



# HEART

GALLERY OF TAMPA

## 2021 Annual Report





# AT A GLANCE

Through photographic exhibits, the Heart Gallery of Tampa introduces our community to children awaiting adoptive families. We provide a platform to inspire our community to improve their quality of life and connect them with Forever Families.

## DIRECT IMPACT

**122**

children served

**47**

new children added to the Heart Gallery

**2,146**

inquiries received from prospective adoptive parents

## OUTREACH

**101**

exhibits and community events

**911,658**

social media reach

**126,000**

website visitors

## EXPANSION

In 2021, we added a new position to the Heart Gallery team. The Adoptive Family Recruiter supports children waiting to be adopted and assists in matching these children with prospective families. Once matched, the Adoptive Family Recruiter actively supports children and families as they meet, get to know each other, learn to live together and finalize their adoptions.

## AWARDS

Tampa Bay Lightning  
Nonprofit Community Hero

Tampa Bay Business Journal's One Tampa Bay

NYX Awards, 2021 Silver Winner





# IMPROVING QUALITY OF LIFE



Celebrated 86 birthdays



Planned 15 birthday parties



Provided back to school shoes for 65 children

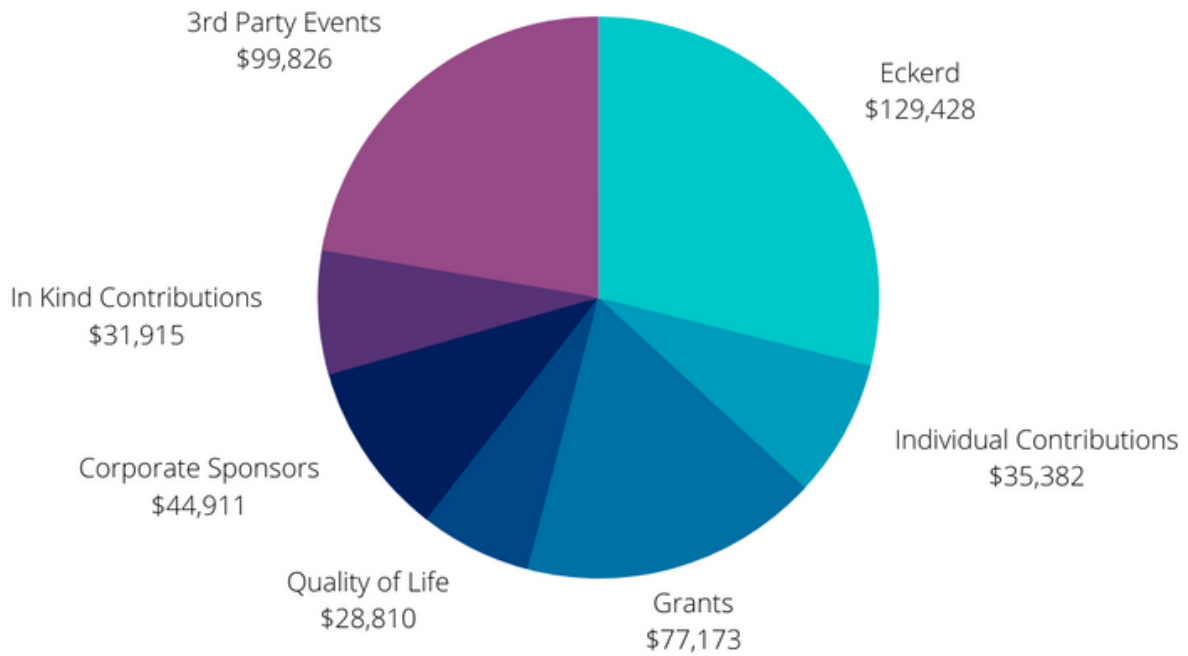


Delivered holiday gifts to 92 children

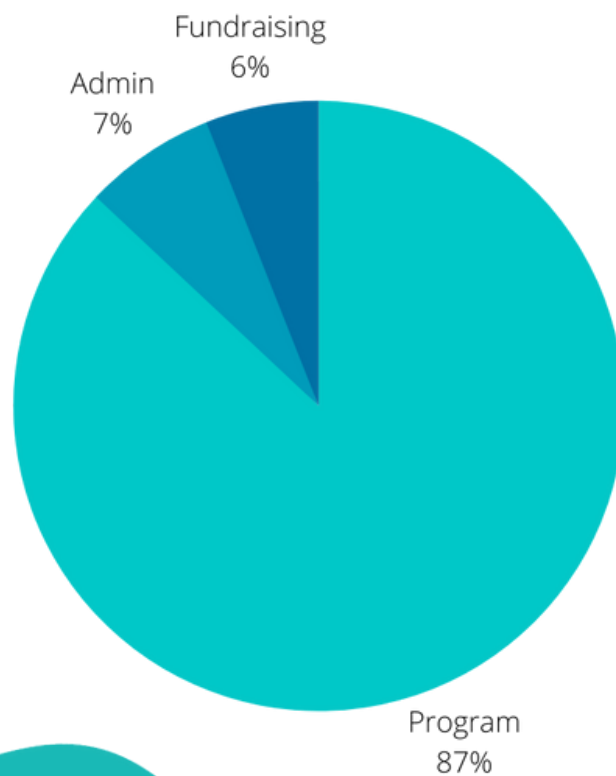


# FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

## Income

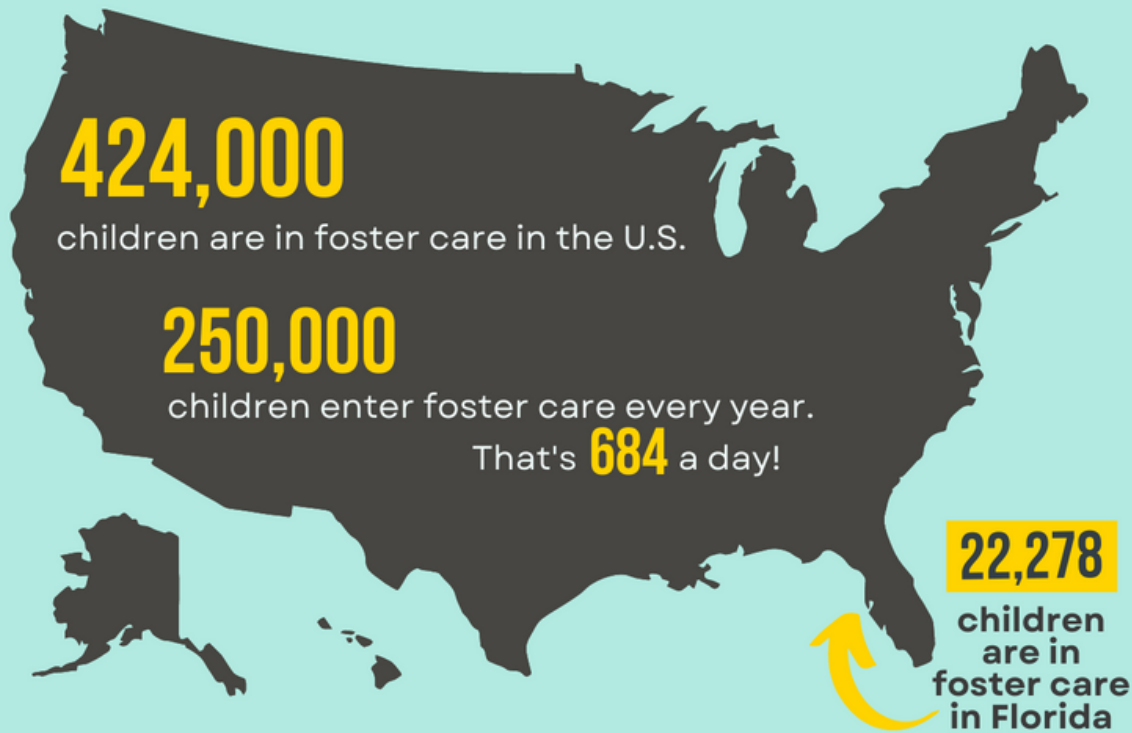


## Expenses

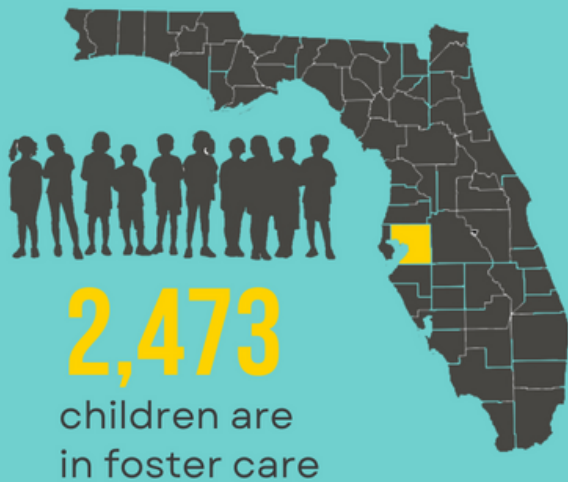




# FOSTER CARE BY THE NUMBERS



## In Hillsborough County, Florida



**1500** children enter foster care every year

**SEVEN** is the average age of a child in foster care

**641 DAYS** is the average number of days a child spends in foster care

# COMMUNITY PARTNERS

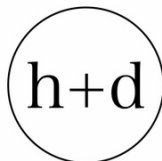


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# COMMUNITY PARTNERS



# HEART GALLERY HEROES

Thank you to these generous donors, who gave \$500 or more to support children in the Heart Gallery in 2021.

Alan and Sherry Benson

Amanda Duncan

Angela Augustitus

Caroline Galati

Heather Remek

Jaime Duran

James and Adrea Garrison

Joe Crawford

Kelly and Todd Cook

Lisa Drummond

Matt and Katina Markowski

Molly White

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Naureen Bukhari

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Stephanie Milner

Whitney Sutton

Altrusa International of Tampa

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Broadrick Family Foundation of Florida, Inc

Catalina Charitable Foundation

Cheval Golf Course

DefeatX

Freedom Boat Club of Tampa Bay

Hobbs Foundation

Junior League of Tampa

Krewe of Queen Anne's Revenge

McGavern Family Charitable Fund

McKibbon Hospitality

MIELKE Foundation

National Christian Foundation

Perez Orthodontics

Rotary Club of Tampa Foundation Inc

SoHo Cycling

Station Salon

Suncoast Credit Union Foundation

The Spurlino Foundation

Yale Capital Corporation



Local firefighter climbed 30,000 ft on a Jacobs Ladder, raising awareness and \$7600 for Heart Gallery children.





# HEART GALLERY HEROES

Not everyone can adopt, but everyone can do something. Thank you to these special people who have gone above and beyond this year to help all the children of the Heart Gallery of Tampa.

## The Photographers

Abbey Saxton  
Alicia Johnson  
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