



YORK COUNTY CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER

March/April 2022 CAC Newsletter

SAVE THE DATE

The CAC will be kicking off Child Abuse Prevention and Awareness Month on **April 5th, 2022** at Cherry Lane, Downtown York

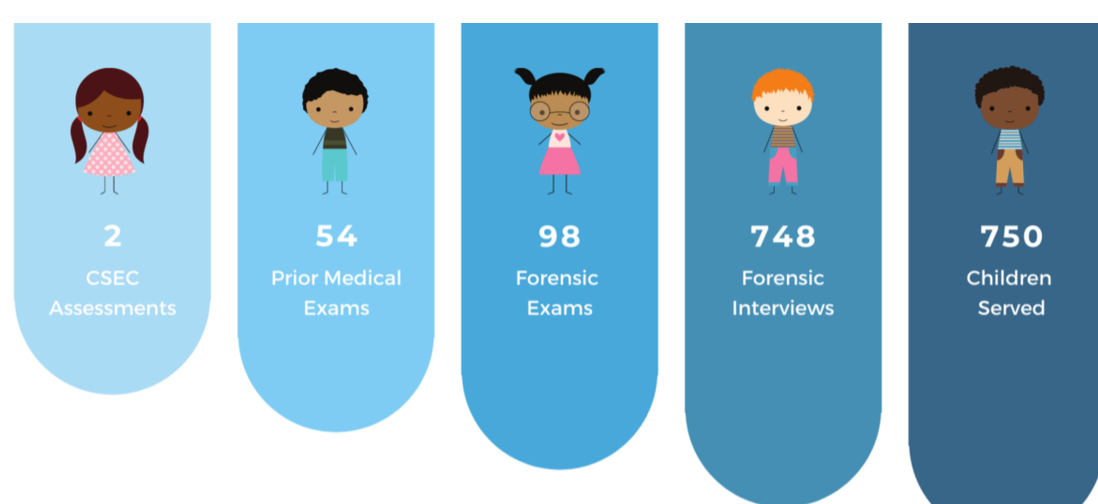
We will be hosting the Honor Their Voice campaign again this year, which includes reading the "names", ie. Jane Doe/John Doe, of every child served at the CAC in the prior year. If you are interested in being a reader at the event please contact Deb Harrison (dharrison@yorkcac.org)

HONOR THEIR VOICE. honor their name. honor their courage.



2021 SERVICES

The CAC provided services to 750 children and their caregivers. Services such as forensic interviews, support, referrals to other services such as mental health and other needs, on-site medical exams, and a collaborative team case review are all provided with the goal of reducing trauma, assisting families in navigating the process, and increasing positive outcomes.



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2021 SERVICES

Welcome Kate!

We are so excited to have Kate Anderson join the CAC as our new Client Services Coordinator. Kate greets families and team members when they arrive at the CAC for interviews, she provides waiting room support, and is involved in numerous activities as part of her administrative duties. She is vital to the day to day operations at our center.



More about Kate:

Kate graduated from Ohio University with a degree in Child and Family Studies. Kate has prior experience working with survivors of sexual assault, the unhoused, as well as interning at a child advocacy center during her senior year of college.

Look Who's Been Working Their Tail Off!



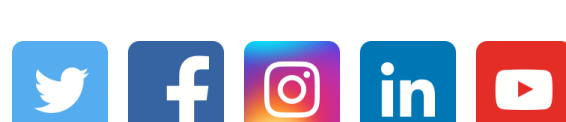
Gabrielle Acker, CAC Forensic Interviewer

Gabrielle has worked at the CAC for a little over a year. In that time she has developed her skills as a forensic interviewer, as well as contributing to the CAC's social media and marketing. She is the usually unseen face behind many of our agency Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and LinkedIn Posts.

More about Gabrielle:

- Where are you from?** Small town of Huntingdon, PA (aka Raystown Lake area)
- What would someone be surprised to know about you?** I once got into a car accident with a bear. In my defense, it was the bear's fault; it came running out of nowhere and hit ME while I was driving.
- What is your favorite snack?** Chips, salsa, & guac
- How long have you worked in child welfare?** On and off since 2011
- What do you like most about working with the team in these cases?** I appreciate the passion team members bring to these cases, and I like how each member can collaborate to the team by contributing their diverse knowledge base, skill set, and perspective as we all work together toward a common goal.

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