

## **Annual Report 2021**

October 1, 2020 - September 30, 2021





One Heartland successfully operated camp during the summer of 2021, filling our sessions to 65% occupancy as directed by the MN Department of Health. We were beyond excited to welcome young people back to the camp community, filled with songs, nature, trying new things, swimming, high ropes course, and friendships! Through careful management we were able to provide safe and fun experiences for young people and are happy to announce that no campers tested positive for Covid the entire summer

We continue to feel the effects of the pandemic with decreases in rental groups and lower than normal staffing levels. We are hopeful that as we move forward the effects of the pandemic will become more manageable.

Our Camp True Colors program grew by over 200% from the summer of 2019 and we expect to see similar growth for the summer of 2022. The need for safe and welcoming programs for LGBTQ+ youth continues to grow, and One Heartland is committed to being here for those young people.

Thank you for continuing to support One Heartland.

Best,

Patrick

# A CAMP EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME...

for kids who need it most.





One Heartland's mission is to improve the lives of children, youth, and families facing significant health challenges or social isolation. To do this, we welcome you who are:

- in the LGBTQ+ community
- living with or affected by HIV/AIDS
- experiencing homelessness

All of our participants are 7-20 years old. Around 45% request financial aid to attend camp. Around 35% are youth of color. 54% of our campers are from Minnesota, with most of those coming from the Twin Cities metro area. The rest travel from other states to attend.

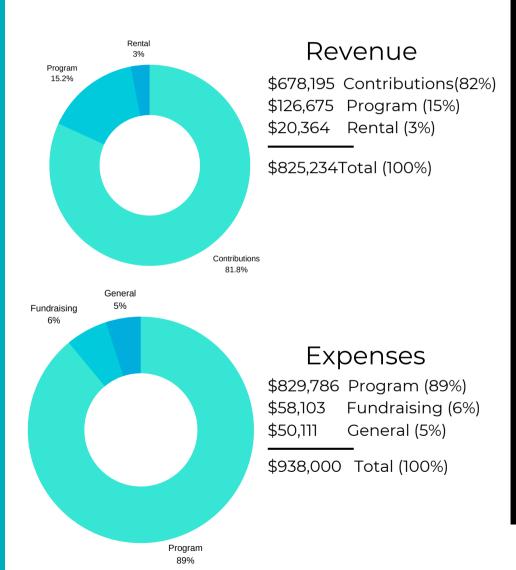


**Camp True Colors** for LGBTQ+ youth is now our fastest growing program. We added a second session in 2018 and a third in 2019. In 2021, we added a 2-week session for youth as well as 2 sessions for families.

**Camp Heartland**, our flagship program, began in 1993 to give youth living with HIV the summer adventure of a lifetime. This program continues to adapt to the changing landscape of HIV/AIDS.

**Camp Northstar** is a respite for children experiencing homelessness or housing instability.





#### **Assets**

\$69,946 Total current assets \$26,101 Total other assets \$1,272,792 Net property and equipment

\$1,368,839 TOTAL ASSETS

### Liabilities

\$482,069 Total current liabilities \$547,607 Long-term liabilities

\$1,029,676 TOTAL LIABILITIES

#### **Net Assets**

\$339,163 Unrestricted net assets \$0 Temporarily restricted net assets

\$339,163 TOTAL NET ASSETS

\$1,368,839 TOTAL LIABILITIES
AND NET ASSETS



**Camp True Colors**For youth identifying as LGBTQ+

**Camp Northstar** 

For youth experiencing housing instability

For LGBTQ+ families

**Camp Heartland** 

For youth living with or affected by HIV/AIDS



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