

# MARYLAND

*helping communities flourish*

**Total estimated materials and services valued at \$5,434,804 to the state of Maryland, serving 10,007 women, men, and youth.**

**46,119 Total Client Sessions, both in-person and virtually**  
**98% Client Satisfaction, nationally**

## **\$1,924,794 IN MEDICAL SERVICES**



- 6,003 free pregnancy tests
- 6,122 free ultrasounds performed by registered nurses/medical sonographers
- 1,640 total STD/STI tests performed by registered nurses (306 patients tested - 99.5% female, 0.5% male)
- 8 out of every 10 pregnancy center locations in the U.S. are medical

## **\$2,334,102 IN EDUCATION AND SUPPORT SERVICES**

**9,974 free consultations with new clients (97.4% female, 2.1% male, 0.5% unknown)**

**33 students attended free sexual risk avoidance education presentations**

**8,000 clients received free prenatal and parenting education (95.3% female, 4.6% male, 0.1% unknown)**

**108 clients received free after-abortion support & recovery (100% female)**

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## \$1,175,908 IN MATERIAL ITEMS



- 59,637 free packs of diapers
- 16,388 free packs of baby wipes
- 53,198 free new & used baby clothing outfits
- 372 free new car seats
- 312 free new & used strollers
- 150 free new cribs
- 6,641 free containers of formula

## MADE POSSIBLE BY

225 total paid staff, 28% of whom were licensed medical professionals

654 total volunteers, 10% of whom were licensed medical professionals

### Finding Hope in Maryland

Mateo's birth mother found the doors of Greater Baltimore Center for Pregnancy Concerns months into her pregnancy. There, she received a pregnancy test, an ultrasound exam, and referrals for both prenatal care and a partnering adoption group. The pregnancy center then worked with her on making an adoption plan for her child and supported her decision to place her baby with a couple in the Baltimore area.

Lydia and John had decided not to have biological children due to a genetic condition. They shared: "As a couple, we did not know what God would have in store for what our family would look like. Lydia was terrified stepping into the adoption process, as she is a planner and could not plan, but God knew this was best for our family. Waiting to adopt, we were nervous, fearful, and not sure if we should get our hopes up as to when it would happen.



John and Lydia with their son Mateo

"We got the phone call about Mateo, and the next morning were at the hospital, scared, excited, and in awe. Once we had Mateo in our arms, all the fear and anxiety melted away. Life after Mateo has been born feels brighter, more joyful, and every day is a day to fall in love with our boy even more! He is a miracle and the best gift the Lord could give us. He is the most joyful, easy-going, fun-loving, and precious boy ever! We are so thankful for his presence in our lives. He is the reminder that God uses even the most broken of situations for good—that His faithfulness is so much greater than we can imagine!

"We are also so thankful for the pregnancy center and how God used them to help create our family."

Mateo's story began long before he was placed in Lydia and John's loving arms. It began with a woman who needed time, truth, and compassion—and a pregnancy center that was there to help when it mattered most. Because someone cared enough to walk with her, hope had room to grow. And today, that hope has a name, a laugh, and a future. This is what love in action makes possible.

#### NOTES:

- We are grateful to Care Net, Heartbeat International, and the National Institute of Family and Life Advocates for their contributions towards data collection from their affiliated U.S. pregnancy centers.
- Value of services is based upon materials and services provided by 33 pregnancy centers in the state of Maryland in calendar year 2024. None of the centers reporting data received state or federal funding in 2024.
- Total savings are calculated based on cost estimates of services, classes and baby items provided to clients. The sources for the cost estimates and valuation of items and services can be found in the Methodology section of the 2024 CLI national pregnancy center report, "Pregnancy Centers: Rising to the Occasion with Unwavering Care" (<https://lozierinstitute.org/pcr/>), except for the following state-specific labor costs.
- The Maryland mean hourly wages referenced are as follows: Social Workers in local/state government is \$39.96 per hour - BLS OES code 21-1029, Registered Nurses is \$46.46 per hour - OES code 29-1141, and Diagnostic Medical Sonographers is \$44.52 per hour - OES code 29-2032.
- The estimated savings does not include housing and other monetary assistance provided to some clients. We advocate for our clients by networking with hundreds of county, state and non-profit social service organizations around the country. We cannot quantify the value of emotional support given to the women we help through phone calls and caring volunteers.
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