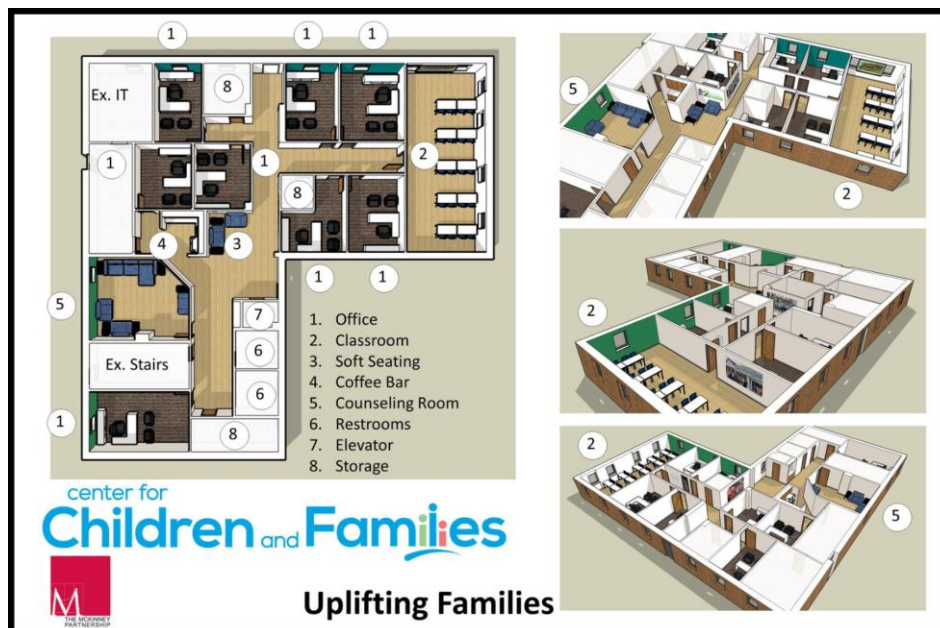
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## CCFI Launches Capital Campaign to Support Expansion Efforts

During this year's fundraising luncheon, we shared the exciting news about our agency's expansion efforts. To help accommodate our growing needs, we are launching the Uplifting Families capital campaign. This project will help advance our mission by providing:

- Additional room for service expansion
- Private office space to conduct individual therapy, case management and other direct services
- Opportunities for new partnerships and programs with other nonprofits and community groups
- The ability to host in-house parenting classes (currently hosted offsite)

Below you will find our renovation plan for the space:



### ***How Can You Help?***

To help make this expansion project a reality, consider making a one-time gift or signing up for monthly giving. Naming opportunities are also available for gifts in excess of \$10,000.

To learn more about this project, please contact Melissa Klink at 405-364-1420 or [mklink@ccfinorman.org](mailto:mklink@ccfinorman.org).

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### **Program Director Joins the CCFI Leadership Team**

Please help us welcome **Melanie Reese, MSW**, who is serving as the Program Director. Melanie has experiential knowledge of health inequities and social determinants of health and behavior.

They join the CCFI family by way of the Oklahoma State Department Health, Office of Minority Health and Health Equity where they served as a Healthy Equity Fellow on a CDC grant focused on health disparities in rural communities and BIPOC populations as they directly relate to COVID-19.



Melanie most recently served the Norman community with the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services' Central OK Community Mental Health Center. As the Director of Administrative Services. Reese has had a life-long appreciation for diversity, inclusivity, and recovery. Community mental health is their sweet spot for joining with community members to empower and strengthen our community systems so every child, woman, and man can realistically live their best lives. Welcome, Melanie!

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### **Club Members Join Baker Mayfield at OU Spring Game**

This April, Boys & Girls Club of Norman was selected to assist Baker Mayfield unveil his Heisman statue at the University of Oklahoma 2022 Spring Game. Our Club members were elated for this opportunity and made countless memories! Throughout the day, they were able to meet the football team, had a pre-game meet and greet with Baker, attended the unveiling ceremony and enjoyed the game.







**We're hiring.**

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and  
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**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB  
OF NORMAN**

### Join the CCFI Family: We're Hiring

As our agency continues to grow, we are thrilled to be able to expand our team to continue offering critical services in our community. We currently have several full-time and part-time openings in a variety of areas. To view our job opportunities, click the button below!

[LEARN MORE](#)

### Boys & Girls Club of Norman Honors Youth of the Month

We are proud to recognize the following Club members for earning *Youth of the Month*: Cristian and Dylan.



Cristian has been eager to help others and staff can always rely on him to be the first to follow directions. Dylan brings her positive energy to Club and is always engaged in activities that staff put together. Congratulations!

## CCFI Celebrates Norman Pride Month

We had a wonderful time celebrating ALL of the amazing people that make up our community during Norman Pride Weekend. We were able to share our mission on Saturday at the festival and rounded out the weekend at the parade. We even received the special honor of "Most Energetic" group during the parade! Thank you, Norman Pride, for your continued work to spread acceptance, awareness and love in throughout our community.



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## Support Our Mission as a Corporate Sponsor

To help ensure every child is safe, nurtured and loved, we ask that you consider investing in CCFI by ***making a corporate sponsorship gift***. With your support, we will be able to continue offering our critical services and discover new and innovative ways to serve the Norman community in the midst of these uncertain times. We are honored to show appreciation to the following businesses for their commitment!

***THANK YOU to our Legacy Sponsors!***

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*THANK YOU to our NEW Mentor Sponsors!*



To learn how you can help further our mission by becoming a corporate sponsor, [visit our website](#) or contact Mary Cornelsen at [mcornelsen@ccfinorman.org](mailto:mcornelsen@ccfinorman.org) or 405-364-1420.

## Upcoming BabyMobile Schedule

The [Infant Crisis Services](#) BabyMobile will be hosting drive through events at CCFI (10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.) to bring FREE essential baby items to the Norman community. The upcoming dates include: **Monday, May 23rd and Monday, June 27th.**

Remember, no appointment is needed and services are offered while supplies last. Guests are also welcome to stop by the CCFI Baby Pantry for additional diapers and wipes!



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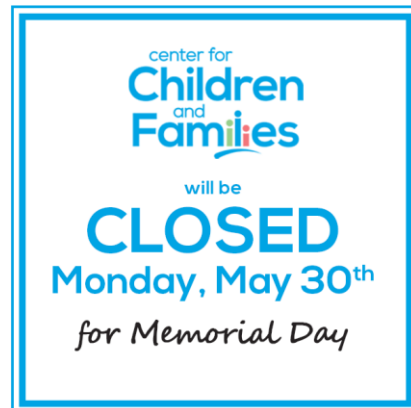
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