

Young **Moms**



2020 ANNUAL REPORT

EQUIPPING & INSPIRING



YoungMoms inspires and equips young mothers to build thriving futures for themselves and their families. We provide comprehensive and individualized services to pregnant and parenting young women ages 21 and younger who live in Southern Chester County, PA.

Young mothers face enormous challenges, including single parenthood, poverty, language barriers, incomplete education, domestic violence, depression, lack of transportation, and inadequate healthcare.

These challenges are compounded as young moms navigate adolescence and motherhood simultaneously. Through their involvement with YoungMoms, this high-risk group of young women is finding the support, resources, and skills they need to overcome obstacles and make positive life choices.

YoungMoms utilizes a combination of individualized case management services, one-to-one mentoring, life skills instruction, and community-building activities to accomplish our mission.

Our holistic approach provides the long-term support and resources young moms need to complete their education, attain financial stability, parent effectively, and reach their potential as women and mothers.



LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

What a year we've had! Though the COVID-19 crisis brought unique challenges to our young moms and our organization, it also showed us what an incredible community of support surrounds the pregnant and parenting young women we serve.

Our young moms were among the hardest hit by the pandemic. Many are low-wage service workers who lost their jobs or experienced drastically-reduced work hours for several months. Since their safety nets were already very thin, the COVID-19 crisis only exacerbated their financial and life challenges.

In response to client needs, we adapted all of our in-person workshops and trainings to be virtual and designed innovative solutions for keeping our clients engaged and making progress on their goals. We hired an additional part-time case manager as our caseload increased and the scope of clients' needs expanded along with it. Staff found creative ways to address new issues (such as helping our young moms navigate virtual learning, organizing volunteers to provide virtual ESL support, equipping mentors to stay engaged despite social distancing, etc.) and to accommodate increased client need in pandemic-specific areas such as job loss, crisis budgeting, child care disruptions, and housing/food insecurity. We continued providing essential case management, mentoring, and life skills trainings so that each young woman could overcome obstacles and move forward with her academic, employment, parenting, and life goals.

I am so grateful for everyone who rallied around our young moms this past year-- our dedicated staff, volunteers, and Board of Directors, the many individuals, businesses, and foundations who invest financially in this work, and the community partners who collaborate with us each day to serve vulnerable young families.

Thank you!

*Molly Henry, MSW
Executive Director*



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WE'RE SO GRATEFUL TO ALL THE VOLUNTEERS WHO MADE 2020 RUN A LITTLE SMOOTHER. YOUR SUPPORT IS AN INTEGRAL PART OF OUR WORK!

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ALL ABOUT 2020

62 YOUNG MOTHERS
SERVED

77 CHILDREN
SERVED



In 2020, YoungMoms saw a 40% increase in client referrals, while continuing to serve more than 60 clients experiencing more intense and complex hardships due to COVID-19.

“Being a part of YoungMoms opened doors I thought were closed to me when I became a mom.”

- YoungMoms Graduate

Young moms and their children typically participate in our program between 2 and 4 years.

This long-term investment promotes sustainable outcomes for both moms and their children, creating intergenerational impact.

190+

Emergency care packages of diapers, wipes, formula, and grocery gift cards were distributed during the pandemic



of clients say they are better parents because of YoungMoms

115

Volunteers worked with YoungMoms in 2020

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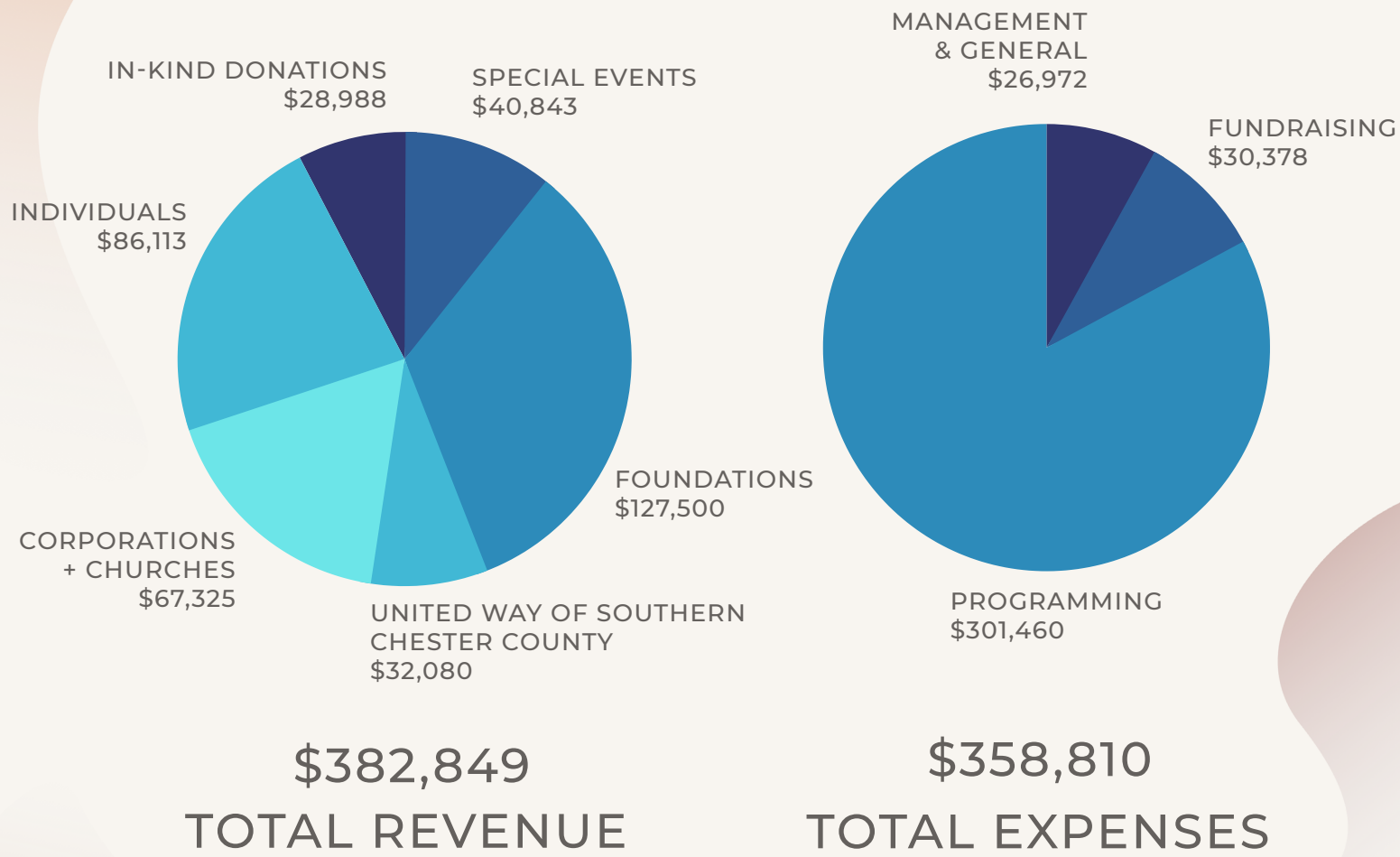
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Over the past 10 years, YoungMoms has empowered more than 200 pregnant and parenting young women to stay in school, pursue college education or vocational training, parent more effectively, and make healthy personal decisions.

Investing in young mothers has long-term impacts on their children, families, and the entire community.

You can donate via our website at:
www.youngmomschestercounty.org/donate

VOLUNTEER

Volunteers and mentors exponentially expand our impact and effectiveness. In 2020 alone, more than 100 volunteers devoted 1,200+ hours of their time, expertise, and energy for special events, tutoring, Club nights, fundraising, and more. Mentors invested in young mothers by providing ongoing guidance and support, and by building intergenerational friendships.

We can use your help! Check out our website for more information: www.youngmomschestercounty.org/volunteer





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