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82 Years
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## Clients Served & Services Provided

### SERVICES PROVIDED BY PROGRAM

**COUNSELING**
- Capital Counseling .............................................. 1,963
- Lancaster Counseling ............................................. 607
- Paradise Counseling ............................................. 1,654
- York Counseling .................................................. 1,698
- **TOTAL** Hours of Services ...................................... 5,922

**ADOPTION**
- Search Cases ....................................................... 5
- Swan Services ...................................................... 26
- Infant Adoption Services ....................................... 51
- **TOTAL** .................................................................. 82

**SPECIALIZED FOSTER CARE**
- Foster Children Placed .......................................... 11
- Foster Parent Training ............................................ 35
- **TOTAL** .................................................................. 46

**IRS – EMPLOYMENT SERVICES**
- **TOTAL** JOBS OBTAINED .......................................... 37

**INTERFAITH SHELTER**
- Bed Nights ............................................................ 1,861
- Meals Served ......................................................... 14,967
- Families Served ..................................................... 19
- Transportation ....................................................... 3,857
- **TOTAL** ................................................................ 20,704

**LOURDESHOUSE**
- Bed Nights ............................................................ 1,309
- Parenting Classes .................................................. 66
- Transportation ....................................................... 1,120
- Pantry Visits .......................................................... 13
- Meals ................................................................. 3,927
- **TOTAL** ................................................................ 6,435

**EVERGREEN**
- Days of Service or Bednights ................................. 3,839
- Meals ................................................................. 12,657
- **TOTAL** .............................................................. 16,496

**PARADISE SCHOOL**
- Meals Served ......................................................... 15,480
- Life Skill Training ................................................... 4,644
- **TOTAL** .............................................................. 20,124

**YORK IFS**
- Counseling Provided To Clients/Family ................... 98

**DONATED TOTAL FOR SERVICES PROVIDED** .................. 69,944

### CLIENTS SERVED BY PROGRAM

- Adoption .................................................................. 82
- Specialized Foster Care .......................................... 46
- Lancaster Intensive Day Treatment ......................... 23
- IRS – English as a Second Language ..................... 230
- IRS – Employment Services ................................... 56
- IRS – Resettlement Program .................................. 16
- IRS – Match Program ............................................. 15
- York Intensive Family Services ............................... 98
- York/Adams Family Based ...................................... 23
- Paradise School .................................................... 86
- Evergreen House ................................................... 48
- Willow Way ........................................................... 9
- Interfaith Shelter .................................................... 19
- Lourdeshouse – Residents ...................................... 21
- Lourdeshouse – Babies .......................................... 13
- Capital Counseling ................................................ 221
- Lancaster Counseling ............................................. 38
- Paradise Counseling .............................................. 73
- York Counseling .................................................... 141
- **TOTAL** .................................................................... 1,258

### FAMILY MEMBERS SERVED

- Lancaster Intensive Day Treatment ......................... 75
- Paradise School ..................................................... 234
- York - Adams Family Based .................................... 81
- Interfaith Shelter ..................................................... 251
- Capital Counseling ................................................ 3
- Paradise Counseling .............................................. 9
- York Counseling .................................................... 1
- **TOTAL** .............................................................. 654

### GRAND TOTAL SERVED

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Adoption Services

Based in Harrisburg, Adoption Services offers information for adoptive parents who are interested in welcoming a child to their family. In some cases, we can assist families with a home study while other agency clients are matched with an older child or group of siblings engaged with the Pennsylvania Statewide Adoption Network (SWAN).

In addition, Child Preparation Counseling is offered to children preparing for adoption. During this series of sessions, children participate in activities and exercises designed to help him/her adjust to the adoption process by reviewing their past, identifying and discussing feelings and concerns, and strengthening their bonds with his/her new family.

Success Story

At seven years old, Alex entered foster care after her birth parents were unable to successfully meet their goals and subsequently had their legal rights terminated. Alex struggled with anger and social skills and was often moved from one foster home to the next. She demonstrated distrust for adults, stemming from feelings of being rejected, but was still a kind and bright child who loved art and playing outside. She just needed adults who could be there for her and help her manage her anger.

John and Maria learned of Alex through a friend and knew they wanted to be Alex’s forever family. The couple contacted Catholic Charities to assist them through the process of becoming certified foster parents. Catholic Charities worked with the local Children and Youth Services office to place Alex with John and Maria. The couple recognized the impact on a young child from moving between multiple homes and knew it would require time and commitment. Catholic Charities supported John and Maria in-person or by phone whenever they needed and staff helped the couple secure additional support services for Alex.

Alex acted out, was destructive and struggled with relationships, but over time, her behaviors improved as she felt not only accepted, but comfortable in her new home. A year and half later, John and Maria officially adopted Alex. For them, Alex was already a part of their family. They felt that working with Catholic Charities and getting support services for Alex improved their family as a whole. Alex will continue to have some struggles, but overall she is doing well. She continues to love art and do well in school, and she enjoys family outings. When asked about their adoption experience, John and Maria note “Having Alex taught us all how to listen better and have an open heart.”

Specialized Foster Care

Based in Harrisburg, Specialized Foster Care places children who have been separated from their families by the court system into loving homes. If a child cannot be returned home, an alternative permanent placement plan is developed. Adoption is often times an appropriate course, and the Pennsylvania Statewide Adoption Network (SWAN) works with many foster parents to adopt their children and provide a permanent and caring home.

All names have been changed to protect client privacy.
Lourdeshouse

Located at the Saint Samuel Center in Harrisburg, the **Lourdeshouse Maternity Home** provides quality services to pregnant women who have nowhere else to turn. The program symbolizes the commitment of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg to uphold the dignity and sanctity of all human life.

All of the residents at Lourdeshouse are provided with childbirth and parenting classes, case management, and transportation. In addition, case managers assist residents in obtaining employment, housing, education, and counseling. Residents may come to Lourdeshouse at any time during their pregnancy and may remain in the program up to eight months. Pantry items such as food, diapers, clothing, furniture, and toiletries are also available to both residents and other women in the community who have a child twelve months of age or younger. Services are funded in part through the Real Alternatives Program.

Lancaster Intensive Day Program

Based in Lancaster, the **Intensive Day Treatment Program** serves at-risk youth from age nine to fifteen who possess significant emotional and behavioral health needs. An alternative to residential treatment services, the program runs Monday through Friday and aims to increase anger management skills, to improve social skills, and to enhance educational achievement.

The program utilizes a therapeutic environment, one in which personal growth and change takes place through positive relations between the youth and the program staff as a result of individual, group, and family therapy programming. The program’s educational component is operated by the Lancaster Intermediate Unit 13 and is funded by contract with the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services, Lancaster County, and other Managed Care Organizations.
Family-Based Mental Health Services

Family-Based Mental Health Services is a comprehensive program that delivers services to children and their families in both home and community settings. Families entering the program are at risk of having their children placed into foster care. The goal of the program is to strengthen family relationships and stabilize the family through therapeutic interventions. Licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services, the program provides a team-centered approach proven to be successful in keeping families together or reuniting children with their families. The Family-Based Mental Health Services Offices provide services for families in Adams and York Counties.

Success Story

Justine, a 12-year old, living with her mother, was referred to Family Based Mental Health Services due to an eating disorder and long history of self-harming thoughts, and suicidal and homicidal ideation. Justine’s participation in Family Based Mental Health Services was part of the discharge plans from her latest inpatient admission. Justine and her mother appeared to have a close bond, a supportive extended family, and willingness to seek treatment. However, Justine struggled to communicate at times, which Justine’s mother interpreted as defiance and caused her to become angry with her daughter. Communication struggles often led to arguments between the two.

Improving communication between Justine and her mother was the first goal for Catholic Charities. Staff introduced the use of roleplay to help spark communication between Justine and her mother. As communication between the two improved, Justine and her mother were able to share their feelings more easily. Justine’s mother became more receptive to what she previously viewed as defiance, and expressed curiosity regarding her daughter’s feelings, which helped to further strengthen their relationship. Staff worked with Justine to help her develop coping mechanisms to alleviate stress and anxiety.

By the end of her treatment, Justine was able to incorporate her hobbies, including sewing, into her treatment. These hobbies became integral to her coping skills. At the time of discharge, Justine and her mother’s bond grew, communication improved, and there was less stress present in the home. They were no longer simply a mother and daughter, but a family.
York Intensive Family Services

Based in York, the Intensive Family Services Program (IFS) provides services in the homes of families who have open cases with York County Children and Youth Services (CYS). Through a partnership contract, Children and Youth Services refers families to the Intensive Family Services Program. These families are in need of parenting skills, connection to community resources, and family therapy.

Emphasis is placed upon strengthening the family in order for children to remain in their homes or return as quickly as possible from foster care. Team members work intensely, with multiple weekly sessions, in order to make an immediate impact upon families facing numerous issues.

Success Story

Stacy, and her husband Dan, became involved with CYS and IFS services following Stacy’s suicide attempt in March of 2020. It was not until the latest suicide attempt that Stacy and Dan sought Catholic Charities’ assistance. Stacy and Dan had been together for several years, but there was a long history of psychosis, substance abuse, infidelity, and domestic violence. Their relationship started while Dan was incarcerated, and Stacy was determined to help him rehabilitate his life once released. Dan worked as a truck driver following his release and the two purchased a house. Dan and Stacy had two children a few years later.

Stacy was committed to working through the hurdles of married life with Dan as long as he remained sober. Only two months after Dan had lost his job and relapsed, Stacy was laid off and life began to spiral. Dan and Stacy’s arguments became worse and the children were keenly aware of the growing domestic violence, addiction issues, and parental mental illness.

Catholic Charities’ staff witnessed manic episodes where Stacy became fixated on religion, blaming religious beliefs for her unsafe choices. Stacy’s mental health continued to deteriorate and was subsequently placed in three different inpatient facilities so she could receive the help she needed. At the same time, Dan entered rehab to work on his addiction issues, but signed himself out only 10 days later. Following the second inpatient facility, Stacy and Dan wanted to reconcile their marriage and work towards getting their family safely back together. Two days later, Stacy had another manic episode and was admitted into her third inpatient facility. Stacy learned during her stay that Dan had relapsed and died of an overdose, a turning point in her life. Stacy knew her children were all that she had left and was determined to regain control of her life.

Stacy’s behavior was drastically different following her return from the third inpatient facility. She was receptive to therapy, medication management, and drug and alcohol services. Stacy’s interactions with staff were much more productive and she started to make significant progress with CYS. Stacy worked very hard through the grieving process for her husband, supporting her kids emotionally with all that they had been through, and taking steps to regain her independence and strength so that she could be a healthy mother for her children. She recognized that she and they deserved to have her at her best. Stacy spent nine months rehabilitating herself mentally, physically, and emotionally. She successfully reunited with her children. The family has demonstrated stability and growth over the last several months and was successfully discharged with CYS and IFS in June 2021.
Immigration and Refugee Services

**Immigration and Refugee Services (IRS)** of Catholic Charities provides a wide range of social and educational services to immigrants, refugees, visitors and non-English speakers. The IRS services of Catholic Charities has a multi-ethnic, multi-lingual staff who are dedicated to teaching people how to help themselves.

**Employment Services** guides adult refugees, asylees, and other qualified immigrants to self-sufficiency through job readiness counseling, referral services, job placement, and ongoing post-placement support and counseling. Relationships have been established with hundreds of businesses throughout the Central PA Region. Every effort is made to match the best client to employers to provide ongoing support to ensure job retention.

In addition, our staff provides public education, training and community outreach in order to promote social justice in accordance with Catholic Social Teaching.

**English as a Second Language (ESL)** offers classes for adults in several locations throughout the greater Harrisburg area. Classes are free and are open to all adult, non-native English speakers. Morning and evening class options are available to accommodate a wide range of work and family schedules. We provide pre-literacy, beginning, intermediate and advanced class levels. Classes are taught by professionally trained teachers experienced in ESL instruction methods.

**Refugee Resettlement Program** offers the following services to newly arrived refugees: Pre-arrival agreements, airport reception, temporary housing, food & other basic necessities, orientation and acculturation to the United States, English as a second language classes, job placement and referrals to social service agencies. Our goal is to assist refugees to achieve self-sufficiency within the first 120-180 days after their arrival. It is through self-sufficiency that they can begin to fulfill their dreams of a better life of safety and security.

**Match Grant Program** assists eligible asylees with enrollment into this program that provides employment services. Limited financial assistance is also available for housing and utility bills.

**Success Story**

In September 2014, Noor arrived in the United States with his wife and children. Noor spent much of his early life in Kenya after being displaced by a devastating civil war in his home country of Somalia. After living in Kenya for far longer than anticipated, Noor finally had the opportunity to resettle to the United States.

Noor’s arrival in the United States led him to Pennsylvania where he was served by Catholic Charities as a TANF beneficiary. Noor demonstrated a high level of independence and ability to adjust to the United States, achieving a certain level of self-sufficiency. A few years later, Noor moved west to Minnesota, but returned to Pennsylvania only 12 months later.

Over the last few years, Noor has struggled to retain employment with language as the primary barrier. Noor knew what type of job he wanted - one that was offered independence and future opportunity for self-employment. A truck driver would provide Noor the flexible work schedule he desired and allow him to spend more time with his family. Catholic Charities assisted Noor with the first step in obtaining permanent employment – helping him read, study, and understand English. With the assistance of his caseworker, Noor was able to study English and significantly boost his ability and confidence. His wife also enrolled in Catholic Charities English as a Second Language classes through an employment program referral.

Catholic Charities not only assisted Noor to find a box truck driving position, but also helped him to eventually able to buy a box truck, which he now drives as an owner-operator earning roughly $25 per hour. Noor is now self-sufficient, paying his family’s bills and saving money for rainy days. In June 2021, Noor and his wife became United States citizens and look forward to achieving the American Dream and contributing to their new country.
Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families

Located at the Saint Samuel Center in Harrisburg, the Interfaith Shelter for Homeless Families is the only homeless shelter in the Harrisburg region specifically serving families. During their brief stay of four to six weeks, families work with the Shelter staff on issues that may be related to their homelessness: employment, education, childcare, healthcare, transportation, and other related problems. Upon completion of the program, as many as 98% of the families achieve a stable level of housing and a better quality of life.

Success Story

Ms. Miller, a single mother who strived to help and uplift anyone in their time of need, entered the Interfaith Shelter in April 2021 after previously living with her mother and sister in Harrisburg. Ms. Miller’s experience living with her family was often stress-ridden with frequent arguments. Following an argument, Ms. Miller’s mother told her daughter and child they had to leave the home. The single mother and child were homeless with no money and no one else to turn to.

Throughout her stay, Ms. Miller was respectful, appreciative, and eager to get back on her feet. Prior to entering Interfaith Shelter, Ms. Miller took a full-time job at a local shipping and logistics company. She worked as many hours as possible to provide for her daughter. With support from Catholic Charities, Ms. Miller worked on relationships with her family and friends in order to build a support system. She frequently applied to different housing opportunities in order to gain a better life for her daughter. The love she has for her child was exemplified during her daughter’s stay in the hospital. Ms. Miller stayed with her daughter, day and night, while continuing to pursue any available opportunities to provide a better life for her and her daughter. Despite all the barriers – income, medical issues, and housing denials, Ms. Miller successfully transitioned into the Brethren Housing Program. When one door closed, another opened!
Willow Way

Located at the Saint Samuel Center in Harrisburg, Willow Way is designed to serve women in recovery. This facility is a program owned and operated by Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Harrisburg, and offers in-house staff that provide support to help connect residents to counseling, manage daily operations, reinforce accountability, and support family living.

This home is located in a residential neighborhood, within walking distance to commercial areas and public transportation which is ideal for employment, shopping, and attending support meetings.

Empowering Women for Success

In 2021, Catholic Charities initiated Empowering Women for Success (EWS), a new service area under its English as a Second Language Program. EWS meets the unique challenges faced by refugee and immigrant women in South Central Pennsylvania by assisting women as they integrate into their new lives and become advocates for themselves, their families, and communities. In less than seven months, EWS has served 70 immigrant and refugee women.

With the assistance of volunteers, EWS featured seven different workshops in three languages for women enrolled in the English as a Second Language Program.

Recognizing the urgent need to address the unique difficulties faced by immigrant and refugee women, EWS partnered with Healthy Steps Diaper Bank to provide women with more than 10,000 diapers and pull-ups for their children. Additionally, with the support of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. and Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, over 5,000 feminine care products have been collected for mothers and their daughters. These recent successes are only the beginning of EWS, as Catholic Charities continues to grow and adapt its services to meet the changing needs of immigrant and refugee women in the Greater Harrisburg region.
Evergreen House

Located at the Saint Samuel Center in Harrisburg, Evergreen House provides a nurturing and therapeutic environment for women recovering from the disease of addiction.

The length of the program for each client is based upon the person’s individual needs and treatment plans. Licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Health, all care is confidential and provided in both one-on-one and group settings by the caring, qualified staff. Residents are also encouraged to develop the tools they need to maintain long-term recovery by securing safe and stable housing, participating in job training programs, and pursuing employment and/or education.

Success Story

At 27 years old, I felt as though I was losing everyone and everything around me. My relationships with family and friends were deteriorating, and as I struggled to maintain my job, I was even losing my independence. I had not only given up on myself, but life as well—all because of my addiction.

My rehabilitation counselor told me about Evergreen House, a facility with a strong reputation for helping women recover from addiction. I was looking for a fresh start and decided Evergreen House was my chance to change my life around. Evergreen House provided a time for self-reflection, forgiveness, and growth. I learned how to express my feelings, how to be respectful towards others, how to love people unconditionally, and most importantly, how to love myself. It was at Evergreen House that I found a new connection with God.

During my time at Evergreen House, I was accepted into a Certified Nursing Assistance Program; attended driving school; paid off fines; secured a job; and remained sober for over a year...and still counting. It was at Evergreen House that I turned my life around. I now have a renewed purpose in life, a newfound love for myself and family, a relationship with God, and a greater sense of self-respect. Evergreen House offers a unique service where staff gave me structure, guidance, and molded me to the successful woman I am today.
Paradise School

Located in rural York County, the Paradise School Program, in partnership with Lincoln Intermediate Unit #12, seeks to provide a productive learning environment while providing an academic and behavioral education. Educational services are provided by the Lincoln Intermediate Unit #12 and are staffed by certified special educators. Other staff members include an Instructional Advisor as well.

Paradise School staff provides crisis intervention, supervision during lunch and break periods, social skills education and school district coordination. In addition, the program utilizes a full spectrum of community resources including parks, libraries, movie theatres, skating rinks as well as frequent and ongoing utilization of the Appalachian Trail as part of their educational and therapeutic tools.

Success Story

Michael arrived at Paradise School as a 10th grader struggling to keep up with academics and demonstrating serious behavioral issues in the public-school classroom. Michael’s truancy was a major problem and he was often found sleeping during class. He was failing three out of his six classes. Michael expressed these same behaviors and attitudes during his first few weeks at Paradise School. After several weeks of consistent positive recognition and attention, Michael began to realize that the staff at Paradise School cared about him as a person and not only his behaviors. Michael developed relationships with teachers and staff, which in turn, allowed Michael to gain the positive attention that he was craving. Thereafter, Michael’s academic performance improved and he quickly caught up on the schoolwork that he had fallen behind in at public school.

Michael expressed a desire to learn both new behavioral and academic concepts and apply them to his assignments. Staff discovered Michael often helping other students in his class to change their behaviors and adopt a more positive outlook towards their own schoolwork. He quickly became a leader and role model among his peers. Michael transitioned back to public school during his 11th grade year and his school district reports that he is continuing on the path to success by attending school every day, completing his assignments and being a positive role model for his classmates.
Behavioral Outpatient Services

Catholic Charities Counseling is dedicated to providing access to high quality outpatient counseling for children, adolescents, and adults in small, friendly, confidential offices located in Harrisburg, Lancaster, York and Abbottstown (Paradise School Facility).

Services include individual and family therapy, marital counseling, and parent-child counseling. These clinics are licensed by the PA Department of Human Services, and are provided to all regardless of religious affiliation. Bilingual-Spanish services are provided at the Lancaster office.

Success Story

Jenny, a 30-year old single mother, was referred to Catholic Charities Counseling Services after struggling to meet the goals required for reunification with her children. She arrived with extreme anxiety and depression, particularly when it came to issues surrounding her children. Jenny was employed part-time, but received warnings from management due to her struggles to control her emotions.

Catholic Charities staff quickly learned that Jenny’s relationship with her family was the root of many of her issues. She had suffered very strained relationships with her family, and her closest family members were the ones who reported her to Children and Youth Services. Their calls to Children and Youth Services initiated the original investigation, which resulted in her children being placed in alternative care.

During her time with Catholic Charities, Jenny participated in counseling sessions and set goals with her therapist to manage her coping skills when feeling overwhelmed. Over the course of treatment, Jenny developed three coping strategies to help her when she was feeling overwhelmed and anxious. As she practiced these strategies, she began to open-up about her feelings, allowing her to facilitate honest and open discussion with staff. Jenny started to reconcile her relationship with her family and began to enjoy positive exchanges with her siblings and parents. Her family commended her on ability to manage various situations and control her emotions.

Following COVID-19, Jenny lost her job and struggled to manage her anxiety. Everyday activities were difficult for her to complete. Jenny eventually agreed to participate in psychiatric evaluation and begin medication. Following her time with Catholic Charities, Jenny was able to regain custody of her children. She was equipped to follow the recommendations of Children and Youth Services; improve her family relationships, including with her boyfriend to whom she is now engaged; and decrease her negative self-talk, improving her self-esteem. Catholic Charities helped her realize her potential and regain her dignity.
The overwhelming tragedies brought on by Covid-19 have made the past year like no other in the history of Catholic Charities. Change and survival were our daily companions. Catholic Charities staff and volunteers have been “on the job” and we pivoted and changed the way we provided many services due to Covid.

Faced with restrictions against in-person services, our staff embarked upon a telehealth services. Many of us went remote and/or worked varied days to ensure there was no lapse in services and to maintain a safe number in our office spaces. We transitioned to Tele-therapy, Virtual English classes, while still keeping our Homes for Healing operational, but with lower census for safety. Many learned the art of zoom as a method of providing services to our clients. Other programs remained operational with a lower census, however we able to serve our clients.

What keeps Catholic Charities going is providing help and creating hope for Non-Catholics and Catholics alike. Our agency is rooted in the shared Catholic belief that each person is made in the image of God, worthy of dignity and respect and drawing inspiration from our Catholic Christian traditions and values.

Even though our annual “Souper Bowl Sunday” Soup Sale did not take place, Maryellen Santanna conducted her own soup sales individually. Her efforts resulted in sales of $6,100.

Pictured with Maryellen are Christopher Meehan, Catholic Charities Director of Development and Dr. Mark Totaro, retired Executive Director / CEO of Catholic Charities.

Because of the continuing pandemic, the 2020 Shelter Shuffle 5k Run/Walk was held virtually.

Dr. Monique Ruberu, author of Rising with Roses: A Story of Renewal and Lessons Learned, offered remarks as part of our virtual Come and See.
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COMBINED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION
JUNE 30, 2021 AND 2020

ASSETS

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COMBINED STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

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<td>Revenues, support and gains</td>
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<td>Distributions from funds held in trust</td>
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