



Clove
ALLIANCE

Impact Report 2024

Welcome

Dear Friends,

As we close out another year, I'm thrilled to share some exciting updates about Clove Alliance. This year marked my 10th anniversary with the agency, and it's been an incredible journey. Together, we've launched a three-year strategic plan to guide our growth and ensure we continue to provide the best possible services to our community.

One of our most significant achievements this year has been the introduction of Buckeye, our therapy dog. Buckeye has been a source of comfort and support for survivors, helping them to heal and feel safe. Additionally, we're celebrating a major milestone: increased state funding for the first time in 20 years! This funding has enabled us to expand our programs and to support and retain our passionate staff.

I'm incredibly grateful for the unwavering support and generosity of our community. Your contributions have made a profound difference in the lives of countless individuals. Thank you for being a part of our mission to provide hope, healing, and justice for survivors of sexual violence.

Tracey Noe-Slach, CEO

Inspiring change and
empowering survivors to
build a more resilient
community



Clove Alliance supported 983 survivors and their loved ones through advocacy, counseling, legal services, and crisis support.

Our Mission

We provide hope and healing to survivors of sexual violence by improving the quality of services for survivors, assisting in their recovery, and working towards the elimination of sexual violence.



Our Values

◆ *Integrity*

We uphold the highest standards in all actions.

◆ *Growing*

We cultivate strength and innovation in pursuit of our mission.

◆ *Compassionate*

We are always encouraging, authentic, and empathetic.

◆ *Accepting*

We welcome all and embrace empowerment, diversity, and inclusion.

Board of Directors

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Our Team

Kerrie Blanton, Trauma Counselor
Emily Kyrouac, Trauma Counselor
Alli Madl, Trauma Counselor
Tammy Barragree, Advocate
Jane Binner, Advocate

Laura Casas-Wood, Advocate
Kayla Love, Advocate
Tammie Selvey, Advocate
Jennifer Bustos, Training & Education Specialist

Kristen Yudis, Training & Education Specialist
Bridget Bertrand-Essington, Training & Education Specialist
Addy Veld, Administrative Assistant

Our Leadership Team



Tracey Noe-Slach
Chief Executive Officer



Shlinda Trudeau
Director of Administration



Nancy Fregeau
Chief Financial Officer



Carmen King
Director of Clinical Operations



Janic Eriks
Director of Advocacy Services



Ashley Villarreal
Director of Community Engagement



Brittany Fry
Director of Volunteer Services

Thank You, Volunteers!

Our work would not be possible without the support of our dedicated volunteers. Volunteers provide assistance to hotline crisis calls, provide medical advocacy services at local hospitals, assist at agency events, and support in-office projects. We are so grateful for all of our volunteers, but we want to especially recognize our volunteers who went above and beyond in supporting survivors of sexual violence during the past year.

Amanda Johnson - 408 Hours



Lexi Wilder - 344 Hours



Jamie Jamnik - 212 Hours



Yvonne Chalfant - 165 Hours



Emily LaVoie - 97 Hours



Clove Alliance volunteers responded to **83 hospital calls** and answered **274 hotline calls** in the past year. Our team of volunteers provided **3,619 hours of service** to survivors when they needed it most.

2024 Volunteers

Jeanne Brown

Maggie Schingel

Heather Stevenson

Anngelynn Hurtado

Allie Kohl

Brenda Allen

Lauren Paris

Jackie Zoubek

Tim Slach

Lynette Blasingame

Arianna Esquivel

Brooklyn Morrison



Our Impact

We are honored to be able to provide high-quality services when they are needed the most. Below is a powerful testimony from one of our clients, sharing her experience at our agency:

“

Thank you to the men and women who provide services to the victims and their families during such a stressful time. **Thank you for being so kind and compassionate and reminding us what happened wasn't our fault.** Thank you for being decent human beings in a broken world.”

— *Clove Alliance Client*

We can't do this important work without your support. Click [here](#) to learn more about making a financial contribution to support our mission.

Impact in Numbers



345 CRISIS CALLS

taken by dedicated staff and volunteer advocates



1,328 COUNSELING SESSIONS

Provided support & empowerment



3,284 HOURS OF LEGAL ADVOCACY

response provided, a 23% increase from the prior fiscal year.

2,653

3,284



158 HOSPITAL RESPONSES

to provide advocacy support to survivors at the ER, a 48% increase from the prior fiscal year.

107

158



204 SURVIVORS CONNECTED TO SERVICES

through case coordination.



13,201 HOURS OF SERVICE

provided to our community by our staff and volunteers



58,692 PEOPLE REACHED

through training and outreach initiatives

11,509 STUDENTS REACHED

in 628 age-appropriate school program presentations, a 53% increase from the prior fiscal year.



53% increase in students



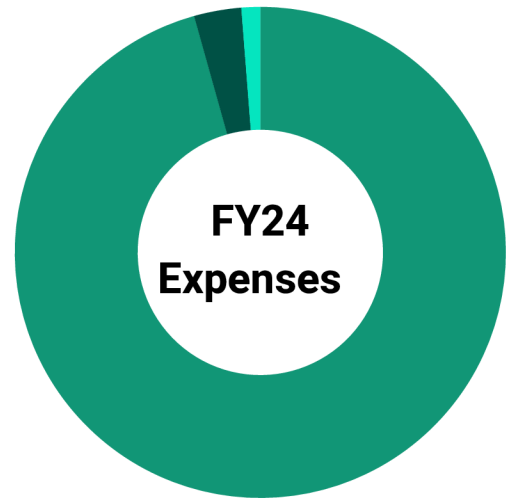
OVER 3,900 OFFICE CALLS RECEIVED

Financials

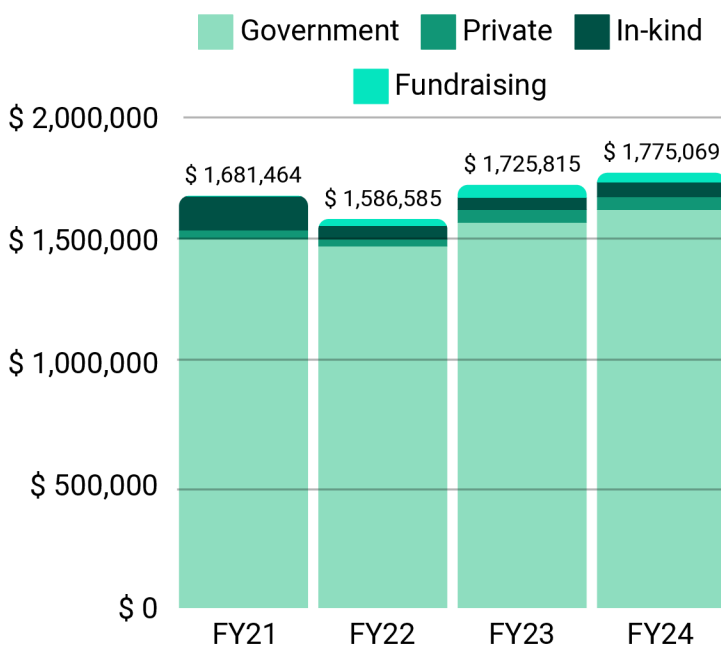
This page includes Clove Alliance’s Fiscal Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2024, ending June 30, 2024. As the Chief Financial Officer of Clove Alliance, I am pleased to present our financial report, which highlights the significant role that generous contributions have played in advancing our mission. These donations have enabled us to expand vital services, enhance our outreach efforts, and support our advocacy for systemic change across Kankakee, Iroquois, and Ford Counties. This report not only provides an overview of our financial performance but also demonstrates the lasting impact of your support on the lives of survivors, helping them on their path to recovery. We extend our heartfelt thanks to our dedicated staff, volunteers, donors, and partners for their continued commitment to our work and our shared vision of a world free from sexual violence.

Nancy Fregeau, Chief Financial Officer

- Program 95.7%
- Administration 3.1%
- Fundraising 1.2%



FY21-FY24 Revenue



FY21-FY24 Expenses



2024 Highlights

Commitment in Action

At the start of 2024, we launched our new strategic plan. It is a blueprint that charts our course for through 2026 with clarity, purpose, and determination. The main milestones on this journey are to strengthen our team, spread our reach further, and better serve communities that are often overlooked. Read about each goal, the objectives, and the activities planned for each below. You can also view the fully detailed plan [here](#).



Making Voices Heard

Clove Alliance and fellow centers advocated for including \$20 million in much-needed funding for sexual assault crisis services in this year's IL state budget. Staff visited our capital, talked with legislators about the importance of our services, and spoke at rallies to motivate action. Our efforts were successful and we thank everyone who contacted their lawmakers (maybe that's you!) because securing these funds was critical to supporting survivors in our area and throughout the state. You can learn more about the need for funds [here](#).

Welcome, Buckeye!

We're excited to have [certified therapy dog, Buckeye](#), on board as a comfort to survivors seeking help. He is a friendly, well-trained Goldendoodle who thrives on offering emotional support. His presence can aid in creating a safe and calming environment, making it easier for survivors to open up. Buckeye is a great complement to our advocacy and counseling services. You may even see him at community events—make sure to say hi! Learn about our furry teammate [here](#).



With Your Support

As a nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting survivors of sexual violence, we rely on the generosity of individuals, foundations, and corporations to sustain and expand our vital services. Your financial support enables us to provide emergency assistance, counseling, advocacy, and prevention programs that empower survivors on their path to healing. **With your help, we can continue to make a meaningful difference in the lives of those who need it most.** We invite you to join us in this important work and invest in a future where all individuals are free from the trauma of sexual violence.

Will you support survivors and our mission? There are many ways to get involved!

Volunteer

Clove Alliance volunteers strengthen our efforts through a variety of roles. They are ambassadors of hope and healing in our community!



Donate

Donating supports survivors as they heal, helps Clove Alliance provide high-quality services, and bolsters our prevention work. It's all highlighted in this report! Click "donate" or scan the QR code to give today.



Attend Events

Joining us for awareness and fundraising events is a great way to show your support, get involved, and meet other people passionate about ending sexual violence.



To learn more about getting involved with Clove Alliance, visit our [website](#).

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