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# 2019 IMPACT REPORT

#### A LETTER FROM OUR CEO

To Our Friends and Supporters,

Serving in our 26th year of ministry, 2019 was an amazing year for transition and potential for our non-profit organization. In May, Involved for Life signed a joint venture agreement with three other entities in our state to form The Source Texas. Across Austin, Dallas, Houston and San Antonio, together we served 8,095 clients, saved 1,592 babies, and glorify God for 576 decisions made for Christ. And we praise God for the working of His Holy Spirit in 349 spiritual decisions made right here in Dallas! How we rejoice in seeing the eternal work of His hands so visibly!

In 2020, Involved for Life, Inc., now operating as The Source North Texas, will be opening a satellite location in Southwest Dallas in the second most abortion-dense zip code in Dallas County. Located less than one-half mile from Planned Parenthood's largest abortion facility in the county, we are strategically placed to reach a very vulnerable population with truth, hope and help.

Building on our expanded medical services in 2019, we will begin in 2020 to offer a full menu of women's reproductive health services from two locations in Dallas County. We are excited and very expectant of how the Lord will help us reach more underserved women with much-needed healthcare in a Christ-centered environment that will provide positive impact to their physical, emotional and spiritual health. By 2024, our goal is to have five locations in the North Texas region to serve our "neighbors" to equal the current number of abortion facilities in our same area.

We give all glory to God for all He has done and will do! On behalf of our Board and Staff at The Source North Texas, I thank you for your prayers, encouragement and financial support.

Serving with Joy,

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Carolyn Cline President & CEO

# THE SOURCE TEXAS CHANGING THE GAME FOR LIFE

Inspired by a vision God entrusted to four pregnancy resource center CEOs in Texas, our primary goal is to give Texas women high-quality, life-affirming health care options while offering them the greatest hope we have of abundant life in Jesus Christ.

#### 96% of women recognize Planned Parenthood, while less than 20% are aware of their local pregnancy center, despite PRCs outnumbering Planned Parenthood abortion providers 10:1.

Through our shared vision and mission, we now offer a recognized, statewide presence in Texas. Our services include the same medical options Planned Parenthood offers, with the obvious exclusion of abortion, while continuing to offer our health care and pregnancy support from a gospel-focused, biblical commitment to life.

	Basic PRCs	Planned Parenthood	the source
Pregnancy Testing	Х	Х	Х
Ultrasound	Х	Х	Х
STI/STD Testing and Treatment		Х	Х
Well Woman Exams		Х	Х
Sex Education		Х	Х
Pregnancy Prevention Resources		Х	Х
Abortion Services		Х	
Morning After Pill		Х	
RU 486 ("Abortion Pill") Reversal			Х
Material Assistance	Х		Х
Parenting Classes	Х		Х
Gospel-centered Spiritual Care	Х		Х
Counseling and Ongoing Support	Х		Х

#### LIFESTYLE MEDICAL MODEL WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

At The Source, we believe in the importance of using the Lifestyle Medical Model (LMM) as a means of providing whole-person health care. Our non-medical and medical staffs work in tandem to provide tools to help our clients grow in their understanding of themselves so they can make better and more life-affirming choices.

Many Source clients come to us with traumatic experiences they have experienced either recently or early in life. They have internalized the false idea that their trauma experiences are acceptable. A client who has been affected by trauma, either as an adult or a child, often needs multiple touches to uncover the deep issues that are influencing her decision making. Once a client better understands herself, and learns to assess her choices, she can move forward in making future decisions that bring her healthy outcomes in her mind, body and spirit.

The Lifestyle Medical Model works throughout our non-medical consultations, our social services and healthcare services to unite a concerted effort to educate, inform and support a woman to find tools to achieve her best life.

#### The Source has raised the bar for women's health services!

### **DID YOU KNOW?**



Through our nonjudgmental approach to whole health, clients learn the importance of mental, emotional and spiritual health and how that impacts their physical health. We help them stand strong so they can walk in God's Truth and experience the abundant life Christ gave His life for them to gain.

### THE SOURCE NORTH TEXAS

**8,269** Client Touches Client Touches: pregnancy test, ultrasound, STD/STI testing and treatment, prenatal care, group educational classes, individual option consultations, social services, individual classes, spiritual mentoring, and material assistance.





#### Appointments

#### **Serving with a Wide Reach**

165 different zip codes in TX Top 5 Zip Codes: 75216, 75211, 75243, 75217, 75204 32 TX counties Top County: Dallas County

#### Serving our Targeted Audience\*

Marital Status: Single - 86%, Married - 14%

#### Ages:

15 - 19 = 15.6% 20 - 24 = 36.4%\*\* 25 - 29 = 26%\*\* 30 + = 22%

#### Ethnicity:

African American = 51% Hispanic = 30.4% Caucasian = 10.6% Other = 5% Asian = 2.7% Native American = .6%

\*Representative of typically medically underserved population \*\*Highest age group to abort pregnancies

### **CHALLENGES FACED & CONQUERED**

Angelina\* came into our office frightened and broken-hearted because her boyfriend (Jerome\*) was pushing her to have an abortion. Jerome's parents were continually telling him he was too young to parent a child. As we counseled with Jerome, he parroted back to our staff what his parents were repeating over and over to him. When Angelina and Jerome came in for an ultrasound, they left distraught after seeing their child's image, knowing deep down that neither of them wanted to go through with an abortion. But they continued to feel pressured to terminate the pregnancy by the people to whom they were looking for support. They truly felt they did not have any other choice as they lived with Jerome's parents. Angelina fought back tears as they left and sobbed she did not want to have an abortion.

We followed up two days later with Angelina via a phone call to check on her, and she shared the exciting news they were going to parent their child! Jerome was empowered by what he had learned at our center and found the courage to stop listening to his older brother and dad who kept pushing for an abortion. Jerome's mother rallied to his desire to parent and told her husband Jerome was old enough to take on this responsibility, reminding her husband they had their first child when they were only 17 years of age.

Jerome is now working more hours in order to provide for his family. Both Angelina and Jerome attended the prenatal classes offered on Wednesday evenings at our center. Jerome became a very enthusiastic learner about babies and newborn care. In support, both Jerome's and Angelina's mothers attended the prenatal class graduation and baby shower at the completion of the classes with great expectations of becoming grandmothers for the first time!

\*Names changed to protect confidentiality.

### **Serving the Body**



747 STD/STI Tests







## **Serving the Mind**

#### **Unplanned Pregnancy Options Discussions:**

- Abortion 784
- Adoption 779
- Parenting 731

#### **Healthy Relationships Discussions:**

- STI/STD education 788
- Sexual purity 411
- Family/Friend relationships 649

#### Empowered Through Education:

- Center Programs 755 discussions
- Classes (Group/Individual) 716 participations

#### Healing Past Hurts Discussions:

- Post-Abortion Recovery 248
- Sexual Abuse Recovery 108
- Referrals to Counseling 203

# Serving the Spirit

**Gospel Presentations** 



\*231 Professions of Faith & 118 Rededications of life to Christ

But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit. - Titus 3:4-5

# **OUR COMMUNITY SUPPORT**

We are grateful to all who invest their time, treasure and talents to ensure The Source NTX is a strong, vital part of making a real difference in the lives of our North Texas neighbors.

"We support The Source because we believe in and support its mission to support, care for, and equip women by providing high-quality, whole-person health services. We respect and admire how the volunteers and staff at The Source truly love Jesus and strive to pour that love onto all who seek assistance there, regardless of their religious beliefs. They truly are the hands and feet of Jesus!" – Dr. Hector and Lisa Chapa (Former Medical Director & Financial Partners)

"The right to life is one of the greatest justice issues of our day, especially when it comes to the unborn. Northway Church has chosen to get involved for life by partnering with The Source NTX because of their commitment to protect the unborn, provide holistic care for women & families, and unashamedly share the hope of Jesus Christ with those whom they serve." – Pastor Shea Sumlin (Lead Pastor, Northway Church, Prayer & Financial Partners)

"Unborn Lives Matter! It is a blessing for us to serve and support The Source NTX. It is one way for us to serve God by helping to save unborn lives. Many times two lives are saved, the life of a baby and the spiritual life of the mother. The Source NTX needs financial help to sustain this glorious ministry!" – Judy and Haddon Winckler (Board Member, Golf Tournament Fundraising Committee Member & Financial Partners)

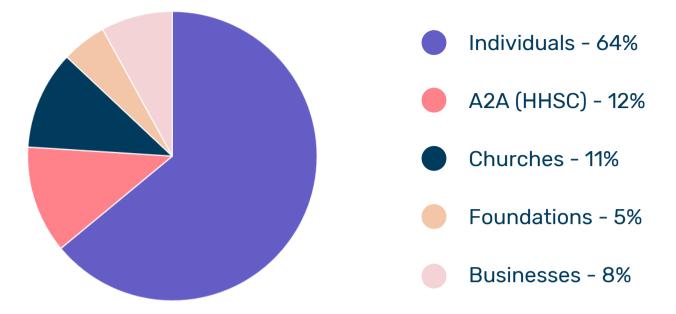
"Our church has been partnering with The Source for years. Our congregation loves their strong commitment to breathing life to the entire family they serve. The Source serves the whole family beautifully and loves them graciously....We are so grateful for The Source!" – Dan and Cindi Weber, Sr. Pastor and Ministry Coordinator, Kessler Community Church (Educational Class sponsors & Financial Partners)

"Having been at The Source for 4 years now, my role as medical director is more diversified, and my responsibilities are greater. God has precisely positioned me so that His spiritual gifts to me might be utilized for His purposes, while concurrently retaining me at The Source for my benefit to learn and grow spiritually from the men and women of faith with whom I've interacted. Why do I volunteer at The Source? Because I can't wait to see what God is going to do next, and because He wants me here." – Dr. Melinda Velez (Volunteer Medical Director & Financial Partner)

"We are "involved for life" because we want to be a voice for the unborn. We believe The Source NTX is faithfully and beautifully saving life, babies and their parents, by sharing truth in love. The staff deeply and genuinely care for every client. This place is making a difference, it is our joy to support them." Josh and Melissa VanderHey (Volunteer Coordinator, Fundraising Events & Financial Partners)

"In college my husband volunteered with pro-life organizations and has financially supported pro-life since those early days. For myself, the choice of supporting The Source was easy. Quite honestly, I have never experienced such a dynamic group of female advocates, zealous for Jesus, faithful to His commandments and passionate for LIFE. From testimony after testimony, miracle after miracle, I simply can't get enough of what the Lord is doing at The Source. Sign me up!" (Ron Nussle & Christina McCracken-Nussle, Chairman-Board of Directors & Financial Partners)

# **OUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT**



# **OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS**

We are better together! Having healthy partnerships within our community affords us the opportunity to serve our clientele with the best services and referrals. We are grateful to have the ability to broaden our scope of service by working with these organizations and agencies.

**Austin Street Bella House Bravelove Adoption Buckner Adoption Services BUMC School of Midwifery** Center of Hope Chosen Heritage Adoption Christian Women's Job Corp **Community Partner Program - HHSC Criswell College Dallas Baptist University Dallas Housing Authority** Dallas Life **Dallas Theological Seminary** Dallas Volunteer Attorney Program Eastside Community Church **ECFA Excellence** in Giving Evantell First Baptist Church Dallas **First Baptist Church Garland** Focus on the Family - OUP Friendship House Head Start **Healing Hands** 

Healthy Texas Women Hope for the Heart **Human Coalition** In My Shoes **KCBI 90.9 FM Kessler Community Church** Lake Pointe Church Whiterock Legacy Adoption Services Life Advocacy Group Life International Lifeline Children's Services Lifetree Adoption Agency **NIFLA** Northway Church Nurse Family Partnership Program On the Road Lending One by One Mentoring Parkland Health and Hospital System Parkway Hills Baptist Church Southern Baptists of Texas Foundation **Texas Pregnancy Care Network** The Church at Junius Heights Vogel Alcove Watermark Community Church

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Touching hearts. Transforming lives.

### VISION

We envision a world where . . . Women have the knowledge and resources to live healthy lives.

#### MISSION

Educate and empower women to make informed decisions.

To learn more about The Source NTX, visit GetInvolvedForLife.com, email vking@thesource.org, or call 214-969-4473.





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