



APELAH

ANNUAL REPORT



2020

Message from our CEO



The past year has been fraught with challenges unlike any year in our history. We saw social injustices brought to the forefront and the beginning of a pandemic we are still grappling with as we move into 2021.

Throughout this time we have continued to provide services to the most vulnerable. Despite COVID-19, Apelah never stopped providing services. Some visits moved to virtual, many administrative staff work from home, but our front-line direct care staff in the community never slowed down. They have risen to the challenge!

Thank you to everyone that has given their resources, time, and talents over the past year. We could not do all of these things without your help and we appreciate your support. We are grateful for the opportunity to serve our communities and look forward to another year of helping people to live as independently as possible with quality and compassionate care.

Melaine Keller

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People Served

1,062,432

Hours of service to
children in foster care

12,792

Hours of in-home
service to the disabled

Revenue

\$8,713,052

Expenses

\$7,621,877

- Apelah continued all services to the community despite the challenges of a pandemic.
- \$20,000 in college scholarships were awarded to current and former children in our foster care program.
- Apelah provided homes of refuge and healing to 124 children in foster care with medical, emotional, and developmental needs.
- 30% of foster children in our care received a permanent placement.
- Apelah served 30 homebound individuals with in-home services.
- Thanks to community support, Apelah was able to host a Silver Bells program providing holiday gifts to our homebound low-income clients.
- Apelah's Board of Directors hosted a drive-through holiday event for Apelah's foster children featuring a park full of Christmas lights, goodie bags for the families including Chick-Fil-A gift cards, and holiday gifts for all our foster children.