

MISSION

"Strengthening
Communities by Building
Strong Families"

YOUTH SHELTER

*Short-term residential care
for youth in crisis*

Interface Youth Program

Truancy Services

Safe Place

COUNSELING

*Services for troubled youth and
people with substance abuse
and mental health issues*

Anti Drug Initiative (ADI)

Children's Outpatient
Substance Abuse Program

Drug & Alcohol Program (DAP)

DUI Program

Drug Free Community Support
Program

Family Action

Federal Pre-Trial & Probation
Program - Alachua County

Temporary Assistance for
Needy Families

Treatment Alternatives for Safe
Communities

PREVENTION

*Educating the community,
focusing on substance abuse,
and reducing juvenile crime with
a focus on high-risk youth*

Alpha & Beta

Drug Free Events

Independent Living

Project Turnaround

Reichert House

Spotlight on Youth

Youth Talk

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Dear Supporter,

When kids come to our **Interface Youth Shelters**, they have been through experiences that would traumatize most of us. Imagine being 16 or as young as ten years old without a stable, secure, and loving home. Imagine being a youngster defending yourself from an abuser or wondering how you'll get your next meal. Youth end up in our shelters because they are homeless, runaway, truant, and/or not getting along with their parents or caregivers. These kids may be your neighbors' children, your friends' children, or possibly your family relations. ***And they have nowhere else to go in North Central Florida!***

Fortunately, CDS offers a place for young people and their families to get help. Interface Youth Shelters offer counseling and referral services, along with a bed, food, clothing, transportation, and safety to those who need it at no charge. ***932 youth and families were served by our three shelters last year***, with 64% of those youth utilizing our residential facilities. This work is made possible in part due to the support of local businesses and individuals in our service area of eleven counties.

Spotlight on Youth is the CDS Family & Behavioral Health Services signature event. On March 6, 2010, we will be partnering with and showcasing many of our areas high school students excelling in the arts by presenting our 11th annual talent show. CDS depends on the funds raised from this event to support Interface and other programs that help improve the quality of life for our participants and help our communities stay safe. Please join these young people who will be performing for you by getting involved as well.

You are being asked to support the essential work of CDS in several ways:

- **Sponsorship** (corporate and individual contributions)
- **Silent auction** (donate and purchase)
- **Refreshments** (for auditions, rehearsal, and reception)
- **Volunteer** (time philanthropy)

Monetary contributions or in-kind donations are both desperately needed. Supporters will be recognized through advertisements in our program book and other ways detailed on the attached sponsorship form. But the real recognition will be the knowledge that you have made a difference in the life of a troubled youth.

Please fill out your pledge form today! And **Thank You** for your continued support!

Sincerely,

Jim Pearce
Chief Executive Officer

Wayland Clifton
Chair, Spotlight on Youth Committee



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Sponsorship Levels

Benefits of Sponsorship	Premium Supporter \$10,000+	Patron \$5,000+	Producer \$3,000+	Director \$1,500+	Performer \$750+	Donor \$300+	Friend < \$300
Complimentary admission to performance and reception	36	24	16	12	8	4	2
Ad in the Program Book	One page	One page	One page	One-quarter page	Business card ad	Listing	Listing
Recognition on Sponsor Board at event	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Banner hanging rights in theatre	✓	✓	✓				
Included in all print ads	✓	✓	✓				
Included in all radio ads and TV ads	✓	✓					
Logo on T-shirts	✓	✓					
Frequent stage mention throughout performance	✓						
Opportunity to distribute appropriate promotional literature at event	✓						
Full page recognition in at least one CDS newsletter	✓						

* Deadline for receipt of print-ready advertisements is February 12, 2010. Thank you!
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Spotlight on Youth 2010

I'm excited to support CDS and Spotlight on Youth as a:

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- _____ Patron Sponsor (\$5,000 or more)
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- _____ Director Sponsor (\$1,500 or more)
- _____ Performer Sponsor (\$750 or more)
- _____ Donor Sponsor (\$300 or more)
- _____ Friend Sponsor (Under \$300, please write in)
- _____ Auction Donor (Specify Items)
- _____ Refreshment Sponsor (Specify Items)
- _____ Volunteer

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Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Signature: _____

Mail, FAX, or Email to:

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Thank you for supporting our youth through:

CDS Family & Behavioral Health Services, Inc. Interface Youth Shelters and other programs.

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