Investing in families means changing communities


This year, Children’s Home Society of Florida celebrated 113 years of service to vulnerable children and families across Florida. More than 100 years of help, hope and healing means we’ve impacted the lives of millions of Floridians. As long as there is a need, Children’s Home Society of Florida will be there to meet it.

As long-time supporters of Children’s Home Society of Florida, my wife, Sonnia, and I understand that Children’s Home Society of Florida is a leader in child welfare for a reason: it knows families and understands that a one-size-fits-all approach doesn’t work. Complicated problems need agile, targeted solutions. Children’s Home Society of Florida delivers.

That’s why we support the Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation. The Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation was created to support the kind of innovative work that will help meet the ongoing demand for our services. And because we strive to provide comprehensive support as soon as possible, more children and families have the chance to break cycles of poverty, abuse or neglect early. That means stronger families — stronger communities — all the sooner.

When you invest with the Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation, you’re creating a change that will ripple through whole communities. I hope you will join Sonnia and me in supporting the Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation. With all of our support, the Foundation can help Children’s Home Society of Florida create new legacies for children and families who need specific, responsive services. With our help, more children and families will thrive. That is a legacy we will all be proud of.

Warm regards,

Miguel Viyella
Chairman of the Board
Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation

Why give?

**Reputation:** Children’s Home Society of Florida, supported by Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation, is a credible non-profit organization that has served children and families since 1902.

**Legacy:** When you donate to our Foundation, your generosity will create a lasting legacy that changes lives for generations.

**Stewardship:** It’s our promise that your dollars will help transform the lives - and futures - of Florida’s children.

**Sustainability:** Our Foundation has experienced positive growth year after year. Not only is investing in children a meaningful investment, it’s a smart one, too.

Financial results taken from audited financial statements, which contain an unqualified opinion. (McGladrey & Pullen, LLP)
Why leave a legacy?

Because vulnerable families will always need help.
The unfortunate reality is that poverty, abuse and neglect
are ongoing social problems. And because the problems
endure, so, too, must the solution.

Because your gift will have a real, significant and
long-lasting impact. By including a gift in your will or
making Children’s Home Society of Florida a beneficiary
in your retirement plans, you’re making a difference for
generations of children.

Because vulnerable children are counting on all of us
to help them create safer, brighter futures.

You can change lives, starting today.
Review your will or living trust with your attorney so you can
be confident it reflects your personal and philanthropic wishes.

Discuss with your attorney, accountant or financial planner
how a charitable gift might be included in your overall
estate plan.

Consider making Children’s Home Society of Florida a
beneficiary in your life insurance, pension plan or IRA.
Don’t forget, you can leave money or other assets to both
Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation and your
family. Your gift to help our children may even help your
loved ones pay less in estate taxes.

Want to know more about legacy gift opportunities?
We’re happy to discuss your plans with you, your tax
advisor or your attorney. Email Anthony.Sudler@chsfl.org
or call 321-397-3030 to begin your life-changing impact.

Monica thought her mom had
given up on her. There was
no money, no food ... no love.
Monica was afraid she would
fall down the same dark
path. She was on the verge
of dropping out of school and
onto the streets when she met
a counselor with Children’s
Home Society of Florida. Now
personally and professionally
successful, Monica is thankful for her counselor’s help and
wants other teens to have the same chance to turn their
lives around. By establishing a named endowment in the
Children’s Home Society of Florida Foundation, Monica
can be sure her support will make a lasting impact.

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