

WESTFIELD  
**youth**  
**Assistance**  
**PROGRAM**

Advocate • Connect • Empower



**2025**

**ANNUAL  
IMPACT  
REPORT**



## Our Mission Statement

*Westfield Youth Assistance Program (WYAP) advocates for youth ages 3-17 who are facing challenging life circumstances. We collaborate with our community's vast array of talents, services and resources to help empower our youth, parents, and caregivers.*

**[WESTFIELDYAP.ORG](http://WESTFIELDYAP.ORG)**

## A Note of Gratitude From the Board President

Dear Friends,

As I reflect on 2025 and my past two years serving as President of Westfield Youth Assistance, I am filled with deep gratitude for all that this organization and its supporters have made possible.

This year marked meaningful progress and important milestones. We began our Strategic Planning process, laying a strong foundation for the future of our work. We also held our first-ever Gratitude Gathering, bringing together donors, partners, board members, and volunteers to celebrate the shared commitment that drives our mission forward.

Thanks to your support, we expanded our capacity by adding a part-time Early Intervention Advocate, allowing us to reach and serve youth and families more effectively. We were also honored to receive generous grant support from Arthur Dean, Hamilton County Community Foundation, Eagles for Children, and the Kiwanis Club—investments that directly strengthen the impact of our programs.

In an effort to partner with new organizations and deepen existing relationships, Westfield Youth Assistance increased its presence at community events and continued to build strong, collaborative partnerships throughout the year. These connections are essential to ensuring that young people in our community receive timely support and guidance.

As I step into the role of Immediate Past President, I am confident and excited to see Westfield Youth Assistance continue its impactful work under the talented leadership of Brittany Winebar. The future of this organization is bright, and that is because of each of you who believe in and support our mission.

Thank you for being part of this important work and for helping make a lasting difference in the lives of our youth. It is my honor to present the 2025 Annual Impact Report, highlighting the meaningful progress made through our collective efforts that have enhanced the lives of the youth and families in our community.

With sincere appreciation,



Tammy Havard  
Board President  
Westfield Youth Assistance Program



# OUR 2025 TEAM

## Staff

Tricia Akers | Hamilton County Youth Assistance Director  
Megan Contreras | Westfield Early Intervention Advocate  
Carla Hipskind | Part-time Westfield Early Intervention Advocate  
Amy Prater | Westfield Early Intervention Advocate

## Contractor

Kristina Logan | Director of Communications & Operations

## Board of Directors

Tammy Havard | **President** | Volunteer  
Brittany Winebar | **President-Elect** | Prevail, Inc.  
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Rachel Nelson | Grand Park Sports Campus  
Michael Smith | Indiana Dept. of Natural Resources  
Stephanie Weiss | Group 1001

\*We appreciate the continued financial support from 100% of our Board Members.

## EX-OFFICIO

Dr. John Atha | Westfield Washington Schools  
Judge Andrew Bloch | Hamilton County Circuit Court  
Judge Michael Casati | Hamilton County Superior Court 1  
Kaitlin Glazier | City of Westfield  
Kyle Miller | Westfield Washington Schools  
Jamie Mills | Westfield Washington Township  
Officer Casey Thifault | Westfield Police Department  
Scott Willis | City of Westfield



## LIFETIME EX-OFFICIO

Andy Cook | Former Mayor of Westfield  
Judge Paul Felix | 5th District Court of Appeals  
Judge Steve Nation | County Council Member-At-Large

# OUR SERVICES

WYAP provides professional, family-centered coordination of services to students and families residing in the Westfield Washington School District. Youth and families are often referred to our program by the schools, law enforcement, court officials, other agencies and parents with concerns about their child.

WYAP services are confidential, free and voluntary.



## Our services include:

- Attendance Supports & Behavior Plans
- Adult Mentors for Youth
- Educational Tutoring Resources
- Family/Youth Coordination of Services:
  - Camp and Recreational Opportunities
  - Counseling & Mental Health Resources
  - Medical & Dental
  - Food, Clothing, and Financial Assistance
  - Youth Anger Management Classes

**101** **1572** **212**

NEW REFERRALS

REFERRALS SINCE 2009

YOUTH SERVED IN 2025

## PER DAY EXPENSES FOR 2025

The cost of our preventative WYAP services versus what it would cost a youth placed in a juvenile residential placement facility had we not intervened.

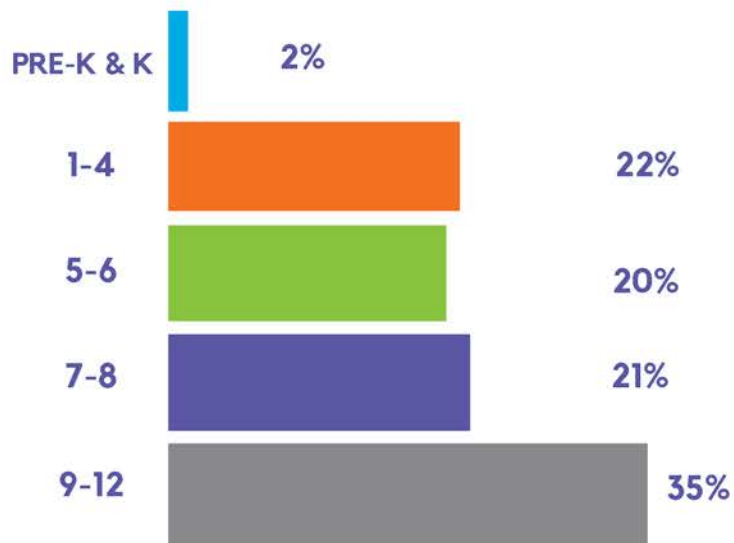
**\$3.63**  
WYAP  
services



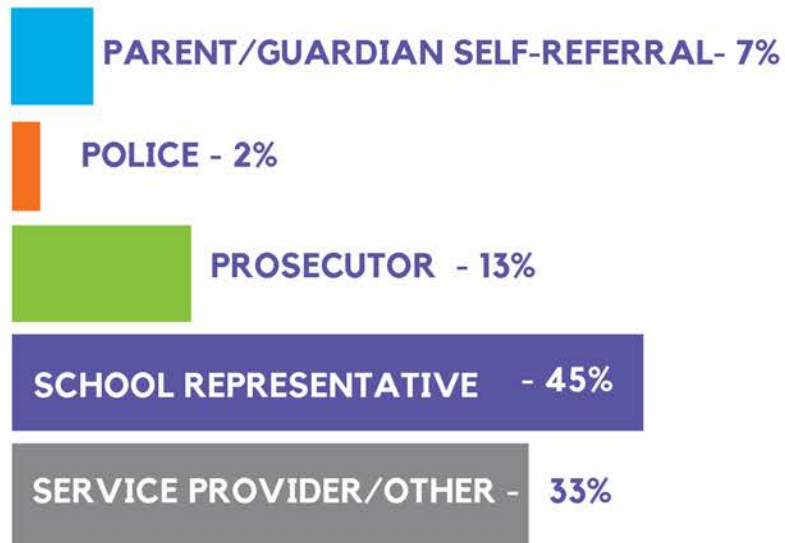
**\$700+**  
juvenile residential  
placement facility

# OUR SERVICES CONT.

## Grade of 2025 Youth Referrals:



## 2025 Referral Sources:



**60** STUDENTS SERVED BY WYAP TUTORS



**20** YOUTH PAIRED WITH A MENTOR



**320** UNIQUE ENRICHMENT & CAMP EXPERIENCES

**122** PAID MENTAL HEALTH SESSIONS FOR UNINSURED & UNDERINSURED YOUTH

“Knowing that someone would show up for him every single week helped him begin to trust again, to believe that people wouldn’t leave, and to heal parts of himself that were hurting. Watching that transformation as his mom was nothing short of incredible.”

-Parent of WYAP Youth

# COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

*Our impact would not be possible without the many volunteers in the community who give their time throughout the year, as well as our community partners who help us market WYAP and increase its visibility. Here are a few highlights with community partners who helped us serve our youth directly through in-kind goods and services:*



## Holiday Giving

We are so grateful for the donors & shoppers who gave so generously for our youth needing supports for the holiday! A massive thank you to Westfield **Washington Schools**, **Hamilton County Sheriff's Office Community Foundation**, **Westfield Fire Department**, **Secret Families of Hamilton County**, and **FUEL Church**. Additionally, thanks to **Good Samaritan Network** for holiday support to our families countywide.

Thank you to the more than 135 community members who volunteered through mentoring, tutoring, events, outreach and board service, and to our 190-plus partners (pages 10-11) who help make our work with youth possible.

## New Shoe Day

Thanks to the generosity of the organization, **New Shoe Day**, WYAP connected 89 youth with new shoes for the new school year. This is the third year in a row that they have provided our youth with new shoes, and we couldn't be more grateful for this partnership!



WE ARE SO THANKFUL FOR THE GIFT OF NEW SHOES. FOR MY CHILD, IT'S NOT JUST ABOUT HAVING SOMETHING NEW! IT MEANS WALKING INTO SCHOOL FEELING PROUD, COMFORTABLE, AND CARED FOR. AND WE ARE GRATEFUL TO YOU AND TO NEW SHOE DAY FOR MAKING THIS POSSIBLE!



## Kids Coats

A huge thank you to **Hamilton County Kids Coats**, who provide gently-used winter coats to families in Hamilton County. They have supported hundreds of our youth with winter coats over the years. We are grateful for our continued partnership with them, and thank them for their important work in our County.



# COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT CONT.

*These are a few community highlights of our own events, as well as events with partners, which helped us share our needs and impact:*

## Youth Recognition Breakfast

Our 15th annual Youth Recognition Breakfast, held May 7th at IMMI Conference Center, **honored 13 students** who have overcome adversity, demonstrated positive change, or made a positive academic turnaround. The recipients ranged from kindergarten through 11th grade. Westfield High School senior, Madeline Lineville was awarded the Christine D. Brown Memorial Scholarship.



## "The Double" Walk/Run

WYAP held our second annual "The Double" Walk/Run on August 9<sup>th</sup> at Cool Creek Park. **We had 246 participants** who walked and ran a 2-mile closed loop around the park. To add to the fun, we added two bounce houses to this year's event. Participants were treated to free breakfast courtesy of Arby's in Westfield. It was a wonderful event and we were so happy to see so many of our community members out to support WYAP.

## Egg My Yard

In partnership with the National Charity League (NCL) Crossroads Chapter, WYAP **hid Easter eggs at 44 houses** in Westfield on the night before Easter. A group of NCL volunteers helped stuff the eggs, while another group of NCL volunteers was responsible for delivering and hiding the eggs.



# DEVELOPMENT

*Our development activities help provide for the program's budgeted financial needs and material items or other resources which may be used in meeting youth and family needs.*



## In-Kind Donations

In 2025, we received over \$220k in-kind donations from 192 supporters throughout the community. These non-cash gifts are vital to our operations and our ability to serve youth. Our In-Kind donations are made possible by our wonderful partners and volunteers, who donate not only goods and services but also their valuable time. Thanks to our volunteer Board of Directors and other community members, we recorded over 2,000 volunteer hours throughout 2025. We would like to send a huge thank you to all of our Board, volunteers, and community partners.

## Grants

In 2025, WYAP increased our focus on procuring grants. We hired the services of a grant writer to help us secure more funding for our programming. WYAP was thrilled to maintain our relationships with several previous funders, along with expanding our reach and forming new relationships this year. In 2025, WYAP was honored to receive grants from the Arthur Dean Family Foundation, Duke Energy Foundation, Eagles for Children, and the Hamilton County Community Foundation.



## GIVINGTUESDAY

Our Giving Tuesday campaign on December 2nd was a huge success. We were so grateful for our two anonymous donors **who matched up to \$10k in funds**, to double our donations for a total of \$22,349.

# 2025 DONORS & SPONSORS

## **Community Champion - \$10,000+**

Arthur Dean Family Foundation

Hamilton County Community Foundation

## **Community Stakeholder - \$5,000 - \$9,999**

AES Restaurant Group

City of Westfield

Duke Energy Foundation

Eagles for Children Fund of the Local Impact Alliance

Kiwanis Club of Westfield

George Kristo

The Jack Fund

Valeo Financial Advisors

Wortman Family Charitable

## **Community Leader -\$2,500-\$4,999**

Gary and Linda Allen

American Structurepoint

Beck's

Community First Bank of Indiana

Andy & Barb Cook

Chad & Valerie Gross

The Farmers Bank

Mark Heirbrandt

Debbie Laird

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Anonymous Donor

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First Merchant Private Wealth Advisors

Insurance Management Group

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Cindy Olson

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United Way of Central Indiana

Steve Warner

Westfield Lions Club

Westfield Washington Township

Westfield Washington Schools

Westfield Welcome

# 2025 DONORS & SPONSORS

## Community Supporter - \$500 - \$999

Abbott  
James Babcock Inc.  
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Centier Bank  
EPCON Communities  
Hamilton County Pediatric Dentistry  
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Practical Property Group  
Madeline Priest  
Michael Smith  
Karen Steckenrider  
Homes with Steill  
Steve and Linda Schneider Family  
Foundation a fund of Hamilton County  
Community Foundation  
Tenfold Consulting  
The Capitol Group  
The Benevity Community Impact Fund  
Alison Van Natta  
Volovic Orthodontics  
Stephanie Weiss  
Wittler Orthodontics

## Community Friends - \$250 - \$499

|                                  |                         |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Randy Biederstedt                | Carolyn Palma           |
| Brightspeed                      | Restoring our Community |
| Culver's                         | & Kids PAC              |
| Kappa Kappa Kappa                | Casey Thifault          |
| Sheryl Loudermilk                | Brittany Winebar        |
| Rachael McDaniel                 |                         |
| Todd & Kathy Erb Charitable Fund |                         |
| Rachel Nelson                    |                         |

## Up to \$249

|                                   |                         |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Sarah Aaron                       | Jayne Lane              |
| Stephanie Addington               | Steve Latour            |
| Alyssa Ament                      | Jo Ellen Logan          |
| Hank & Pat Barnett                | Melissa Lufkin          |
| Maggie Barrett                    | Karen Lutz              |
| Christopher Barrows               | Lauren May              |
| Alex Bickers                      | Jill McKinney           |
| Brian & Sarah Blair               | Kyle Miller             |
| Krista Brady                      | Jessica Miller-Bock     |
| Brooke Brown                      | Charles Monroe          |
| Clayton Byars                     | Ken & Nancy Morgan      |
| Mauricio Cabrera                  | Dan Morrow              |
| CAF America                       | Laura Mulligan          |
| Mekenzie B Canada                 | Megan Murray            |
| Carey Ridge Cares                 | Olivia O'Connell        |
| Pam Constable                     | Donna Olalde            |
| Megan Contreras                   | Katey Parks             |
| Lauren Coughlin                   | Adam Pifer              |
| Crossroads Church<br>at Westfield | Roche Diagnostics       |
| Denise Cutshaw                    | Keian Roudebush         |
| Sandy Durben                      | Danika Saylor           |
| Tonja Eagan                       | Kaycee Schooley         |
| Danyeale Easterhaus               | Sarah Stewart           |
| Shauna Feest                      | Krira Stockton          |
| Fidelity Charitable               | Ryan Sullivan           |
| Jason Finke                       | Julie Tempest           |
| Mary Beth Fischer                 | Kimberly Trimpe         |
| Melissa Flora                     | Melissa Tucker          |
| Josh Ford                         | Amy Urbanski            |
| Julie Fox                         | Brooke Wallace          |
| Augusto Cesar Guerrero            | Aaron Weaver            |
| Michael Hall                      | Thomas West             |
| Chris Harmon                      | Westfield Band Boosters |
| Alexandra Harris                  | Westfield High School   |
| Makayla Hart                      |                         |
| Spencer Heindl                    |                         |
| Jenna Hernandez                   |                         |
| Cheryl Hochgesang                 |                         |
| Tonya Hyatt                       |                         |
| Leslie Isaacs                     |                         |
| Kathy D. Jacobs                   |                         |
| Stephanie Jobe                    |                         |
| Emily Judstra                     |                         |
| Ruthie Kovach                     |                         |
| Annie LaGreca                     |                         |

# 2025 PARTNERS

A Healthier Hamilton County: Systems of Care  
 Abacus- Westfield  
 Abbott  
 About Special Kids  
 AES Restaurant Group\*  
 AGAPE Unbridled Hope  
 American Structurepoint  
**Anthony Properties, L.P.\***  
 Arthur Dean Family Foundation  
 Ascension St. Vincent Hospital  
 Ascension St. Vincent Medical Group - Fishers Pediatrics  
 Ascension St. Vincent School-based Behavioral Health Services  
 Aspire Indiana Health, Inc.  
 Autism Society of Indiana  
 Automatic Pool Covers  
 Balloon Social\*  
 Ben's Ranch Foundation  
 Berkshire Hathaway Homeservices: Homes with Steill  
 Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Indiana  
 Biggby Coffee\*  
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 Blue Balloon ABA  
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 Brooke's Place  
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 Camptown, Inc.  
 Centier Bank  
 Cherish Center  
 Child Care Answers  
**Church Church Hittle + Antrim\***  
**City of Westfield, Indiana\***  
 Club at Chatham Hills  
 Collaborative Change  
 Community Bible Fellowship Church  
 Community First Bank of Indiana  
 Conner Prairie\*  
 CourtSolutions  
 CrossRoads Church at Westfield  
 Culver's of Westfield  
 Current in Westfield  
 Downtown Westfield Association  
 EasterSeals Crossroads  
 Emergent Construction  
 Englishton Park Camp\*  
 EPCON Communities

Family Promise of Hamilton County  
 Firefly Children & Family Alliance  
 First Impressions Family Dental Care  
 Collaborative Change  
 Community Bible Fellowship Church  
 Community First Bank of Indiana  
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 First Impressions Family Dental Care  
**Fuel Church\***  
 G & G Fabrication & Welding  
 Mr. George Kristo  
 Girls On The Run Central Indiana  
 Good Samaritan Network of Hamilton County (GSN)  
 Goodwill Industries  
 Grace Community Church & Care Center  
 Grand Park Visitor Experience & Client Services\*  
 Growing Grins Pediatric Dentistry  
 Hamilton Co. Commissioners  
 Hamilton Co. Community Foundation  
 Hamilton Co. Council on Alcohol & Other Drugs  
 Hamilton Co. Department of Juvenile Probation  
 Hamilton Co. Health Department  
 Hamilton Co. Information Systems Services Dept.  
 Hamilton Co. Juvenile Courts  
 Hamilton Co. Kids Coats  
 Hamilton Co. Leadership Academy  
**Hamilton Co. Parks & Recreation Dept.\***  
 Hamilton County Pediatric Dentistry  
 Hamilton Co. Prosecutor's Office  
**Hamilton Co. Sheriff's Office Community Foundation\***  
 Hamilton County Reporter  
 Hamilton Professional Counseling  
 HAND Hamilton Co. Area Neighborhood Development  
 Heart and Soul Free Clinic  
 Homes with Steill  
 iBeach31  
 Indiana State Police Youth Camps  
 Insurance Management Group

\* indicates partners who have also donated In-Kind  
**Bold indicates In-Kind of Over \$1,000**

# 2025 PARTNERS

## IN\*SOURCE

Indianapolis Colts  
Indiana Department of Child Services Region II  
(Hamilton Co.)  
Indiana Department of Education  
Indiana Family & Social Services: Hamilton Co.  
Indiana Legal Services  
Indiana University School of Dentistry  
Indiana Youth Group  
Indiana Youth Institute

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Janus Developmental Services, Inc.  
James Babcock Inc.  
JRNY Counseling  
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Kiwanis Club of Westfield, Indiana  
LifeSolutions Counseling  
Little Star ABA  
Living Wellness Respite Retreat  
Lotus of Life Counseling  
Mathias Counseling and Consulting  
Mathnasium of Noblesville\*  
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Meijer in Westfield  
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Mesh Systems  
Midwest T-Shirt Company  
Mini Minds - Carmel  
Momentum Couples and Family Therapy, LLC  
Moyer Fine Jewelers  
National Charity League, Inc. (Crossroads  
Chapter District II)  
Neighborhood Christian Legal Clinic  
**New Shoe Day (New Shoe Foundation, Inc)\***  
NSPIRE Church  
Northview Church  
Off the Wall Sports  
Olthof Homes  
Open Doors of Westfield Washington Township  
Options Charter Schools  
Parenting Solutions\*  
Park Tudor School  
Paws & Think, Inc.  
Pizza Hut (Springmill/161st)  
Practical Property Group  
Prevail, Inc.  
Radiant Christian Life Church  
Riley Hospital for Children  
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Rocks Media House\*  
Rotary Club of Westfield  
Safe Families for Children  
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Society of St. Vincent de Paul Noblesville  
**Sogility - Westfield\***  
St. Vincent de Paul Pantry & Thrift Store  
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Student Impact of Westfield\*  
Tenfold Consulting  
The Cabin Counseling & Resource Center, Inc.  
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The O'Connor House  
The Salvation Army  
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Tina Mangos Art  
**Town Planner Community Calendar\***  
Touchstone Counseling, LLC  
Trinity Free Clinic  
Valeo Financial Advisors  
Wandering Peacock  
Wellbeing Coalition of Westfield  
Westfield Chamber of Commerce  
Westfield Counseling Collective  
Westfield Education Foundation  
Westfield Fire Department  
**Westfield Family Karate\***  
Westfield Lions Club  
Westfield Magazine  
Westfield Police Department  
Westfield Washington Public Library  
**Westfield Washington Schools\***  
**Westfield Washington Township\***  
Westfield Welcome  
Westfield Rocks Referrals  
Westfield Youth Sports, Inc.\*  
White River Christian Church  
Wittler Orthodontics  
Wood Wind Golf Club  
WorkOne of Central Indiana  
Wrights 360 Movement Academy  
**WYSA Recreational Program\***  
YMCA of Westfield\*  
YoungLives

# 2025 HONORARY DONATIONS

## Donations:

In honor of Randy Biederstedt  
In honor of Kelsey Burton  
In honor of Bob Cocksman  
In honor of Megan Contreras  
In honor of Chad & Valerie Gross  
In honor of Debbie Laird

In honor of Kristina Logan  
In honor of Nancy Morgan  
In honor of Sonny and Glendia  
In honor of Aaron Weaver  
In memory of Christine Brown  
In memory of Joseph Canada  
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