

# Angels Against Abuse Mission Statement

To build awareness and educate the community with regard to existing neglect and abuse against children.

To provide support, monetarily and through hands-on volunteer hours to neglected and abused children who are removed from an abusive situation or are in danger of removal.





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future and without them there is no future.

# <u> Angel Programs</u>

#### **Angel Visitation Center**

The Angel Visitation Center is where children and families meet in hope of reunification. These visits are an uplifting and positive experience. We want our families to interact in a safe and happy place and feel welcomed from the start to finish of the visitation.

#### **Angel Assistance**

All of our community partners utilize our Angel Assistance Program. We have resources for all ages from infants to young adults in need of immediate assistance or assistance that will benefit a child's life. Our turnaround time for assistance is within 24 hours of the request.

#### **Angel Baby Bags**

Over the last few years, the removal rate for infants has increased significantly. This program provides the caregiver with a baby bag filled with everything an infant would need for 2-3 weeks during the transition period for the caregiver family. This program has been extremely successful for these little ones and their caregivers.







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### 1st Five/BabyCat

The Angels have partnered with Directions for Living to launch a new program for Prek Elementary Schools to provide intensive services to children under 5. This program has been so successful that it is now a statewide model for Pre-K Elementary Schools. The Angels want to be part of the solution to break the pattern of abuse come. This program is a step in the right direction.

#### **Child Advocacy Expo**

Our Annual Child Advocacy Expo is a networking opportunity for the community partners. They gain experience and knowledge about the valuable resources in our community. We believe that bringing these agencies together to collaborate with one another strengthens our ability to make a difference in lives of children. We host this event annually free of charge because we believe TEAM work is the key to success.

## **Christmas Giving**

Every year we make Magic and put smiles on children's faces with our Christmas Giving Program. Many of these children have never experienced the joy of Christmas. We can't imagine a child being forgotten at Christmas. Thanks to our amazing Angels and Donors, we make dreams come true at Christmas.



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#### **Mouse Nibbles**

We partner with The Kind Mouse to assist with the growing population of hungry children in our community. The Angels feel no child should ever go to bed hungry.

#### **Opportunity Outreach**

This program helps fund school, church, and other community activities for children in foster care. This allows them to participate in activities that a foster family may not be able to afford. For example, sports, music lessons, field trips, summer camp etc.

#### **Tools for Success**

This program provides children of all ages with what they need to succeed and make their lives more positive. Every year we provide backpacks, school supplies, tablets, computers, uniforms, tutoring and counseling that will help these children be the best they can be.





