

The Healing Place

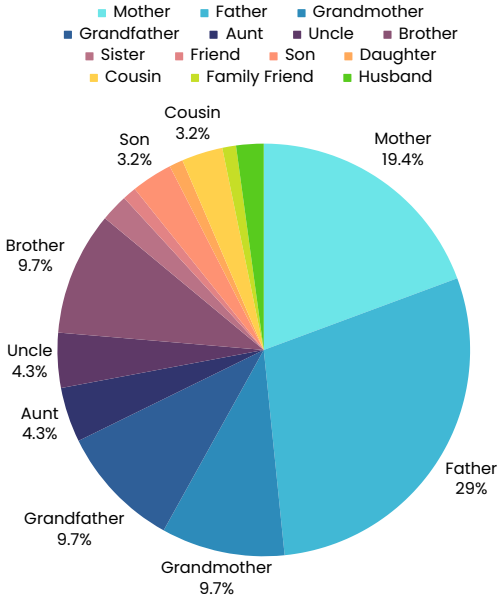
Center for grieving children & families



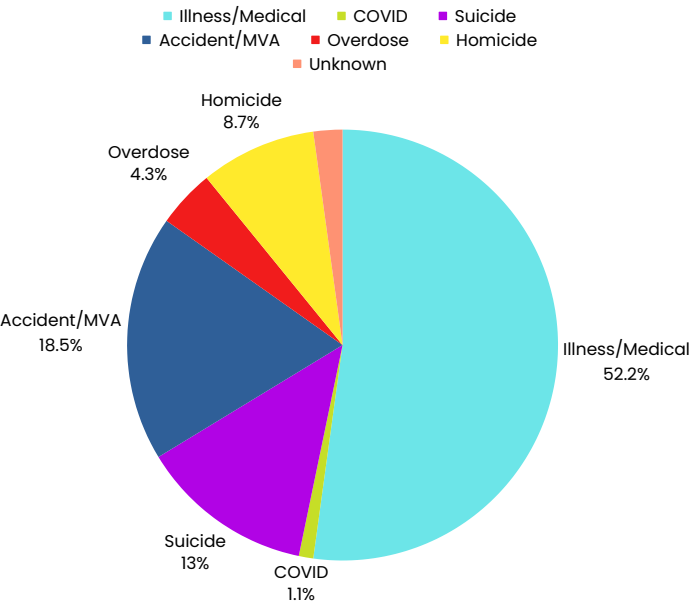
ANNUAL REPORT 2023

Intake Report- 2023

Person Who Died:



Cause of Death:



Growth & Impact

The year of 2023 was a year of growth for The Healing Place. Each program- healing hearts (school), healing hearts (in office), individual services, summer camp, and crisis response- saw an exponential growth from previous years. Our services, resources, and education are more important than ever to our community and schools.

We are so thankful to have the opportunity to serve those in need and we could not do it without each and every sponsor, donation, spokesperson, and supporter that keeps our mission of healing hearts alive. We look forward to more growth and opportunity in 2024.

Important Values

- 122 Children served individually in 2023
- 91 Families served in office in 2023
- 18 Adults served individually in 2023
- 12 Families Served from the death of a loved one to suicide in 2023

In Office Support Groups

23

peer grief support groups in 2023 serving

353

kids, teens, young adults, and their family members

Healing Hearts School Program



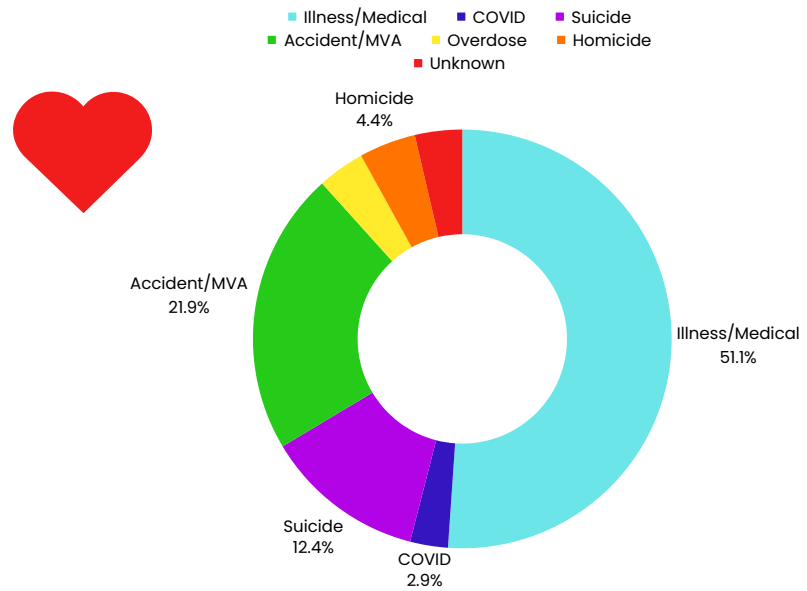
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Schools served across 3 counties in North Alabama with

482

Students served across all schools

Cause of Death in Healing Hearts School Program



Board of Directors

- James Barnett
Chair
- Chris King
Vice Chair
- Darlene Minniefield
- Laura Jane Self
- Candace Strait
- Earl McGuire
- Jeremy Grigsby
- James Traglia
- Darlene Adams
- Evie White Foster
- Karen Grisham
Executive Director

Staff

- Karen Grisham, MS
Executive Director
- Tammy Wetterings
Office Manager
- Katie McWilliams, LICSW-PIP
School Program and Crisis Coordinator
- Lexie Mauldon, ALC, NCC, CFLE
Development and Family Services Coordinator
- Brooke Leonard, MA, NCC
Clinical Coordinator

48%

of Healing Place families report that they live below the poverty level

cost of groups, individual services, school services, resources, and support

= \$0

1 in 9

children in Alabama will experience the death of a parent or sibling by age 18



6TH

CBEM RANKING BY STATE!

11.0% ~ 121K

children will be bereaved by age 18
HIGHER than national rate of **8.3%**



& MORE THAN **DOUBLES**

285K

youth will be bereaved by age 25

Source: Childhood Bereavement Estimation Model (CBEM)