

# 20 Years Nurturing Greatness



## National Women's Shelter Network Panel Presentation

### Innovative Ways to Expand the Pie:

#### Legislative Initiatives, Judicial Solutions, Public Private Partnerships

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For more about the **initial creation and reauthorization** of The Children's Trust, including a published case study and video story of the campaign, see [www.thechildrenstrust.org/history](http://www.thechildrenstrust.org/history).

Legal resources include the **Florida Statute** that enables counties to create a children's trust ([www.thechildrenstrust.org/florida-statute](http://www.thechildrenstrust.org/florida-statute)), our local county **ordinance** ([www.thechildrenstrust.org/ordinance](http://www.thechildrenstrust.org/ordinance)), and **bylaws** [www.thechildrenstrust.org/bylaws](http://www.thechildrenstrust.org/bylaws).

See our **annual reports** for descriptions of our budget, funded activities (rationale and results), and community indicators data snapshot. The most recent report includes a 20-year anniversary special section with a timeline, key numbers, success stories, and long-term community data trends. [www.thechildrenstrust.org/about-us](http://www.thechildrenstrust.org/about-us)

There are also detailed **budgets and audits** at [www.thechildrenstrust.org/financial-information](http://www.thechildrenstrust.org/financial-information), and our **board of directors** can be found at [www.thechildrenstrust.org/board-of-directors](http://www.thechildrenstrust.org/board-of-directors).

Funder collaboration **partnerships to end youth homelessness**: Miami Homes for All ([www.miamihomesforall.org](http://www.miamihomesforall.org)), Helping Our Miami-Dade Youth (HOMY) Collaborative ([www.miamihomesforall.org/homy](http://www.miamihomesforall.org/homy)), Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust.

The **Florida Alliance of Children's Councils and Trusts, or FACCT**, ([www.facct.com](http://www.facct.com)) coordinates efforts of its member councils across the state, including resources and support for Florida counties that want to create a council or trust of their own.

The **Children's Funding Project** ([www.childrensfundingproject.org](http://www.childrensfundingproject.org)) is a national group that helps communities and states expand equitable opportunities for children and youth through strategic public financing.

