



FOUNDATION 2022 ANNUAL REPORT

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Arizona Foundation for
LEGAL SERVICES
& EDUCATION
THE ARIZONA BAR FOUNDATION



IN REVIEW

Highlights of 2022

Domestic Violence Legal Assistance Project

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Our Volunteers

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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LEGAL ASSISTANCE PROJECT



With initial funding from the Department of Justice, the DVLAP and the Arizona Department of Economic Security have assisted victims with their legal needs for over 20 years. The Foundation's partnering agencies include three legal aid agencies and 13 domestic violence service agencies across the state.

PROJECT PARTNERS

- AGAINST ABUSE
- ALICE'S PLACE
- AZ COALITION TO END SEXUAL & DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
- CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES IN SOUTHEASTERN ARIZONA
- CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES IN WESTERN ARIZONA
- COLORADO RIVER REGIONAL CRISIS SERVICES
- COMMUNITY LEGAL SERVICES
- DNA PEOPLE'S LEGAL SERVICES
- EMERGE! CENTER AGAINST DOMESTIC ABUSE
- KINGMAN AID TO ABUSED PEOPLE
- MT. GRAHAM SAFE HOUSE
- NORTHLAND FAMILY HELP CENTER
- SOJOURNER CENTER
- SOUTHERN ARIZONA LEGAL AID
- TIME OUT
- VERDE VALLEY SANCTUARY

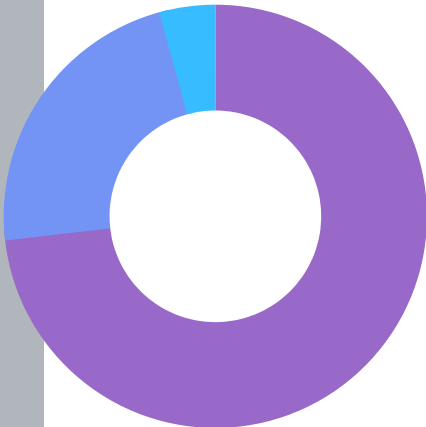
THOSE SERVED

- **1,778** domestic violence victims attended a legal clinic.
- **5,418** received advice or direct representation.
- **6,271** received court accompaniment, safety planning, or legal information.

VOLUNTEERS

- **1,004** victims of domestic violence received legal assistance from a volunteer attorney. Volunteer attorneys donated **1,256** pro bono hours.

FUNDING LEVERAGED



DES: **\$1,019,220**

Volunteer InKind/
Pro Bono Services: **\$314,000**

Foundation Match: **\$59,534**

WILLS FOR HEROES ARIZONA



This joint program with the State Bar of Arizona hosts free events where volunteer attorneys prepare a will, living will, and powers of attorney for Arizona's first responders. The Bar supports the program through staff volunteers and the maintenance and staging of technology used during events.

2022 VOLUNTEER ATTORNEYS AND NOTARIES

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Katherine Silvestri	Wendy Anderson
Kay Lapid	Yoonho Ji

THOSE SERVED

253 wills were prepared at **6** separate events.

VOLUNTEERS

Notaries: **130** hours

Attorneys: **475** hours

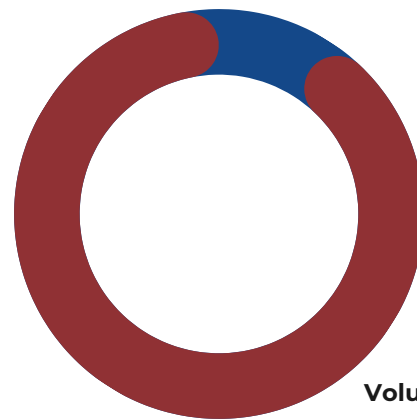
Witnesses: **184** hours

PROGRAM PARTNERS

State Bar of Arizona

First Responders Agencies throughout AZ

FUNDING LEVERAGED



Volunteer Inkind: **\$127,562**

Foundation : **\$11,950**

LEGAL SERVICES GRANT GIVING

The Foundation continues to provide funding to Arizona legal service providers throughout Arizona through a variety of sources and leveraged funds.

2022 GRANTEES

- COMMUNITY LEGAL SERVICES
- DNA PEOPLE'S LEGAL SERVICES
- FLORENCE IMMIGRANT & REFUGEE RIGHTS PROJECT
- SOUTHERN ARIZONA LEGAL AID
- STEP UP TO JUSTICE
- TUCSON FAMILY ADVOCACY PROGRAM
- WILLIAM E. MORRIS INSTITUTE FOR JUSTICE

THOSE SERVED

Community Legal Services, DNA People's Legal Services and Southern Arizona Legal Aid closed **578** community reinvestment legal service cases statewide helping more than **1,450** individuals. Through the legal help the families received, the economic impact was over **\$5 million** dollars. More than **\$3.5 million** was returned and nearly **\$1.8 million** was reduced from what had allegedly been owed.

Tucson Family Advocacy Program - 125 helped through this Medical-Legal Partnership.

Florence Immigrant & Refugee Rights Project -

Nearly 16,000 detainees received "Know Your Rights" presentations.

Over 1,400 legal consultations facilitated for individuals facing removal proceedings.

William E. Morris Institute for Justice - Filed amicus briefs with national public interest law firms.

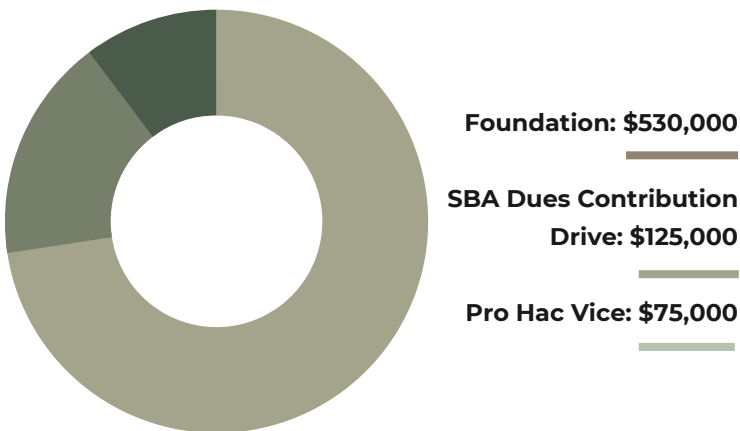
Submitted public records requests related to foster care youth.

Monitored and testified in support/opposition to legislative efforts.

PROJECT PARTNERS

State Bar of Arizona Dues Contribution Drive Donors

FUNDING LEVERAGED



LEGAL INFORMATION & ACCESS

The Foundation manages nine legal information and resource websites, an automated phone and online prequalifying system, and the Modest Means Project as joint programs with the State Bar of Arizona and our other project partners.

PROGRAMS

- AZCOURTCARE.ORG
- AZCOURTHELP.ORG
- AZCRIMEVICTIMHELP.ORG
- AZEVICTIONHELP.ORG
- AZFREELEGALANSWERS.ORG
- AZLAWHELP.ORG
- LAWFORKIDS.ORG
- LAWFORSENIORS.ORG
- LAWFORVETERANS.ORG
- [LEGAL LEARN LINE](#)
- [MODEST MEANS PROJECT](#)

VOLUNTEERS

7 volunteers provided **505** hours on the Live Chat feature on AZCourtHelp

23 volunteers provided **163** hours of legal information answering questions on Free Legal Answers.

126 Modest Means Attorneys assisted individuals with their legal needs.

PROJECT PARTNERS

Arizona Supreme Court
American Bar Association
Maricopa County
Vitalyst Health Foundation

State Bar of Arizona
Community Legal Services
DNA People's Legal Services
Southern Arizona Legal Aid

THOSE SERVED

Over **10,000** people were eligible for help from Modest Means Attorneys.

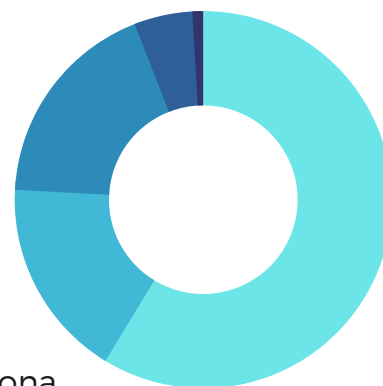
14,279 users sought Family Law assistance through the online and telephone pre-qualification portal.

Over **1.65 Million** unique users accessed our legal help websites.

483 questions were answered on Arizona's FreeLegalAnswers program.

Law Librarians across the state assisted individuals during **404** live chat sessions via AZCourtHelp.org.

FUNDING LEVERAGED



Foundation: **\$643,788**

AOC: **\$188,195**

MCNAP: **\$200,000**

Volunteer InKind: **\$54,886**

Vitalyst: **\$10,245**

SCHOOL SAFETY PROGRAM

The Foundation, with support from the Arizona Department of Education, assists the School Safety Program schools with trainings, curricula, resources, and technical assistance for their Resource Officers, Counselors, and Social Workers.

FEATURED TRAININGS

- **CREATING A SAFE CAMPUS**
- **TECHNOLOGY USE AND SCHOOL**
- **POWER AGAINST BULLYING BEHAVIORS**
- **SCREEN TIME SKILLS**
- **FORMING SAFE AND HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS**
- **MARIJUANA: BE INFORMED**
- **FINANCIAL GAINS**
- **THE IMPACT OF SOCIAL MEDIA**
- **NEW OFFICER TRAINING**
- **NEW COUNSELOR & SOCIAL WORKER TRAININGS**
- **LEADERSHIP TRAININGS**
- **ADVANCED LEADERSHIP TRAININGS**

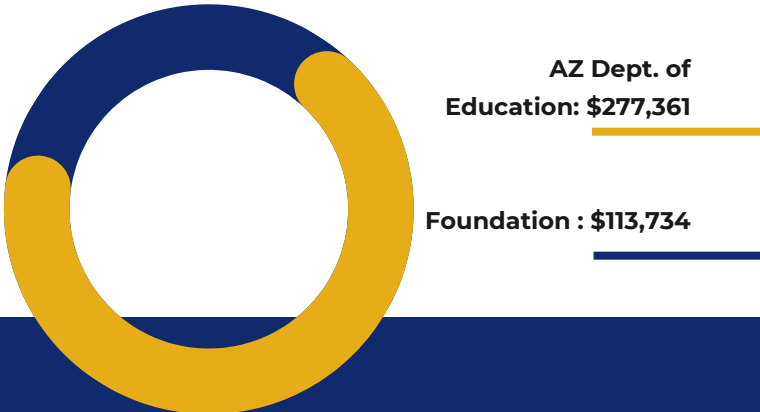
THOSE SERVED

- 219** School Counselors
- 106** School Social Workers
- 140** School Safety Officers
- 465** Schools

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LAWFORKIDS.ORG



Over 20 years ago, the Arizona Supreme Court requested the Foundation create LawForKids.org after a law was passed allowing youth to be tried as adults. The site has grown and continues to serve as a resource for youth related legal information, civic education resources, and law related education activities.

WEBSITE FEATURES

- VIRTUAL ESCAPE ROOMS
- DETENTION CENTER TOURS
- WHEN YOU TURN 18 INFORMATION
- K-4 DOWNLOADABLE ACTIVITIES
- COMICS AND TOONS
- EDUCATION GAMES & VIDEOS
- LEGAL INFORMATION & RESOURCES
- LOCAL ORDINANCES BY COUNTY
- CURRENT LAWS APPLICABLE TO YOUTH LIKE CURFEWS, BULLYING, EMANCIPATION, AND DRIVING
- YOUTH OPINION POLLS
- RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS AND OFFICERS
- FOUNDATION'S LAW RELATED EDUCATION PROGRAMS

THOSE SERVED

198,195 unique users

Online games: **20,524** pageviews

LRE Lessons: **29,471** pageviews

Most viewed pages:

Curfew

Kids Voting Arizona

School Safety Program

U.S. Constitution Article 1 Section 9

Law Day Contest

FUNDING LEVERAGED



Arizona Supreme Court: **\$121,423**

Foundation: **\$79,128**

LAW RELATED EDUCATION

Our Law Related Education programs provide educator trainings, curricula, and other resources to assist in teaching students about the government and law. The students are given an opportunity to showcase their knowledge through several of the programs.

PROGRAMS

- ARIZONA TEEN COURT ASSOCIATION
- CONNECTING WITH CLASSROOMS
- ICIVICS ARIZONA
- KIDS VOTING ARIZONA
- LAW DAY
- LAW RELATED EDUCATION ACADEMY
- MOCK TRIAL
- PROJECT CITIZEN
- WE THE PEOPLE
- WHEN YOU TURN 18

THOSE SERVED

Nearly **71,000** students were impacted through Foundation LRE programs.

46,378 educational materials were distributed.

925 hours of technical assistance was provided by staff to educators.

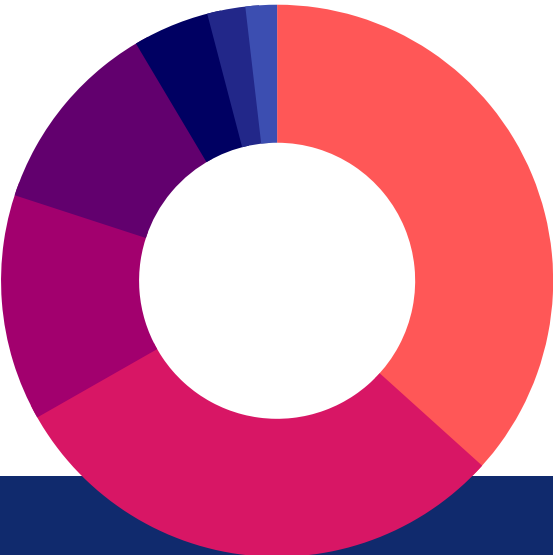
PROJECT PARTNERS

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
ARIZONA SUPREME COURT
CENTER FOR CIVIC EDUCATION
STATE BAR OF ARIZONA
MARICOPA COUNTY RECORDER

VOLUNTEERS

572 volunteers donated **2,707** hours to LRE programs.

FUNDING LEVERAGED



Foundation: **\$246,151**

AOC: **\$201,866**

AZ Dept of Education: **\$88,967**

Volunteer InKind: **\$76,783**

Maricopa County Recorder: **\$30,000**

State Bar of Arizona: **\$15,000**

Center for Civic Education: **\$12,349**

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!

VOLUNTEERS OF THE MONTH

- TIM EIGO
- CORRINE COOPER
- MARK KRISPIN
- BRIAN DILLE
- K ROYAL
- US ATTORNEY'S OFFICE - ARIZONA
- DAMON ASHCRAFT
- CHRISTINE FABER
- DAMON BOYD
- ALICIANA LOPEZ
- STEPHEN RICHER
- MARK MCCALL

"Helping to ensure access to the justice system for those in need is a critical function of the Bar and its members. Those of us in public service jobs can and should do more to promote pro bono opportunities within our offices."

Gary Restaino,
U.S. Attorney for the District of Arizona

"Volunteering for the Arizona Bar Foundation means supporting smart young people and building a better community. Whether it's the We the People program - *my favorite* - or any other, the Foundation mission ensures our future civic health. It's essential work and deserves our active assistance. "

Tim Eigo,
Arizona Attorney Magazine Editor

"I volunteer and support the Foundation because I believe in the Foundation's mission of promoting access to justice to all, particularly those in need, as well as promoting an understanding of democracy and the importance of voting in our children."

Damon Boyd,
Law Offices of Damon L. Boyd

"I chose to intern with this foundation due to the preventative actions they take by teaching the youth. In addition, the interactions of officers and counselors with children are encouraged and help children feel safe, which is something I think is needed and benefits so many children, parents, teachers, and institutions."

Aliciana Lopez,
NAU Poli-Sci Student

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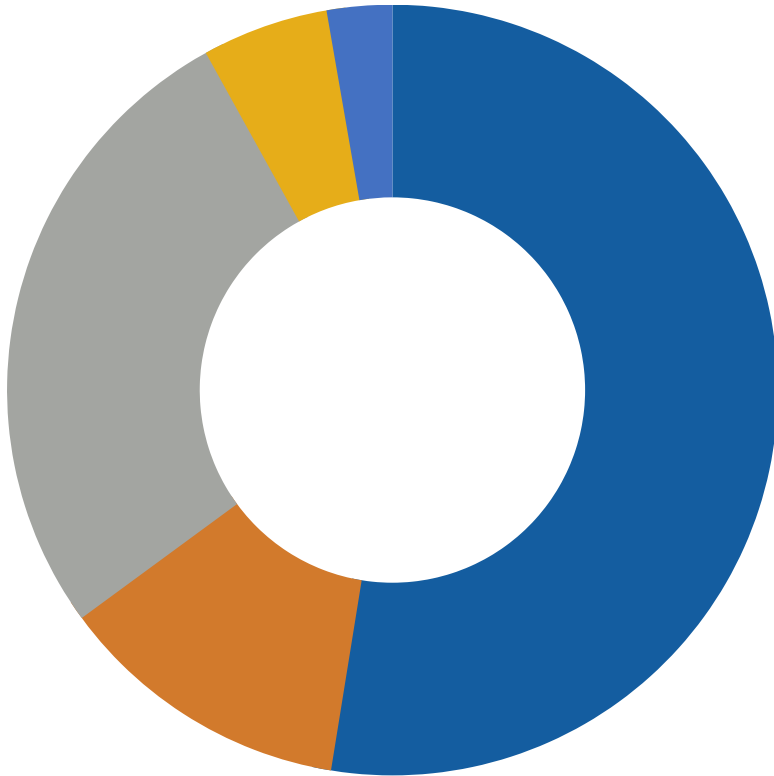
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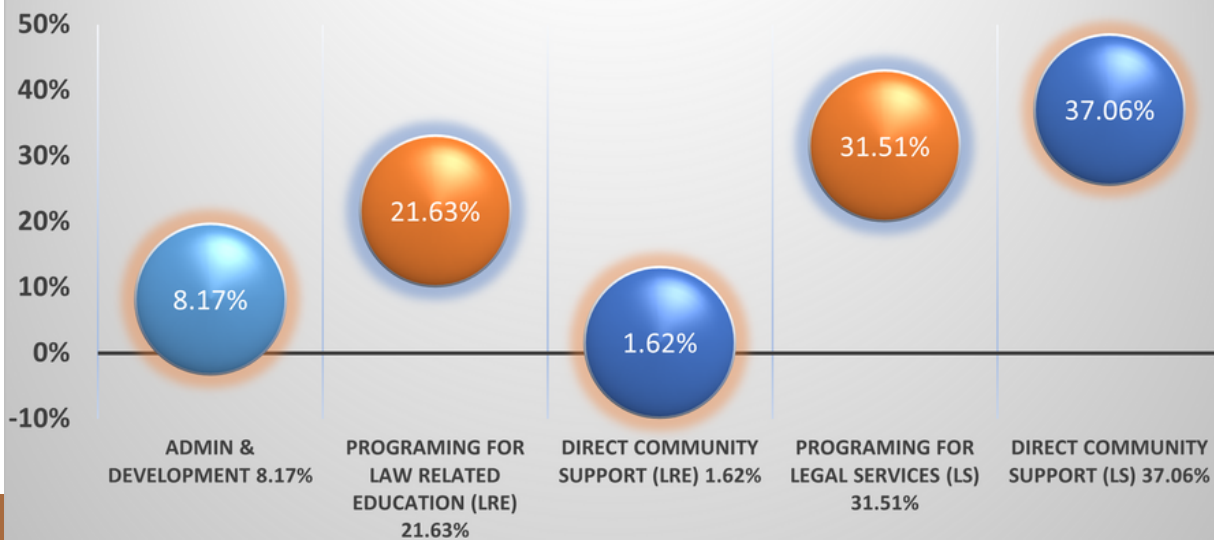
2022 FINANCIALS



INCOME SOURCES: \$5,646,945

- Grant Income: 52.57%
- Contributions (Including pass-through): 12.38%
- IOLTA Income: 27.04%
- PPP Loan Forgiveness: 5.31%
- Fee Income : 2.74%
- Investments, Interest, and Misc . Income: -.04%

2022 Functional Expenditures (\$4,800,465)



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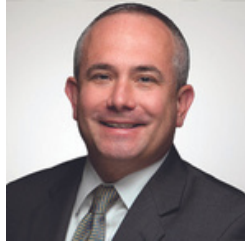
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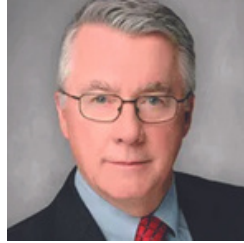
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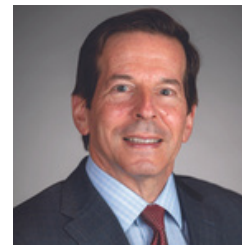
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term ended in 2022:

Damon Ashcraft
Susan Conrad
Hector Figueroa
Tom Giallanza
The late Germán Salazar

2023 STAFF

Our staff have an average tenure of 13 years, with several staff having been here 25 years or more! This not only provides our programs and grantees years of institutional knowledge but also a continuity in service.



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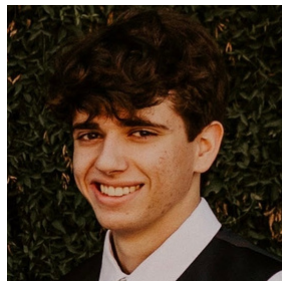
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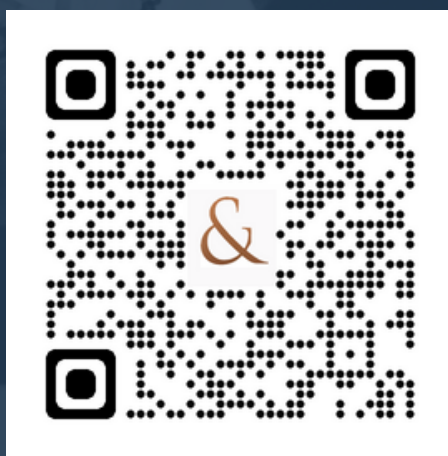


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