



Back to School Bash Serves 400+ Community Members

This year, we were thrilled to bring back our annual Back to School Bash, which turned out to be a HUGE hit! Throughout the come-and-go event, we handed out 200+ backpacks and school supplies, 9 stylists offered free haircuts and several local businesses, nonprofits and other organizations set up resource booths with information and giveaways. Families were also able to enjoy free food, drinks, games, face painting, a bounce house and music from DJ Joe Dayz with Millennial Productions. In total, we served more than 400 people and distributed 628 diapers from the CCFI Baby Pantry and 1,020 feminine hygiene products, thanks to Period OKC.





Please help us give our amazing community partners a well-deserved thank you:

- Abbott House
- Bethesda, Inc.
- Boy Scouts of America
- Buffalo Wild Wings (Norman)
- Cleveland County Health Department
- Community Afterschool Program (CASP)
- Hitachi Computer Products (Norman)
- iCode Norman
- Loveworks Leadership
- Mathnasium of Norman
- Neighborhood Alliance of Central Oklahoma (NACOK)
- Norman Pediatric Dentistry
- Oklahoma Family Network
- Oklahoma Parents Center
- Oklahoma Regional Food Bank
- Paul Mitchell The School (Norman)
- Period OKC
- Pioneer Library System
- Shipley's Donuts
- Sooner SUCCESS
- Stellar Pediatric Urgent Care
- The City of Norman

- TheraFUN
- Together We Will

We look forward to continuing this tradition each school year to help empower local families and connect them with valuable community resources.

Corporate Sponsorship Opportunities Available for 2024

Corporate partnerships remain vital to the continued success of our agency and can help transform countless lives throughout our community. To help ensure every child is safe, nurtured and loved, ***join our mission by becoming a corporate sponsor for the 2024 calendar year!***

View our sponsorship levels and corporate benefits by clicking the link below.



[BECOME A SPONSOR](#)

Boys & Girls Club Seeking Volunteers

Looking for a fun and enriching volunteer experience that's sure to leave an impact on your heart AND in the community? Boys & Girls Club of Norman has several volunteer roles to fill for this school year! Click the link below to learn more or apply.

[BECOME A VOLUNTEER](#)



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

JOIN OUR TEAM!

- Build safe & positive relationships with youth
- Provide individualized tutoring & homework support
- Assist with other program areas as needed
- Required commitment: 1 day/week (minimum)
- Flexible scheduling Monday - Friday, 2:30 - 7:00 p.m.



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Save the Date: National Diaper Need Awareness Week

Did you know that *one in three* U.S. families struggles to provide enough diapers to keep their little ones clean, dry and healthy? At CCFI, we seek to end diaper need by offering families diapers, baby wipes and other essentials completely FREE of charge, no questions asked.

To help highlight this need and ensure the CCFI Baby Pantry is fully stocked, we will be hosting an online resource drive in honor of **National Diaper Need Awareness Week!** This national awareness campaign runs from **September 18th through the 24th** and was established to provide individuals, organizations and communities the opportunity to engage in real talk and simple actions around diaper need.

***Our online wish list is up and running,
so get a head start and begin shopping online today!***

SHOP ONLINE WISH LIST



Host a Resource Drive

We invite you to get involved and become part of this growing movement by **hosting your own in-person or online resource drive!** To get started, click the link below to download our virtual diaper drive kit or contact Bri Ingalls at bingalls@ccfinorman.org. Together, we can help end diaper need in Norman!

DIAPER DRIVE KIT

Join Our FREE Lunch & Learn Series

Mark your calendar and join us for our FREE educational lunch & learn series! Explore a diverse range of topics, earn free CEUs and get to know other therapists in your community.



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Drinks and light snacks will be provided, and all classes are offered on a first come, first served basis. The topics of discussion include:

- September 22nd – *Sand Tray Therapy*
- October 20th – *Infant Mental Health*
- November 10th – *Working with Child Welfare Involved Clients*
- December 15th – *Autism & Sensory Processing Disorder*

REGISTER TODAY

Community Partner Spotlight: Chuck E. Cheese

Chuck E. Cheese has been a longstanding partner of CCFI, and specifically Boys & Girls Club of Norman, for the past several years. Through their support, they have truly lived up to their mission to create positive, lifelong memories for families through fun, food, and play. Shaun Mendez, CEC Senior General Manager and CCFI board member, has been a wonderful friend of the agency and has worked tirelessly to deepen this relationship.

Chuck E. Cheese has provided special pizza deliveries to our Club throughout the year while also hosting multiple fundraisers on our behalf. As an extra special end of summer treat this year, Shaun and the Norman location set up an exclusive event for 7 of our Club members! During this afternoon, they enjoyed 1 hour of play, pizza and drinks.



To learn more about Chuck E. Cheese, [visit their website](#).

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Job Openings & Work Study Opportunities

Looking for a new career or maybe a part-time job? We've got you covered! Discover our part-time, full-time and work study job openings by clicking the link below.

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Upcoming BabyMobile Schedule

The BabyMobile - from [Infant Crisis Services](#) - will be hosting drive through events at CCFI (10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.) to bring FREE essential baby items to the Norman community. Upcoming dates include:

- Monday, September 25th
- Monday, October 30th
- Monday, November 27th



Remember, no appointment is needed and services are offered while supplies last. To learn more about the BabyMobile guidelines and resources, [CLICK HERE](#).

Round UP with Walmart!

Did you know that every time you shop on Walmart.com, you can **round up your change and donate it to CCFI**? Simply click the button below, log into your Walmart account and select the “make this my preferred charity” button. Once you're finished, you'll receive a verified green check mark and all round ups will automatically be applied to our agency!



GET STARTED

The next time you plan a grocery pick up or place an online order, consider making CCFI your nonprofit of choice!



CCFI's program-specific wish lists include items that directly benefit the children and families we serve. These in-kind donations are greatly appreciated, as they help offset program costs. Click the link below to view our current needs!

IN-KIND WISH LISTS

THANK YOU
to our recent in-kind donors!

Alecia Nelson, Alpha Omega Pest Control, Inc., David Imy, David Jones, Eric Noreen, Joie Richardson, Lee Bond, Morgan Nix, Network Technology Solutions, Inc., Norman Area Quilters' Guild (NAQG), Norman Coalition for Refugee Support, Patrick Crowe, Sarah Roesel and the West Wind Unitarian Universalist Congregation.

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