LIFE STORIES
child & family advocacy

2027 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



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BUILDING SAFER FUTURES
for Children in Weld County



Life Stories provides trauma-informed services to children and families impacted by abuse, bringing together law enforcement, child protection, medical professionals, prosecutors, and mental health providers under one coordinated response.

Our mission is to empower children to share their stories through compassionate advocacy, healing services, and prevention education. Our vision is a community where every child's story matters, and every child thrives.

WHAT YOUR PARTNERSHIP MAKES POSSIBLE

Coordinated Response

We coordinate a trauma-informed, multidisciplinary team of law enforcement, human services, medical and mental health professionals, victim advocates, the District Attorney's Office, and other community partners.

Forensic Interviews

An unbiased, fact-finding conversation between a child and a trained forensic interviewer who asks questions about the alleged abuse the child endured in a safe, child-first environment.

Family Advocacy

Our trained family advocates provide crisis support, connect children and nonoffending caregivers to resources, and guide families through every step of the process.

CASA Advocacy

A trained CASA volunteer is appointed by the court to advocate for a child's best interests, providing a consistent, caring adult throughout their case.

OUR PROGRAMS



Child Advocacy Center

The **Child Advocacy Center** (CAC) is a safe, welcoming place for children and teens who may have experienced abuse or witnessed violence. At the CAC, young people can share their stories with specially trained interviewers in a supportive environment. Families also receive guidance and resources to help them begin the healing process.

In fiscal year 2025-26, the CAC has served:

331 Children 385 Non-Offending Caregivers



Court Appointed Special Advocate

The **Court Appointed Special Advocates** (CASA) Program trains, supervises, and empowers community volunteers to advocate for abused, neglected, or abandoned children. At the request of judges, these dedicated volunteers serve as crucial voices for vulnerable youth in the court system.

In fiscal year 2025-26, the CASA program advocated for:

248 Children through 97 Community Volunteers



Darkness to Light: Stewards of Children

The **Darkness to Light** Program is a two-hour training that can be given to any community member but is geared toward individuals who work directly with children (teachers, nurses, church staff, etc.). Trainees will learn how to make good choices about protecting children and how to respond appropriately to child abuse suspicions, allegations, and investigations.

FILLING A CRITICAL NEED

As the **only agency in Weld County offering child advocacy and prevention education,** we work closely with law enforcement, human services, medical and mental health providers, and volunteers to protect children and support families.

OUR PARTNERS

Protecting children takes a community. **We coordinate a network of 52 Multidisciplinary Team (MDT) partners** to ensure children and families receive they need.

Child Protective Services

- Weld County Department of Human Services

Prosecution

- Weld County District Attorney's Office

Local Law Enforcement

- Ault Police Department
- Dacono Police Department
- Eaton Police Department
- Evans Police Department
- Firestone Police Department
- Fort Lupton Police Department
- Frederick Police Department
- Garden City Police Department
- Greeley Police Department
- Hudson Police Department
- Johnstown Police Department
- Keenesburg Police Department
- Kersey Police Department
- LaSalle Police Department
- Lochbuie Police Department
- Mead Police Department
- Milliken Police Department
- Nunn Police Department
- Platteville Police Department
- Severance Police Department
- Weld County Sheriff's Office
- Windsor Police Department

Medical

- Banner Health
- UC Health

Mental Health

- ChildSafe
- Life Stance
- North Range Behavioral Health
- Polaris Partners Counseling & Consulting
- Sexual Assault Victim Advocate Center (SAVA)

Victim Services

- Carbon Valley & Mead Victim Services
- Erie Police Department Victim Services
- Greeley Office for Victim Services
- Law Enforcement Victim Advocates
- Sexual Assault Victim Advocate Center (SAVA)
- Weld County District Attorney's Office
  - Victim Witness Advocates
- Weld County Sheriff's Office Victim Services

Juvenile Justice

- Colorado Youth Detention Continuum

Community Organizations

- A Courageous Rose
- Justice Now
- North East Colorado Coalition Against Trafficking
- Ten 24 Ministries

Outside Agencies

- Burlington Police Department
- Fort Morgan Police Department
- Fort Morgan District Attorney's Office
- Kit Carson County Sheriff's Office
- Logan County Sheriff's Office
- Longmont Police Department
- Yuma County Sheriff's Office

State Law Enforcement

- Colorado State Patrol

Federal Law Enforcement

- Federal Bureau of Investigation
- Homeland Security Investigations

OUR ROLE GOES BEYOND COORDINATION.

In FY 2025/26, our team trained

729 MDT PARTNERS

on how to respond appropriately and effectively to situations involving child abuse, domestic violence, and human trafficking.

EVERY SERVICE IS PROVIDED FREE OF CHARGE TO THE CHILDREN AND FAMIIES WE SERVE

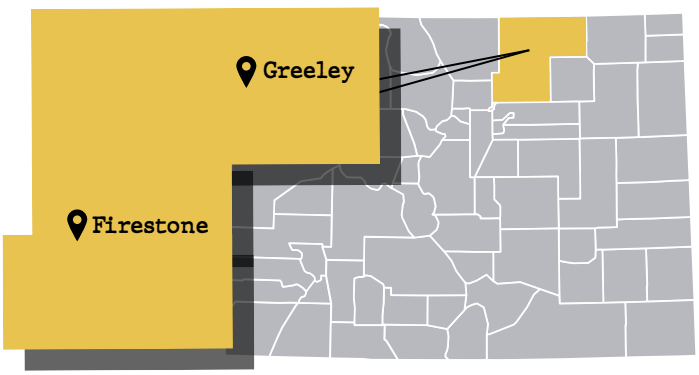
WHERE WE'RE LOCATED

Greeley
1640 25th Avenue



Carbon Valley (Firestone)
8310 Colorado Boulevard (by apt only)





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BE A PART OF THE GUARDIAN CIRCLE



ONE COMMITMENT,

THREE SIGNATURE EVENTS,

A YEAR OF IMPACT.

Every year, business across our community choose to stand alongside Life Stories in **protecting children, strengthening families, and creating a safer community.**

The Guardian Circle turns that support into a year-round partnership. Instead of sponsoring one event at a time, you make one annual commitment that connects your business to Life Stories throughout the year.

YOUR GUARDIAN CIRCLE PARTNERSHIP COMES TO LIFE THROUGHOUT THE YEAR THROUGH THREE SIGNATURE COMMUNITY EVENTS:



ANNUAL GALA

Fri, April 16, 2027 | 5:30pm | Island Grove

A signature evening bringing together community leaders, donors, and supporters to celebrate the mission and invest in the work ahead

Projected Attendance: 500



SUPERHERO RUN

Sat, Sept 18, 2027 | 8:30am | Family FunPlex

A high-energy community event that brings families, businesses, and nearly 1,000 participants, volunteers, and vendors together in support of children and families

Projected Attendance: 1,000



CARBON VALLEY BREAKFAST

Oct, 2027 | Time & Location TBD

An opportunity to build relationships with business and community leaders while expanding awareness and support for Life Stories in Carbon Valley

Projected Attendance: 150

CHOOSE THE PARTNERSHIP THAT FITS YOUR BUSINESS:

$15K PRESENTING GUARDIAN

For businesses that want to make a meaningful annual commitment while connecting their brand to the Life Stories mission throughout the year

$7,500+ ASSOCIATE GUARDIAN

For businesses ready to build a strong, visible partnership with Life Stories across all three signature events

$5,000+ AMBASSADOR GUARDIAN

For businesses looking to make a significant year-round investment and receive premier recognition and engagement opportunities throughout the year.

CREATE YOUR OWN CUSTOM FLEX OPTION

Not every business partnership looks the same. **Build your own three-event commitment** by choosing sponsorship levels that fit your goals and budget.

MORE THAN JUST A LOGO

Guardian Circle partners have opportunities to bring the partnership into their workplace and community through:

Mission Connection

Learn more about the work your partnership makes possible through private impact briefings, tours, and staff presentations

Business Storytelling

Share your partnership and connection to the Life Stories mission through select business features, social media, and other communications

Year-Round Recognition

Your business is recognized as a pillar of Life Stories throughout the year, not just at a single event

Employee Engagement

Create meaningful opportunities for your team through education, approved service projects, giving campaigns, and event participation



JOIN THE 2027 GUARDIAN CIRCLE

and put your business at the heart of a stronger, safer community.

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PARTNERSHIP LEVELS & BENEFITS

ONE COMMITMENT.

THREE SIGNATURE EVENTS.

A YEAR OF IMPACT.

By joining the 2027 Guardian Circle, **your business becomes part of** a year-round commitment that **supports children & families, strengthens our community, and creates lasting change**. Choose the level that fits your goals, or create your own with a custom three-event commitment.



EVENT RECOGNITION & BRAND VISIBILITY	$25,000 TITLE	$15,000+ PRESENTING	$7,500+ ASSOCIATE	$5K AMBASSADOR	FLEX OPTION
Logo recognition at Annual Gala, Superhero Run, and CV Breakfast (placement determined by level and event format)	Brand Integration	Premier	Prominent	Standard	Custom
Logo on dedicated Guardian Circle Webpage	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Logo recognition in event emails and social media shoutouts	☑	☑	☑	☑	Custom
Logo recognition in permanent footer in all emails throughout the year	☑	☑	☑	☐	☐
Logo recognition in all Quarterly Impact/Annual Report	Premier	Featured	Included	Included	Included
ENHANCED ENGAGEMENT & PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES					
Dedicated business spotlight to email database (3,100+ contacts)	2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dedicated business spotlight on social media	4	3	2	1	Custom
Business Video/Partnership Feature Opportunity	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Private Impact Briefing with Leadership	☑	☑	☑	☐	Custom
Logo recognition in all Quarterly Impact/Annual Report	Premier	Featured	Included	Included	Included
EMPLOYEE & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT					
Employee education/engagement opportunity	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Approved employee service opportunities	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Community Awareness/Fundraising Participation	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
EVENT REGISTRATIONS					
Gala Tickets/Table of 10	2 Tables	1 Table	1 Table	6 Tickets	Custom
Carbon Valley Breakfast Tickets/Table of 8	2 Tables	1 Table	1 Table	6 Tickets	Custom
Superhero Run Registrations	20	10	8	4	Custom



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