Who Did Children’s Aid Society Help Last Year?

The numbers below reflect services provided from July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

At **Frances Leiter Center**: 412 Play Therapy sessions benefitted 48 children. A new full-time Play Therapist joined the staff in March so we can now help even more children in the Chambersburg area.

At **The Nicarry Center**: 123 children were seen during 1,901 hours of Art Therapy. Families made 163 visits to God’s Closet for shoes, clothes, diapers, and toys for their children.

At **The Lehman Center**:
- The Crisis Nursery cared for 151 children by giving them a safe, caring place to stay for 32,574 hours.
- Our Family Advocate spent 1,033 hours with 65 families helping them find the resources in their communities to take care of their families.
- Our staff answered 2,733 hotline calls.
- The Art Therapists spent 1,764 hours in therapy sessions with 154 children.
- Our Parent Support Group facilitators held 134 group meetings engaging 444 adults in discussions about the best ways to parent for 1,696 hours.
- In addition to our community groups, our facilitators run groups for men and women in the York prison system.

We helped a total of 3,405 mothers, fathers, grandparents, great grandparents, aunts, uncles, and foster parents and 476 children. Most of the families we helped were single parent families and 90% of them live in poverty.

Each and every day throughout the year there were an average of 231 people whose lives were being impacted by Children’s Aid Society. Every person who came to us was helped without regard to their ability to pay. No child was turned away because of their family’s financial situation.