



2023
Annual
Report

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Letter From Our CEO

Looking back on 2023, we have much to celebrate at Bloom. With the help of our donors, volunteers, and partners, we served more foster children in 2023 than ever before. We expanded our reach to 136 counties and increased the number of children served by 33%. The unwavering support we received throughout the year inspired us to work harder, continue to expand our programs, and build stronger relationships with our community partners.

Despite the challenges faced in the post-pandemic world, we remain committed to supporting our foster families and providing all foster children with the care they deserve. Unfortunately, we are seeing a growing number of foster children exhibiting challenging behaviors with increased mental health issues. In response to this, Bloom has taken proactive measures to address their evolving needs. We have added meaningful support and training through Bloom University to better equip our foster families with more tools and trauma-sensitive training. Additionally, we have partnered with the Multi-Agency Alliance for Children (MAAC) in order to serve more children with high-end behavioral needs.

As you may know, The Bloom Closet and Bloom Closet Express play a crucial role in helping to eliminate the stigmas often associated with foster care. In 2023, we provided foster children with over \$1.3 million worth of donated items, such as clothing, shoes and toiletries, through 6,800 individualized shopping trips. These items encourage self-worth and confidence in foster children, who often arrive with nothing but the clothes on their backs.

To accommodate future growth, Bloom adopted a 10-year strategy in 2023. As part of this strategy, we plan to announce many new and exciting programs and projects in 2024, including the launch of a satellite location. This will allow us to reach more foster children and make an even greater impact in the years to come.

As we head into 2024, we are more determined than ever to achieve our goal of ensuring that EVERY foster child in Georgia has a bright and better future. We are grateful to those who have been a part of our journey and supported the vital work we do. Stay tuned for more updates on all the exciting things ahead at Bloom.

Sincerely,

Becky Davenport

Becky Davenport
President & CEO

Our Team

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Our Mission

Empowering Georgia's families and communities to transform the lives of children impacted by foster care.

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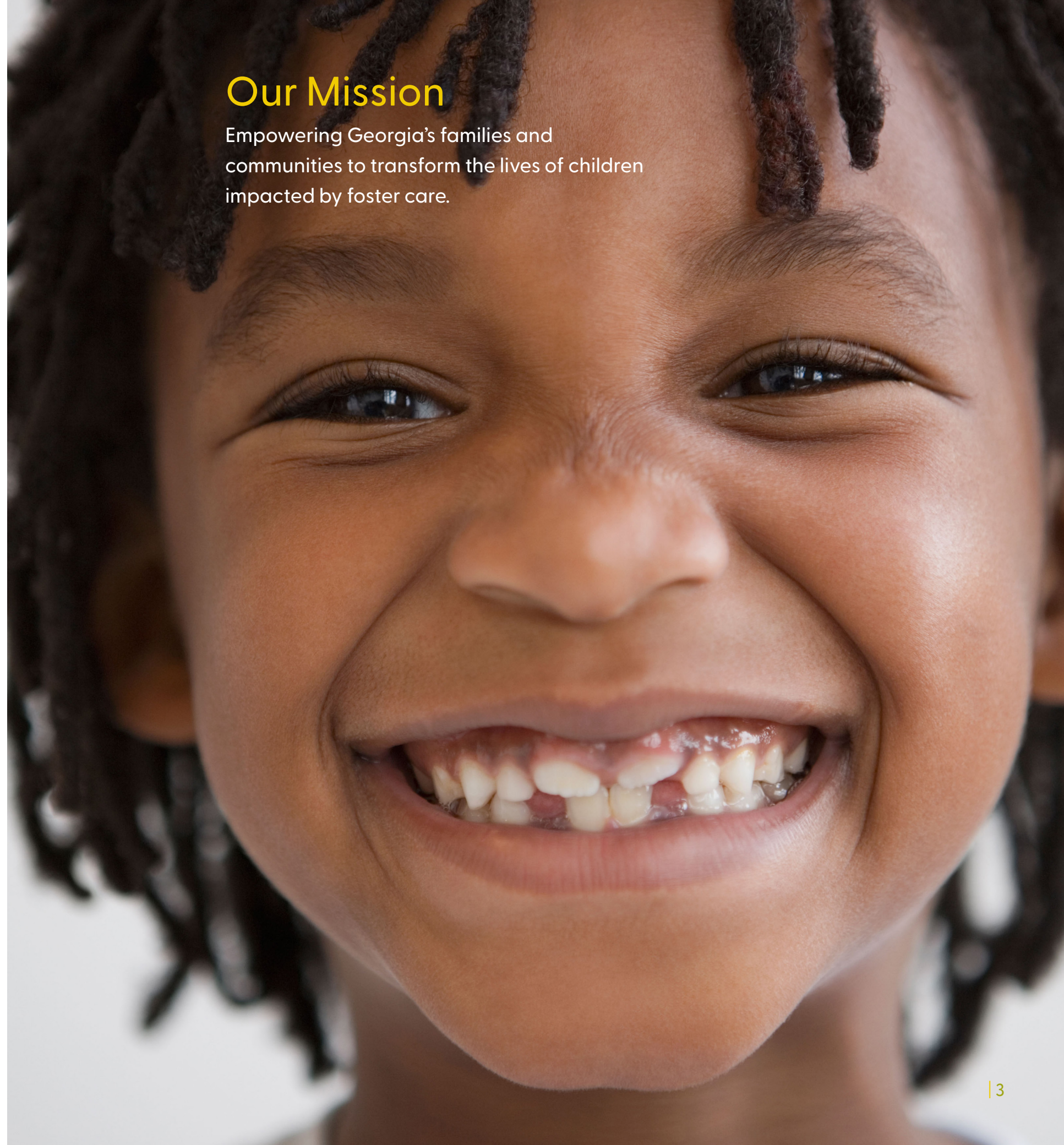
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Our Promise

- Bloom’s vision for the next 10 years is to reach EVERY foster child in the state of Georgia.
- Last year, Bloom provided \$1.3 million in donated items to foster children in need.
- Thanks to our generous donors, foster families, volunteers, and community partners, each year, we get closer to realizing our goal.

Our Impact

23,326
Days of care from
Bloom Foster Families

6,800
Individualized shopping
experiences

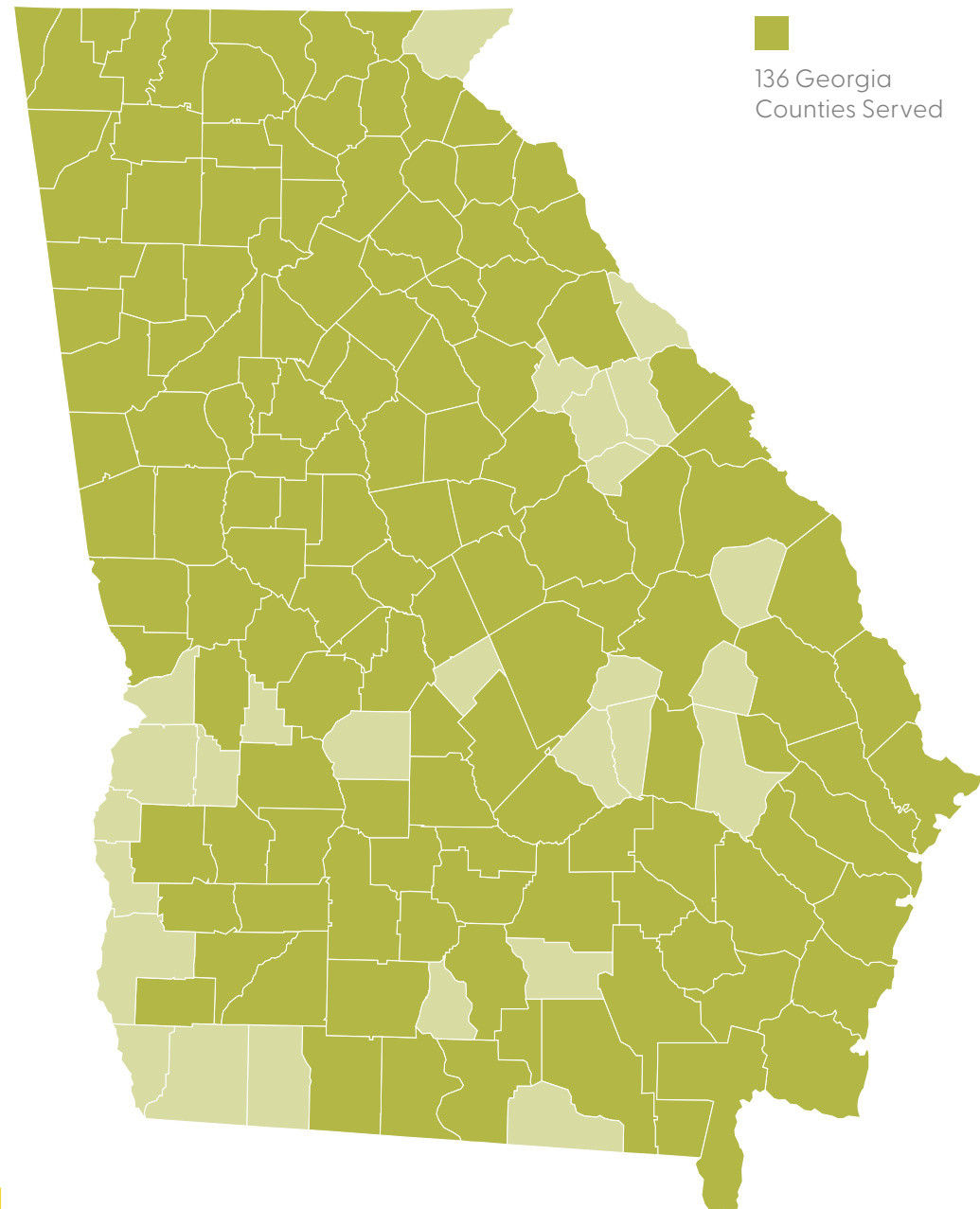
191,757
Items provided,
totaling \$1,308,781

7,064
Volunteer hours



Our Reach

Bloom opened its first group home in August of 1989, and began serving children in Fayette County. Since then, we have significantly expanded and are now able to serve thousands of children across 136 counties in Georgia. This growth demonstrates our ongoing commitment to reach EVERY foster child in the state.



**DID YOU
KNOW?**

Bloom served 86% of
Georgia's counties in 2023



Finding Forever Families

A FOREVER HOME FOR A CHILD WITHOUT A NAME

Bloom is a nonprofit organization that greatly depends on community support and caring individuals to make a difference in the lives of foster children. Every day, the office receives five to ten calls from the Department of Family and Children's Services, seeking foster families who can provide a safe and caring home for children who have experienced abuse and neglect.

Last year, Bloom received a truly heartbreaking call. A 4-week-old baby girl, born prematurely with drugs in her system, was in immediate need of a foster family. She had been born at home and then dropped off at the emergency room. That's the last time the baby saw her mother. At the hospital, the baby went through withdrawal, including enduring multiple seizures as the drugs left her system. The baby had been completely abandoned—and she didn't even have a name.

Thankfully, Bloom stepped in and connected the baby with the Jones family, a seasoned Bloom foster family. With three little boys of their own, the foster parents hoped to add another child to their loving family. The foster mom, Kimberly Jones, was a former RN with the medical training and background necessary to meet the baby's unique medical needs.

“When I first laid eyes on this sweet baby girl, I was taken aback at how tiny and fragile she looked,” said Kimberly Jones, Bloom foster parent. “She was a preemie with multiple health concerns and had spent the first three weeks of her life in the NICU, with nurses on each shift giving her a new name because she didn't have one.”

Because of the baby's size and medical issues, The Bloom Closet knew the Jones family would need extra support. The staff sprang into action and asked supporters to donate everything the family needed, including a crib and car seat, formula, diapers, and preemie-sized clothing. Thanks to the support of the community, volunteers, and donors, Bloom was able to accomplish this in less than 24 hours.

The Jones family had everything they needed to care for her, including support, training, and supplies. They even gave her a brand-new name—Kathryn. Kathryn is now healthy and loved, meeting all developmental milestones, and in the process of being adopted by the Jones family. Bloom has supported Kathryn and the Jones family every step of the way, including additional assistance during hospital visits to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta.

“Fostering a child isn't always easy,” said Jones. “But the joy that comes with it is immeasurable, and we're thankful that Bloom was there to support us through it all. They say it takes a village to raise a child. Well, in the foster care world, Bloom is our village, and we wouldn't have that village without their support.”

After more than 18 months of being in Bloom's care, Kathryn's life is in stark contrast to her first month of life. Instead of being left alone without a family or a name, Kathryn is now surrounded by a family that loves her. The connections made through the work Bloom does make stories like Kathryn's possible. She went from being unwanted and abandoned to soon being adopted by a loving, caring Bloom foster family.

*names changed for privacy

DID YOU KNOW?

Bloom has been able to retain 90% of its licensed foster families.





Building Partnerships



BLOOM PARTNERS WITH MAAC TO BETTER SERVE CHILDREN WITH SEVERE TRAUMA

In 2023, the Bloom Foster Care Program continued to support the State of Georgia’s efforts to align with the Family First and Prevention Services Act. This act aims to ensure that only children who are most in need of out-of-home placements enter the foster care system. The goal is to prevent the unnecessary placement of children in foster care, resulting in fewer children entering the system. However, the children who do enter foster care usually require more support and may remain in foster care for longer periods due to severe trauma. These children can be more challenging to place and are often denied placement acceptance.

Fortunately, the Bloom Foster Care Program has partnered with the Multi-Agency Alliance for Children (MAAC) and, as a result, is better equipped to serve severely traumatized children who require a longer stay. MAAC collaborates with partner agencies like Bloom to help foster youth with high-end behavioral needs and to fill service gaps within the child welfare system. Thanks to the support of MAAC, the Bloom Foster Care team was able to provide 23,326 days of care for these children, with an average length of stay of eight months.

As a contracted MAAC provider, Bloom has been able to serve more children in need of therapeutic care. The foster care therapeutic ratio for Bloom increased from 45% to its current therapeutic placement ratio of 64%. Bloom was able to invest in expanding therapeutic training and in-home parent support through a program called Bloom University. Despite serving a more challenging foster care population in 2023, the Bloom Foster Care Program was able to maintain a placement stability rate of over 90%, continued to earn an A+ rating from the State Office of Provider Management, and was able to provide forever homes to more than 10% of its foster care population through adoption.



Our Bloom foster care program maintains an “A+” rating by the Office of Provider Management for excellence in program delivery.

Providing Training and Support

BLOOM UNIVERSITY HELPS MEET THE NEEDS OF VULNERABLE YOUTH

Over the last decade, professionals nationwide have observed a significant increase in mental health challenges among children and adolescents. In 2021, the U.S. Surgeon General's Office released a national advisory highlighting this growing concern, noting a 40% increase in persistent sadness or hopelessness among students since 2009.

For youth in foster care, these challenges are often compounded by years of complex trauma, leading to an estimated 80% of children in foster care experiencing significant mental health challenges, compared to approximately 18-22% of the general population. These unique challenges demand a targeted and compassionate response from caregivers and professionals. Recognizing this urgent need, Bloom is excited to announce the expansion of Bloom University, a comprehensive training and development program aimed at increasing trauma-informed, evidence-based training to foster families, foster care staff, birth or adoptive families, and community members who work with children and adolescents.

This initiative aims to equip caregivers and professionals with the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively address the complex needs of foster youth, as well as youth in the general population who have experienced trauma or struggle with mental health needs. By integrating trauma-informed and evidence-based practices into their approach, caregivers can create a supportive environment conducive to the healing and growth of these children. Furthermore, enhanced training fosters a deeper understanding of the underlying psychological

challenges faced by youth, enabling caregivers to respond with empathy and resilience.

“Through workshops, seminars, and practical training sessions, we are empowering families to implement best practices and interventions tailored to the individual needs of each child in their care,” said Katie New, EdD, LMSW, RN, Bloom University clinical director. “By fostering a culture of continuous learning and improvement, Bloom University seeks to elevate the standard of care provided to Georgia's foster children, ultimately enhancing their wellbeing and prospects for a brighter future.”

As the demand for trauma-informed care continues to grow, investing in the professional development of foster parents and foster care staff becomes increasingly critical. By prioritizing training and education, Bloom is taking proactive steps to address the evolving needs of vulnerable youth to ensure they receive the support and care they deserve.



85% of foster children in our academic success program showed academic improvement.

DID YOU KNOW?

Bloom volunteers provided 6,872 hours of service to help foster children thrive in 2023.

Keeping Families Together

BLOOM OPENS FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER TO HELP IMPROVE FAMILY OUTCOMES

The opening of the Bloom Family Resource Center is an example of the preventive services Bloom offers to help reduce the need for institutionalized care and keep children with their birth families. This pilot program, which began in October, provides families in distress with a support system to help remove at-risk issues and encourage positive family relationships.

“A child’s well-being and success is often linked to family stability,” said Pamela Talley, director of foster care services. “By providing services and support to these families, we can help them recover from any challenges they may have experienced, regain their stability, and ultimately keep children out of the foster care system.”

The Family Resource Center works with the entire family to develop proactive strategies and provides training and resources, including:

- Triple P Positive Parenting Program, which is an evidence-based parenting support program that empowers families to manage behavioral issues to reduce the risk of child abuse and neglect.
- Clothing, school supplies, books, toys, and more for children ages birth to 16 years of age through the Bloom Closet.
- Training through Bloom University, which is additional evidence-based, trauma-informed instruction that empowers and strengthens families to provide exceptional care for children.
- Personalized linkages for a variety of support, including access to community-based resources.

“The goal of the Family Resource Center is to provide families with additional support when they may need it most,” said Denise Johnson, program manager. “This program is designed to be preventative, meaning it helps families in distress before neglect or abuse takes place in the home and ensures children experience less trauma.”

Bloom received a \$200,000 grant from the Georgia Department of Human Services Prevention and Community Support Division to implement the Family Resource Center Program. It serves as a point of entry for families to obtain direct services and resources in a manner that is strength-based, family-centered, and responsive to the community’s needs.

Program services are on a referral basis only for families residing in Fayette and Spalding counties. For more information on the Family Resource Center, contact Program Manager Denise Johnson at 770-460-6652, ext. 306, or d.johnson@bloomouryouth.org.



Expanding Access

THE BLOOM CLOSET EXPRESS EXPANDS ITS REACH ACROSS GEORGIA

The Bloom Closet Express has been busy this past year, delivering free clothing, shoes, and more to foster children across Georgia. From Brunswick in the southern part of the state, all the way up north to Rome, the program has expanded Bloom's reach to 136 counties in Georgia. Many foster children in Georgia face obstacles that make it difficult to access Bloom's brick-and-mortar store, The Bloom Closet, but The Bloom Closet Express is helping to overcome these challenges. The traveling counterpart to The Bloom Closet enables foster children and families throughout Georgia to receive essential items, regardless of their location.

“Although The Bloom Closet is located in Fayette County, the majority of foster children served through the program reside outside the area,” said Gina Licwinko, director of operations for The Bloom Closet. “The Bloom Closet Express enables us to break down geographic barriers faced by foster youth and families and improve the well-being of all foster children in Georgia.”

Countless times, foster children who arrive at Bloom have nothing but the clothes on their backs, so it's crucial to be able to ensure these children have the items they need to set them up for success and encourage self-worth. The Bloom Closet Express has allowed Bloom to reach foster children in need in under served areas.

For the first time ever, in November 2023, The Bloom Closet Express was able to serve foster children in Brunswick. The mobile boutique traveled to Glynn County to visit two group homes: Safe Harbor Children's Center and Morningstar. Over 50 children visited The Bloom Closet Express and received a week's worth of clothing, shoes, socks and underwear, toiletries, backpacks, toys, and school supplies.

The goal of The Bloom Closet Express is to continue to increase the number of areas and foster children served each year by partnering with organizations that can benefit from extra support such as group homes in under served areas of the state. Inventory for The Bloom Closet Express is made possible by generous in-kind and monetary donations.

For more information on how to support The Bloom Closet Express, contact Matison McDaniel at 770-460-6652, ext. 128, or m.mcdaniel@bloomouryouth.org.



The Bloom Closet Express served 2,080 children in 2023 - a 68% increase from 2022

Volunteer Spotlight



Tim Fosnough, Bloom Volunteer

“I volunteer because I want to help meet the needs of children who may feel marginalized or less visible. I want them to know that they possess equal value and worth in this life. I'm always amazed that when we make these trips, the majority of all the children we serve are so incredibly grateful for the things we provide for them. That makes it all worthwhile, and I know that I'm helping to make a difference.”

Tim Fosnough has been a valuable member of the Bloom volunteer team and has served on the Bloom Board of Directors since 2016. When he retired from his Senior Director position at UPS in 2023, he decided to spend his retirement driving The Bloom Express across Georgia to ensure that foster children receive the clothing and other essentials they need.

Tim's dedication and advocacy for Bloom have made a significant impact in furthering our efforts, and we are incredibly grateful for his genuine passion for Bloom.



Karen Edkins, Bloom Volunteer

“I wasn't sure what to do after retiring from teaching, but I knew that I wanted to continue to do something meaningful to help others. I am so grateful that I discovered Bloom and the volunteer opportunities available to make a difference in the lives of foster children. The staff at Bloom is always welcoming, and they make me feel appreciated and very much a part of their team. It is incredibly fulfilling to be a small part of such a tremendously impactful organization.”

Bloom would like to recognize Karen Edkins for her outstanding contributions as a volunteer. Karen has generously given more than 150 hours of her time in 2023. Her loving energy has made a remarkable impact at Bloom, and we are honored to have her as part of our team.

Our Transparency



At Bloom, we understand that financial transparency is crucial to maintaining the trust of our community of supporters. That's why we are proud to have achieved the Platinum Seal of Transparency Rating on Candid (formerly Guidestar), which is the world's largest source of information on nonprofit organizations. This rating puts Bloom in the top 0.1% of charities nationally in terms of transparency.

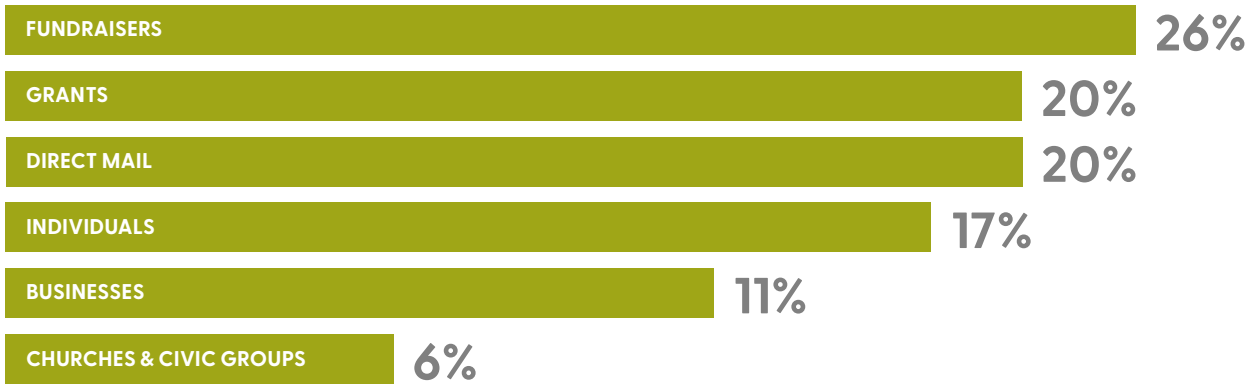
This accomplishment reflects our unwavering commitment to sharing open and honest information with the public about our goals and impact. Our donors can be assured that their contributions are being used in the

most effective and efficient manner and can support our work with trust and confidence. To view Bloom's profile on Candid, visit www.guidestar.org/profile/58-1740987.

In addition to receiving the Platinum Seal of Transparency, Bloom is also nationally accredited by the Council on Accreditation. This designation assures our donors, foster parents, and supporters that they can trust the quality of our work and our commitment to excellence. Bloom received this accreditation in early 2021 and is in the process of renewing it for 2025. Although the accreditation is an 18-month rigorous process, we are eager to take the extra steps needed to ensure our donors can be confident that their funds are put to good use. We are honored to have received this recognition and remain committed to being accountable and transparent to our community of supporters.

How Your Generosity Fuels Growth

DONATION SOURCES FOR FY 2022-2023



FOSTER CHILDREN SHOPPING VISTS OVER THE PAST 5 YEARS



With Gratitude

2023 was a record-setting year for Bloom, thanks to the generosity and kindness of our community of supporters. Thank you to all the Bloom advocates who helped us advance our mission and serve more foster children than ever before!

\$30,000+

Reservation Services Group, LLC
Deena Seckinger
SMC3
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Communication Cabling Specialist, Inc.

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\$20,000 - \$29,999

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New Family Foundation
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Quality Technology Services
Southern Woman
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Turning Point Church

Harbin Agency
Mike Iverson
Jockey Being Family Foundation
John & Mary Franklin Foundation
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Thomas Lamb
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Piedmont Healthcare
Charles & Christina Pruitt
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Chris & Cindy Tanner
Gregory & Denese Tibbetts
Ticket to Dream Foundation
Truffles Vein Center
John & Angela Tucker
Mike & Jacquie Tyre
John & Bethany Vickery

\$5,000 - \$9,999

All Starr Pediatrics
Atkins Ford Dodge Jeep Chrysler Ram

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Peachtree OMFS, LLC
Resurgens Orthopedics
Joseph & Angie Rheaves
Rotary Club of Peachtree City
Nicole Sanchez
Chris & Colleen Sugar
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The Law Offices of Lee Mason, LLC
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\$1,000 - \$2,499

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Quentin & Heather Misenheimer
Thippeswamy & Geetha Murthy
Ron & Katie New
Carina Orraca-Dunn
Rod & Melinda Owen
Laurielynn Parrotte
Isaac Payne
Peachtree City Tennis Center
Peachtree Fayette Women's Specialist, LLC
David & Maggie Reenstra
David Salsberry
Sanford Law Firm
Brent & Tina Scarbrough
Nichole Shaw
Southern Crescent Women's Healthcare, PC
Starbucks Foundation
Neighborhood
Randall & Shannon Stewart
Dan Stilwell
Sarah Stone
The Nest School
The Rock Baptist Church
Dr. David Tian
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Sarah Brantley
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Lauryn Burkhalter
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The Casey Family
Edwin & Nancy Connerat
Coweta Community
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Nora Dougherty-Zee
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Susanne Silber
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Volleyball Club
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Patrick & Laura Stough

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\$250 - \$499

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AmazonSmile Foundation
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William Anderson
Jill Babb
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Caan Bradford
Maria Brodzik
Greg & Gretel Brown
John & Kelly Buckles
Rachel Burdette
Betty Burgess
Matasha Burr
Melanie Capps
& Dennis Chase
Tammy Coll
Matthew Copp
Steven & Ruth Craven
Britton Crigler
Wendy Darling
Cynthia Davidson
Sophia & Madison Dawber
Erin Devane
Dan & Brenda Dudley
Amalie Dunn
Eaton
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Laine Futral
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- Contact Volunteer Coordinator Brittany Anderson to schedule a time to volunteer at Bloom, 770-460-6652, ext. 307, or b.anderson@bloomouryouth.org.



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