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FOR THE PREVENTION  
OF CRUELTY  
TO CHILDREN

**2019**  
Annual Report



# Our Mission

The NYSPCC responds to the complex needs of abused and neglected children, and those involved in their care, by providing best practice counseling, legal, and educational services. Through research, communications, and training initiatives, we work to expand these programs to prevent abuse and help more children heal.



Dear Friends,



Thank you —The NYSPCC's donors and champions — who opened your hearts to us and supported our services in 2019! As a result of your generosity, we provided 5,478 children and 265 parents with child abuse prevention and treatment services.

Our interventions are designed to help NYC's children recover, develop healthy coping skills, break the cycle of abuse, and grow healthy and strong. Our work is made possible by the combined support of individuals, foundations, and corporations who share our vision of a world where every boy and girl grows up protected, nurtured, and empowered. Among these individuals are our three new Board members. Please join me in welcoming Vicky Cornell, Jodie K. Fink, and Daniel M. Healy, each one of them dedicated to preventing abuse and helping children to heal.

The NYSPCC brought its community of friends and supporters together at three special events in 2019. Our Spring Luncheon featured Tara Westover, author

of *Educated*, in conversation with Stephanie Ruhle, NBC News correspondent and anchor of *MSNBC Live*. Tara discussed her traumatic childhood experiences, and shared her thoughts on the importance of The NYSPCC's work to eradicate abuse and neglect. Then, in September, more than 100 young philanthropists gathered at The Standard East Village for The NYSPCC Junior Society's annual cocktail party, Under the Stars. Finally, in November, my beautiful wife, Deborah Norville, Anchor of *Inside Edition* and NYSPCC Children's Council Member, hosted the Food & Wine Gala. Chef Elizabeth Falkner curated the menu, and we presented Vicky Cornell with the Strength of Our Society Award. Altogether, these three events raised nearly \$1,000,000 in support of The NYSPCC's programs.

On behalf of each and every one of the children who boldly step through The NYSPCC's doors and find the courage to overcome their trauma, we thank you.

Sincerely,

**Karl G. Wellner**, President, Board of Directors

Dear Friends,



I am incredibly grateful for your support. You helped us to provide the best child abuse prevention and mental health care to children in our City.

In 2019, our clinical team enhanced its Therapeutic Supervised Visitation Program by adopting a new, evidence-based parenting education curriculum, called Parenting Journey. Through twelve weeks of workshops, parents enhance their parenting skills and utilize their strengths to build nurturing relationships with their children. And, because more than 75% of the families referred to the Program have orders of protection against an abusive partner, The NYSPCC increased support for custodial parents by hiring a therapist who coaches them weekly on self-care, safety planning, parental rights in child welfare, and accessing city resources.

Also in 2019, the Athlete Assistance Fund chose The NYSPCC, above all other child protection agencies, to help them eradicate sexual abuse in the sport of gymnastics. Our Training Institute provided child protection workshops for young athletes, coaches, and

parents at gymnastics organizations throughout the country. We look forward to continuing this partnership to help more gymnastics organizations improve safety protocols.

The NYSPCC also works with legislators and other advocacy groups to improve laws and policies that protect the safety of children. The NYSPCC helped to pass the Child Victims Act (CVA) in January 2019, which expanded the statute of limitations for survivors of child sexual abuse. Currently, The NYSPCC is collaborating with the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children–New York and The New York Foundling to end the corporal punishment of children, and I'm proud to tell you that The NYSPCC is now an official 'No Hit Zone'.

Our prevention work and healing efforts are only possible because of committed and compassionate individuals like you. Thank you for standing with The NYSPCC.

Warm regards,

**Mary L. Pulido, Ph.D.**, Executive Director



# The NYSPCC Helping Children to Heal

Ten-year-old Carl\* attended his first counseling session at The NYSPCC's Trauma Recovery Program in early 2019. His therapist began the conversation by asking, "Do you know why you were referred here?" Carl responded, "Because I'm bad." This couldn't be further from the truth.

*\*Names and image have been changed to protect confidentiality.*



***"Do you know why you were referred here?" Carl responded, "Because I'm bad."***

During the earliest years of his life, Carl witnessed horrific domestic violence from the hands of his biological father. When Carl was seven years old, his mother separated from his father and remarried, unfortunately to another dangerous man, who sexually abused Carl.

Carl grew angry and fearful. He experienced sleep disturbance and had nightmares regularly. He didn't socialize with his peers and acted out aggressively. In addition, he would sometimes become so distressed at school that it interfered with his ability to learn. Worst of all, Carl expressed a desire to kill himself.

The first priority for The NYSPCC was to address Carl's suicidal ideation. Our therapist helped him to recognize the thoughts and emotions he experienced when the desire to kill himself arose and to identify people from whom he can seek help. During other therapy sessions, the therapist provided psycho-education to help Carl better understand his trauma and how it affects his emotions and behaviors. The therapist also helped Carl develop coping strategies, such as relaxation techniques and writing in a journal.

The therapist also helped Carl's mom understand how she could assist in her son's recovery. Due to her own history of abuse, Gina suffered from depression, which affected her ability to help her son recover. The therapist encouraged Gina to enroll in her own trauma focused therapy. By focusing on her own health and well-being, Gina could improve her capacity as a parent, so that Carl would feel more secure and loved.

With Gina's permission, the therapist also worked with Carl's guidance counselor to explore ways the school could also help address Carl's mental and emotional state while he was at school. Teachers and school staff began offering more empathy and support, which helped to improve Carl's behavior and academic performance.

After nearly a year of weekly therapy sessions with Carl and his mother, Carl has greatly improved. He now understands that he was referred to The NYSPCC because of the abuse he endured and not because he is a bad person. With his newfound coping skills, he is no longer at risk of hurting himself. And Gina, who is now seeing a therapist of her own, is offering more help and support to her son. Carl is sleeping more peacefully, and as noted by his guidance counselor, doing better in school. The therapist is proud of Carl's progress and will continue to work with him as he continues to grow stronger and more resilient.



# Programs

## Safe Touches Program

The NYSPCC brings its child sexual abuse prevention workshops, Safe Touches, to schools throughout New York City. This evidence-based training program uses puppets to perform role-play scenarios that capture children's attention and teaches them four important body safety lessons:

1. Understanding which parts of the body are considered private;
2. Recognizing the difference between safe and not-safe touches;
3. Knowing who to talk to when they feel unsafe or confused; and
4. Practicing what to do if they ever receive a not safe touch.

Because children are at the greatest risk for sexual abuse when they are between the ages of seven and 13, The NYSPCC brings Safe Touches workshops to children in Kindergarten through the third grade, ages five to nine, to ensure that we educate them as early as possible.



In 2019, The NYSPCC conducted **219** Safe Touches workshops at **24** schools in New York City, reaching **4,756** children. Teachers, whose students participated in the workshops, provided overwhelmingly positive feedback.

**99%**

of teachers stated that they would recommend Safe Touches to their colleagues.

**98%**

of teachers reported that the workshop content was presented clearly.

**97%**

of teachers reported that the children were actively engaged during the workshop.

**93%**

of teachers reported that the facilitators responded effectively to the children's questions.

**93%**

of teachers stated that they would reinforce the sexual abuse prevention and body safety concepts taught in the workshop.



## Trauma Recovery Program

Children who experience physical abuse, sexual abuse, neglect, and other traumatic events often develop anxiety, anger, depression, fear, nightmares, and other post-traumatic stress symptoms. Without treatment, these symptoms can persist and negatively affect their lives.

Our Trauma Recovery Program provides a safe, supportive and nurturing environment that helps children, ages 5-21 years, to recover from traumatic experiences. Our clinical team provides services in English and Spanish, six days and three evenings per week, free of charge. Services include:

- **Individual Therapy:** NYSPCC therapists provide child-centered, Trauma-focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy. Talk, art, movement, and play techniques are used to teach children how to identify and manage their emotions, understand and develop helpful thinking patterns, process and make meaning of their traumatic experiences, and boost their overall resilience.
- **Family Therapy:** NYSPCC therapists also counsel parents, foster parents and other caregivers to help them understand trauma symptoms and to support their children's recovery.
- **Collateral Sessions:** NYSPCC therapists are in regular contact with foster care and caseworkers, teachers, and other professionals involved in the children's lives to ensure that the mental health needs of our young clients are understood and met in all aspects of their lives, not just in the therapy room.

In 2019, the Trauma Recovery Program helped **73** children recover from abuse and other traumatic experiences. Among the children who had at least one Trauma Symptom Checklist for Children (TSCC) follow up assessment:

**85%**

of all children reported a reduction in average TSCC scores from baseline to follow up, indicating an overall decrease in reported trauma symptoms.

**90%**

of scores for specific psychological symptoms (e.g., anxiety and post-traumatic stress) in the clinical or subclinical range improved at follow-up.

**In addition, our clinical team trained three Master's level student interns, preparing them for careers in the child protective field.**



Therapeutic Supervised Visitation Program

The NYSPCC’s Therapeutic Supervised Visitation Program serves families, referred by judges who determine that parent-child interaction must be supervised to ensure the children’s safety, usually due to histories of domestic violence, child abuse, mental illness or substance abuse. Our therapists help parents improve their relationships with their children and develop the awareness, knowledge and skills they need to create nurturing homes. Each family receives:

- **Assessment & Goal Setting:** NYSPCC therapists assess each family’s history and dynamics; create goals for the family; and develop a plan for the parent to achieve them.
- **Therapeutic Supervised Visits:** During weekly visits, children and visiting parents repair their relationships through healing conversations, playing games, and creating art. NYSPCC therapists conduct coaching sessions with parents for 15 minutes before and after every visit to teach them about their children’s needs and help them reflect on their strengths and how they can improve.
- **Parenting Journey:** All visiting parents attend Parenting Journey groups, which provide the opportunity to learn new strategies for self-care, reduce isolation through peer support, and empower parents to make healthier parenting choices by learning from their own experiences of being parented.
- **Support for Custodial Parents:** A Custodial Parent Specialist provides custodial parents with therapeutic coaching, referrals for social services, and safety planning to protect themselves and their children from domestic violence.

In 2019, the Therapeutic Supervised Visitation Program supported 88 families (including 122 children and 176 adults), who had histories of abuse, neglect, domestic violence, substance abuse, and mental health issues.

Despite many children being reluctant or refusing to spend time with their visiting parent due to their family history of abuse and neglect, with the support of NYSPCC staff, 74% of children felt safe enough to enter visits.

100% of the visiting parents, who completed the Parenting Journey program, reported that they improved their self-care and parenting skills. Specifically:

95% of parents reported that Parenting Journey helped them learn why it is important to take care of themselves.

90% of parents reported that they better understand the aspects of their personal life that affect their parenting.

85% of parents reported that they learned where they can look for help if they need it.

80% of parents reported that they now understand what steps they can take to move forward in their lives.

“At first, I thought this group would not help me because of all the negative experiences I had with other service providers, but the Parenting Journey group demonstrated that there are spaces that we can trust and feel supported in.”

A Parenting Journey Participant



In 2019, The NYSPCC provided 61 crisis debriefing sessions to 193 professionals, including:

55 sessions for 168 employees at ACS

4 sessions for 16 Safe Horizon staff members

2 sessions for 9 professionals at other agencies

Crisis Debriefing Services Program

Therapists, social workers, and other child protective service workers are often exposed to horrific cases of physical and sexual abuse, child fatalities, violence and other traumatic events, which can affect their mental health and work performance. To support these caring professionals after critical incidents, The NYSPCC offers crisis debriefing sessions that provide the therapeutic support they need to recover and continue providing high level services for children and families. Executive Director, Mary L. Pulido, PhD, designed The NYSPCC’s crisis debriefing intervention, the Restoring Resiliency Response Protocol. NYSPCC therapists host 60-minute sessions for individuals and 90-minute sessions for groups that focus on expressing thoughts and feelings, reducing stress and anxiety, providing insight into self-care, and developing coping skills to accelerate the recovery process.





## Training Institute

With 145 years of experience, The NYSPCC has a wealth of knowledge regarding how best to protect children. The NYSPCC's Training Institute educates child welfare professionals, teachers, the corporate sector, community organizations and parent groups on a wide variety of topics, including:

- child sexual abuse prevention,
- identifying and reporting child abuse,
- managing secondary traumatic stress, and
- best practice models of service provision.

In January 2019, the Athlete Assistance Fund chose The NYSPCC, above all other child protection agencies, for the job of eradicating sexual abuse in the sport of gymnastics. Through this partnership, our Training Institute worked with gymnastics organizations across the country. Our educators hosted child protection workshops for young athletes, coaches and parents, as well as helped gymnastics organizations to improve safety protocols so that athletes in their care are protected.

In 2019, the NYSPCC's Training Institute educated **1,696** adults in NYC and across the country:

We conducted **32** live Identifying and Reporting Child Abuse and Neglect Trainings reaching participants, as well as **788** online. **400**

We provided **315** Social Services professionals with our Professional Development education and trainings.

We conducted **15** workshops teaching adults how to better protect children from child sexual abuse.

Also in 2019, our youth child sexual abuse prevention program served **5,283** children and teenagers through **250** workshops.



## Research & Evaluation Program

Our Research and Evaluation Department assesses The NYSPCC's direct service and support programs to monitor client outcomes and ensure consistency and quality in service delivery. Program-specific evaluation plans are designed using a multi-dimensional, mixed-methods approach, and data are examined regularly. The department also secures government, state, and local funding to support cutting edge research on our unique programs and service models. Agency research initiatives integrate evidence-based approaches to the prevention and treatment of child abuse, promote best practice, and are disseminated to the greater community through peer reviewed publications, national and international conference presentations, and training initiatives.

### 2019 Research & Evaluation Achievements

- Launched a new, evidence-based parent education program to support non-custodial parents in the Therapeutic Supervised Visitation Program. This program is trauma-focused, and has received amazingly positive feedback from participating parents.
- Began a pioneering new program to support custodial parents, who are mandated to bring their children for visitation with non-custodial parents. The development and piloting of this curriculum will culminate in a formal training and implementation manual. This initiative was supported through a grant from the NY State Office of Children and Family Services.
- Created an assessment tool to collect data on children's perceptions of safety while participating in supervised visits with their non-custodial caregiver. The data will provide novel insight into understanding children's experiences during this difficult time, which is not represented in the literature.
- Finalized a new custom database for tracking agency services and outcomes. Through extensive planning, conceptualization, and prototype beta testing, the system launched in January of 2020. Refinement continues in the new year. This project was supported by a grant from the NY State Dormitory Authority.





## A Tale of Family Healing

At the tender age of two, Noelle\* witnessed something no toddler should ever see — her mother, Roxana, killed her boyfriend, during a domestic violence dispute. While allegedly done in self-defense, Roxana was charged with murder, and Noelle was sent to live with her grandmother.

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**It took nearly three months, but eventually, Noelle grew to trust her mother and interact with her on her own.**

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In the summer of 2019, Roxana and Noelle were referred to The NYSPCC's Therapeutic Supervised Visitation Program. During the first visit, the NYSPCC therapist recognized that Noelle was deeply traumatized, as she exhibited tremendous fear of her mother. When Roxana got close to Noelle, she waved her small arms frantically and ran from the therapy room toward her grandmother in the waiting area. Roxana responded by raising her voice and crying in frustration, which exacerbated the situation. Due to the severity of the case the frequency of visits were increased to twice a week.

To alleviate Noelle's fears, the NYSPCC therapist left the therapy room door open during visits, so that the child could interact with her grandmother as needed and feel more secure. The therapist also engaged Noelle in routine activities so that she grew to know what to expect. The therapist also helped Roxana to understand how Noelle's trauma experience affected her emotions and behaviors and how to respond to them in a supportive way. The therapist explained to Roxana that when she raised her voice, it triggered Noelle's fears. Over time, Roxana learned to be more patient, speak more softly, and not force her affection. It took nearly three months, but eventually, Noelle grew to trust her mother and interact with her on her own.

At the time Noelle witnessed the traumatic death, she could not yet speak, and this tragic experience impacted her speech development. Noelle spoke very little during her first few months at The NYSPCC and had a hard time processing her memories and verbalizing her feelings. The therapist used art and play activities to help Noelle make meaning of her experiences. The therapist observed that Noelle frequently sang "Ring Around the Rosie" and would perform the end of the nursery rhyme by falling down and playing dead. The therapist encouraged Roxana to respond in a nurturing way, by reaching out to save Noelle. They also engaged in other healing activities, such as finger painting and reading, which helped this mother and daughter to bond.

Roxana and Noelle were originally scheduled to complete supervised visitation sessions at the end of six months, but the therapist requested an extension through the winter. While Roxana and Noelle showed tremendous progress, the therapist explained the family would benefit from several more months of counseling and supervised visits. The additional months helped Roxana to grow more patient and nurturing, which helped Noelle to feel more safe and secure. The NYSPCC continues to provide support through supervised transfers and proudly observes their mother-daughter bond restored.



*\*Names and image have been changed to protect confidentiality.*



# In the News

The NYSPCC continued to expand its visibility in 2019, and its message that child abuse is preventable, through media appearances throughout the year, especially during National Child Abuse Prevention Month in April. The NYSPCC's Executive Director, Mary L. Pulido, Ph.D., is regularly contacted as an expert on the prevention of child abuse and neglect and domestic violence, as well as on issues related to child safety. The following are a few local and national media highlights from 2019. Please visit us online to view these and all other media placements, as well as Dr. Pulido's blogs, from 2019.

## ESPN.com

Alicia Sacramone Quinn works to help Larry Nassar survivors through the Athlete Assistance Fund

## Reuters

Athlete Assistance Fund ready to help abused gymnasts

## People.com

Child Sex Abuse Groups Work to Help Gymnasts After Larry Nassar Case: 'This Can't Happen Again'

## WorkingMother.com

How to Protect Your Children from Predators like Jeffrey Epstein

## The New York Times

Lending a Hand, in New York and Beyond

## Romper.com

Sex Abuse In Gymnastics Is Being Faced Head-On With This New Initiative

Mary Ellen Wilson, age 10, was rescued in April, 1874, by Henry Berg and Elbridge T. Gerry at the insistence of Etta Wheeler. Her case was the catalyst for the child protection movement, beginning in April, 1875, with the incorporation of The NYSPCC, the first such agency in the world.



Children under the care of The NYSPCC gather around to listen to music and enjoy themselves in 1925.



## The NYSPCC Archives

As the first child protection agency in the world, The NYSPCC maintains the most comprehensive and oldest set of records on child abuse and neglect cases and laws for maltreated children. The NYSPCC Archive contains a wealth of original and compiled material on the origins, history and development of the child protection movement from 1875 to the present day.

### The Archival holdings include:

- Digital copies of NYSPCC cases from the organization's incorporation in 1875 to present day, including more than 650,000 files concerning over 2,000,000 children;
- Newspaper clippings of note concerning child protection issues, including 15 bound volumes regarding The NYSPCC's efforts to protect children working in the theatre industry, and the Titanic child rescue and reunification story;
- Annual Reports of child protective statistics and case summaries;
- Historical Records: approximately 15 linear feet of documents in file folders dating from 1875; and
- Photographs (both prints and glass slides) of NYSPCC buildings and persons of historical importance to the agency, such as Elbridge T. Gerry, Henry Bergh, Etta Wheeler, and Mary Ellen (before and after her rescue, and later, with her children).

The NYSPCC has preserved Archival holdings such as original case files, historic books, documents, and artifacts. Over the past decade, Archive photos, records, advice and consultation have been used in several feature length documentaries, short films, dissertations and books dealing with children's rights. **In 2019, The NYSPCC Archivist responded to 24 inquires, 14 from private individuals and 10 from professionals. Most notably, author Hans Appel of Denmark sought out The NYSPCC Archivist's expertise when writing his book, "Barrison Fever," which tells of the Barrison Sisters whose story lives within the archive's "Children of the Stage" collection.**

Photo of children in the NYSPCC's care taking a class photo with their teacher in 1924.





Summary of Financial Statement\*

FINANCIAL POSITION SUMMARY

Cash	\$ 983,811
Investments at fair value	38,850,279
Other assets	670,942
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 40,505,032</b>
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 215,853
Accrued pension benefits	1,938,937
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>2,154,790</b>
Net assets without donor restrictions	34,295,627
Net assets with donor restrictions	4,054,615
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	<b>38,350,242</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b>	<b>\$ 40,505,032</b>

FINANCIAL ACTIVITY SUMMARY

Contributions	
Foundations/Corporations	\$ 900,571
Other	80,956
Government contracts	289,398
Special events	1,054,623
Investment return—operating	1,433,205
Professional education fees	458,317
Other support and revenue	875
<b>Total Support and Revenue</b>	<b>4,217,945</b>
Trauma recovery	802,205
Training institute/advocacy	897,760
Supervised visitation	637,129
Research and evaluation	421,806
Archives	136,187
General administration	600,550
Special events	194,628
Fundraising	576,831
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	<b>4,267,096</b>
<b>Excess of Operating Expenses over Revenue</b>	<b>(49,151)</b>
Investment return—nonoperating	(1,925,456)
Legacy	17,028,656
Adjustment to accrued pension benefits	( 440,854)
Increase in net assets with donor restrictions	285,957
Increase in net assets for the year	18,750,064
Net Assets—Beginning of year	19,600,178
<b>Net Assets—End of year</b>	<b>\$ 38,350,242</b>

\*Dated December 31, 2019



**Junior Society Cocktail Party**

In September 2019, over 100 of New York City’s young philanthropists gathered on the rooftop of The Standard East Village for The NYSPCC Junior Society’s annual cocktail party, Under the Stars. The event raised over \$30,000 for child protection services.





Stephanie Ruhle, Tara Westover and Elizabeth Mayhew



Daniel Healy, Patricia Hemm, Rita O'Shea, and Margaret Ecker



Maarit and Tom Glocer



Dr. Mary L. Pulido, Vicky Cornell, Deborah Norville and Karl Wellner



Dr. Mary L. Pulido



Tara Westover and Stephanie Ruhle



Chef Elizabeth Falkner and Deborah Norville



William Bratton and Rikki Klieman

## Spring Luncheon

The 2019 Spring Luncheon was the most successful luncheon to-date, raising over \$400,000 for The NYSPCC's Trauma Recovery and Safe Touches programs. The afternoon featured Tara Westover, best-selling author of *Educated*, in conversation with Stephanie Ruhle, NBC News correspondent and anchor of MSNBC Live. Tara discussed her thoughts on and experiences with child abuse and neglect, and the importance of The NYSPCC's work to eradicate them. A very special thanks to Elizabeth Mayhew and Valesca Guerrand-Hermès for hosting the afternoon, and all of our amazing Co-Chairs for their efforts!

## Food and Wine Gala

Over \$620,000 was raised at the Annual Food & Wine Gala at the Metropolitan Club in NYC. Award-winning Chef Elizabeth Falkner curated the menu and Deborah Norville, Anchor of *Inside Edition* and member of The NYSPCC's Children's Council, hosted the evening. Vicky Cornell, co-founder of the Chris and Vicky Cornell Foundation and NYSPCC Board Member, was the recipient of the Strength of Our Society Award in recognition of her generous support of The NYSPCC and aiding our efforts to end child abuse.



# Thank You

The NYSPCC’s ongoing commitment to protecting children and strengthening families would not be possible without the generous support of individuals, foundations, corporations and government agencies that share our mission of ensuring the safety and well-being of New York City’s most vulnerable children. Thank you for supporting The NYSPCC’s critical, life-saving work.



**\$100,000 and Above**

The Athlete Assistance Fund  
Horace Mann School  
The New York Times Neediest Cases Fund

**\$50,000 — \$99,999**

Chris and Vicky Cornell Foundation  
Eric Esrailian  
Maarit and Thomas H. Glocer  
Daniel M. Healy  
Ira W. DeCamp Foundation  
Lemonade, Inc.  
Martin S. Paine Foundation  
New York State Office of Children and Family Services  
van Ameringen Foundation  
William Stamps Farish Fund

**\$25,000 — \$49,999**

Dormitory Authority of the State of New York  
Edith Glick Shoolman Children’s Foundation  
Golden Door  
New York Yankees  
New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance  
Renaissance Trading, Inc.  
Sarah and David Stack  
Morgane and Chris Stapleton  
The Wasily Family Foundation  
The Wolverine Foundation

**\$10,000 — \$24,999**

Amelia and Timothy Berkowitz  
Cornelia Corbett  
Cushman & Wakefield  
Kathe and John Dyson  
Jodie and Andrew Fink

Victoria and David Foley  
Mr. & Mrs. Elbridge T. Gerry, Jr.  
The Gerry-Corbett Foundation, Inc.  
Mindy and Jonathan Gray  
Valesca Guerrand-Hermes  
Help for Children  
Tania Higgins  
Kappa Delta Sorority-Eta Iota Chapter  
Holly Kelly and Andrew Lipsky  
Marshall & Sterling, Inc.  
Max and Sunny Howard Memorial Foundation  
Elizabeth and Timothy Mayhew  
New Yankee Stadium Community Benefits Fund  
NYC Elite  
Francis Biondi, Jr. & Jamie Nicholls  
Deborah Norville and Karl G. Wellner  
The Perkin Fund  
The Pingry School  
Pitchbook Data Inc.  
The Richard & Natalie Jacoff Foundation  
Solon E. Summerfield Foundation, Inc.  
Dani Shaw and Ted Virtue  
Susan and Benjamin Winter

**\$5,000 — \$9,999**

Alamo Drafthouse Cinema  
Margaret and David Bova  
Charles and Mildred Schnurmacher Foundation  
Colgate-Palmolive Co.  
Kathleen and Robert Coughlin  
The Dammann Fund, Inc.  
First Republic Bank  
Penny Grant, M.D.  
Kimberly Guilfoyle  
The Hyde and Watson Foundation  
The Kessler Family Foundation  
Steven B. Klinsky  
The New York Community Trust—Youth and Philanthropy Initiative USA Fund  
Connie and Thomas L. Newberry  
New York City Administration for Children Services  
Lisa and Dr. Mehmet Oz  
Hailey and Stephen Prince  
Thomas Quick  
Melissa and Richard Rothman  
Mary Alice and M. David Sherrill  
Peter Sommerfield  
Kathryn and William B. Tyree  
Venable Foundation  
Susan and James Winter  
The Winter Organization

**\$1,000 — \$4,999**

Geoffrey Adler  
Jessica Adler  
Debbie and Jeremy Amias  
Aundrea and James Amine  
Elena and Douglas Atkin  
Abigail and Joseph Baratta  
BASIS Independent Schools  
Anthony Bavedas  
Bel Air Investment Advisors  
Wendy Belzberg and Strauss Zelnick  
Graciela Bitar  
Hudson Bova  
William Bratton  
Mr. & Mrs. Edward Burdick  
Regina Calcaterra  
Nancy and Joseph Chetrit  
Alex Ching and John Buttrick  
Kristin and John Clark  
Denise Conway  
Krista and James Corl  
Brunello Cucinelli  
Cullen and Dykman LLP  
Alice and David Cynn  
Jodi L. Scherer and Andrew Dady  
Norah and John Daly  
Jill Davis  
Beatrice and James Del Favero  
Megan Englander  
Olivia and John Farr  
Bridget and Donald Fawcett  
Jeffrey Feinstein  
Massimo Ferragamo  
Mary Ann Finegan  
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Frank J. Antun Foundation  
Julie Friedland  
Danielle and David Ganek  
Janet and Elbridge Gerry, III  
Libbie F. Gerry  
Carson and Joseph Gleberman  
Penny Gorman  
Stefani Greenfield  
Jamee and Peter Gregory  
Hach & Rose LLP  
Johanna Hamel  
Harlem Children’s Zone  
Patricia Hemm  
Omar Hernandez  
Diana Hsu  
Isabel Hummell  
Stephanie Hunt  
International Preschools

JP Morgan Chase Foundation  
Karin and Paul Kingsley  
Mr. & Mrs. James Kinnear  
Karen and John Klopp  
Lynn and Jules Kroll  
Mr. & Mrs. Steven Langman  
Eva and Lorenzo Lorenzotti  
Christina Weiss Lurie  
Tammy MacWilliams  
The Honorable Earle Mack  
Christine and Richard Mack  
Juno Madan  
Simone and Chris Mailman  
Claire and Christopher Mann  
Elizabeth and Rohit Manocha  
Mr. & Mrs. Monty March  
Lizzy and Bryce Markus  
Mary W. Harriman Foundation  
Lara Meiland-Shaw  
Anjali and Prakash Melwani  
Federico Mennella  
Metzger-Price Fund, Inc.  
Audrey Meyer  
Cynthia and Donald Murphy  
Network of Victim Assistance  
New York University Community Fund  
Nightingale-Bamford School  
Amie and Scott C. Nuttall  
Sarah O’Hagan  
Lynne Pagano  
Amy Palmer  
Alexander Panos  
Elizabeth Pash  
Mr. & Mrs. Alan Patti  
Paula Perlis  
Tatiana and Thorne Perkin  
Betsy and Robert Pitts  
Dr. Mary and Jorge Pulido  
Andrew Rak  
Heather Rekhi  
RJTB Group LLC  
Renee Rockefeller  
Jeffrey Rosen  
Hilary and Wilbur Ross  
Melissa Salten Rothman  
The Ruth and Vernon Taylor Foundation  
The Safe Center LI, Inc.  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Sambuco  
Heather and John Sargent  
Ruth Scharf  
Amanda Schumacher  
Barry Shapiro



Juju Chang and Neil Shapiro  
Anya and Andrew Shiva  
Nazanin and Roald Smeets  
Sommerfield Communications  
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