# YOUTH SERVICES

### 2024 ANNUAL Celebrate Sycarting REPORT



Building access, equity, and power with LGBTQIA2+ young people ages 13 to 24 since 1990.



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### Letter from IOYS Executive Director

Dear Supporters,

As we reflect on 2024, we are filled with gratitude for your unwavering commitment. This year has been one of growth and transformation for Inside Out Youth Services, and moving into 2025, we are thrilled to celebrate 35 years of impact!

A major milestone was our move to a new location, doubling our space to better serve our youth. This



expansion has welcomed record-breaking attendance, creating a safe, empowering community where young people truly belong.

We've also deepened our focus on equity, justice, and youth leadership—pillars that will guide our 2025-2028 Strategic Plan. While 2024 brought both progress and challenges for the LGBTQIA2+ community, your support has been a beacon of hope. Despite legislative hurdles and ongoing discrimination, advocacy and visibility continue to grow, reinforcing the importance of Inside Out's mission.

With resilience and determination, we stand firm in our commitment to creating a world where all young people can thrive. Thank you for being part of this journey—we couldn't do it without you!

With appreciation and solidarity, Angie (she/her)

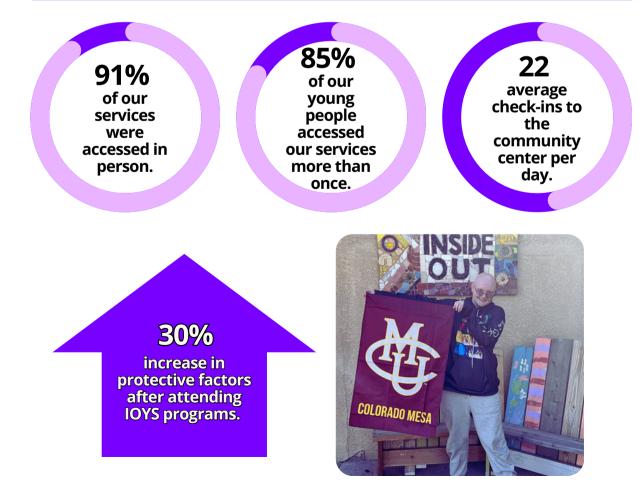
### **Program Impact**



#### 1,000+ hours of services

207

#### unique individuals served across 4,075 visits



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### Programs Attendance & Retention

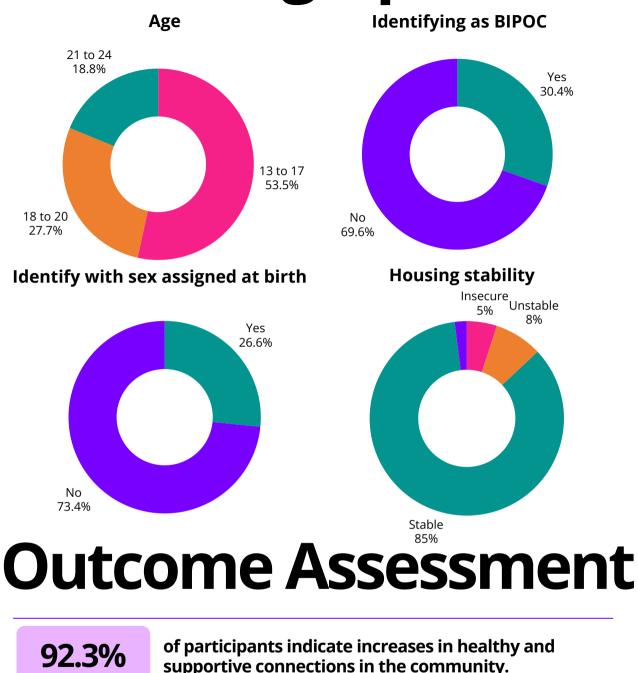


8.1% 16 young people received food deliveries to their homes. 404 clinical visits In-person visits \*IOYS only had clinical support from January-June 91.9% 99 young people enrolled in 2024.

1,530	visits from new young people.
47.8%	of participants joined in 2024.

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# Demographics



92.3%	of participants indicate increases in healthy and supportive connections in the community.
90.8%	of participants indicate increases in ability to identify healthy and unhealthy relationships.
86.2%	of participants indicate increases in accessing resources to manage stressful situations.
80%	of participants indicate an increase in knowing where to access resources for substance use and recovery.

# **Advocacy Impact**



#### Advocacy

58	local organizations supported by IOYS through resource-sharing, policy consultation, partnership, advocacy actions, and more.
752	educators impacted by policy advocacy efforts and supported with resources around LGBTQIA2+ youth empowerment.
24,912	youth impacted by violence prevention and policy advocacy nationally and locally.

#### **TransParenting**

57 parent/guardian/family caregivers contacts at our TransParenting support group.
227 contacts who have access to support & resources.

# **Education & Outreach**





**688** adults.

85%

of people trained reported gaining practical skills to support the LGBTQIA2+ community.

#### 90%

of people trained reported understanding information and resources to support LGBTQIA2+ youth in crisis.

#### 653,747

social media accounts reached with education, events, and fundraising opportunities.

#### **46**

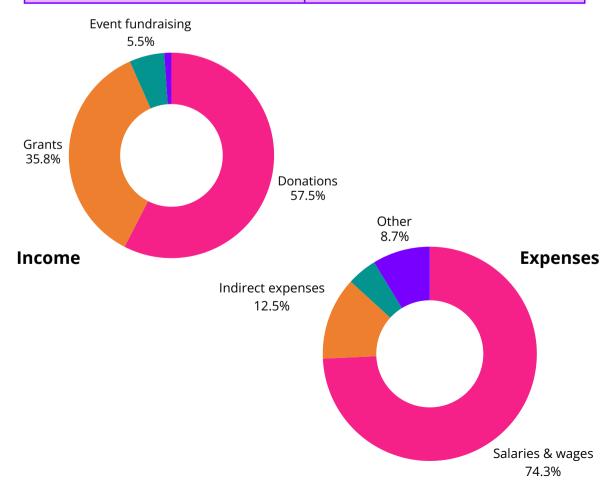
students, teachers, administrators, parents, and community members attended Pikes Peak Safe at Schools Coalition meetings.

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# Financials

#### **Statement of Financial Position**

Cash (unrestricted)	\$1,485,454
Cash (temp. restricted)	\$192,176
Investments	\$99,146
Accounts Receivable	\$47,926
Fixed Assets	\$52,155
Other Long-term Assets	\$385,814
Total Current Assets	\$2,181,563



### Staff & Board of Directors



 Alie (she/her), Program Manager - Alina (they/them), Volunteer Manager -Amberlee (she/her), Executive Assistant - Angie - (she/her), Executive Director - Ashton (they/them), Substance Use Prevention Intern - Chris (he/they), Program Lead - Em (they/he), Program Coordinator - Gray (they/them), Donor Relations Manager - Harper (they/them), Youth & Young Adult Case Manager - Jaxon (he/him), School Advocate - Kadean (she/her), Business Manager - Keeley (she/ella), Communications Manager - Moe (she/her), Programs Assistant - Nico (they/he), Outreach Coordinator - Ollie (they/them), Communications & Advocacy Director -Robin (he/him), Advocacy Intern - Ryan (he/him), Event Manager -Stephanie (she/her), Development Director

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To our incredible community of donors, thank you. You showed up when it mattered most, helping us create affirming spaces, expand health services, and amplify the voices of LGBTQIA2+ young people across the Tava-Kaavi (Pikes Peak) region.

Your support didn't just fund programs; it gave our youth and young folx hope, connection, and the power to envision a future where they are safe, seen, and celebrated. From all of us at Inside Out, especially the young people whose lives you touched, thank you for believing in this work and in a world where every young person can thrive.



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