Make an Impact
Leave a Legacy

PROVIDING HEALING, HOPE AND HOME FOR CHILDREN & FAMILIES

sjrcbelong.org
Our History
For nearly 40 years, SJRC Texas has fulfilled its mission of offering healing, hope and a home for the most vulnerable children and families. Our dedicated team works year-round to ensure that youth entrusted in our care receive therapeutic treatment along their journey toward a brighter future.

Our Programs
We provide an array of premier, nationally accredited continuum of care programs such as Emergency Placement, Residential Foster Care, Pregnant and Parenting Teen Services, Foster Care and Adoption Services, and Prevention Programs.

Our Impact
Since inception, SJRC Texas has cared for more than 70,000 of our most precious children. Over the past 10 years, our child placing agency has created more than 8,000 forever families for children who desperately need and deserve a loving home and family. Through our innovation in supporting families and to meet the needs of the community, we have championed the creation of a prevention team that provides support and resources necessary to build strong families. In only two years of prevention services, our strong team has a preservation success rate of 96% for keeping families together.

Our Growth
Through the success of our unparalleled programs and passion for ending child abuse, we were awarded the Region 8b Community-Based Care contract from the state for our new division, Belong. In this capacity, we are responsible for finding foster homes for more than 1,300 youth in state care throughout 27 rural Texas counties. Belong also provides services ranging from kinship care to case coordination as well as adult living preparation for our older foster youth.

Our Needs
To make lifelong change for not only our youth in care, but also the entire child welfare system, we must continue to expand our capacity and provide critical services. Your support in our efforts will help us build a better tomorrow for children and families for years to come.
Family Resource Center | $3,000,000 - $4,000,000 – Includes Naming Rights

Our goal is to open a Family Resource Center in each of the four sub-regions within the 27 counties that Belong serves to meet the diverse needs of each community. The centers will function as a centralized hub for a variety of support services for children and families such as family and therapeutic counseling, a number of community trainings, intake and visiting center for youth, a donation station, and offices for Belong team members. These Family Resource Centers are imperative in creating easily accessible family support services and resources that aid in strengthening families and children in foster care.

Financial support for a Family Resource Center will include naming rights of the facility. Donors will have the opportunity to have their names, or the name of a loved one, forever imprinted on a facility that will offer healing for generations of children and families.

Kid Kare Center (Bulverde Campus) | $250,000 – Includes Naming Rights

Our young mothers and their children that now reside on our Bulverde Campus are in need of a permanent Kid Kare Center. We seek to transform and renovate our one room chapel into a daycare for our babies. This Kid Kare Center will serve as a daycare and early education center for our babies while our young mothers are in school or working. The little ones will also be offered child development classes with our young mothers, which encourages a strong mother-child bond. We anticipate creating four rooms within the center to include: a toddler room, infant room, common room and an office.

Financial support for the Kid Kare Center includes naming rights of the facility. Donors will have the opportunity to have their names, or the name of a loved one, forever imprinted on a facility that will offer hope to our most precious youth and families.

Complete Fundraising Efforts for the Successful Launch of Belong | $1,500,000

As our family has grown to impact the lives of even more vulnerable children and families through our Belong division, additional funding is needed to be financially healthy to operate. The state funds only a portion of the costs associated with implementing our community-based care program in Region 8b. Through the generosity of our community donors, we have received $1.5 million in funding for these efforts. We are in need of an additional $1.5 million to offset our operational costs.

General Operating Expenses | $500,000/year for 2 years

This contribution will help with operating expenses for both Belong and SJRC Texas to ensure continuity of our nationally recognized model programs and services. Our program offerings that are imperative to our children and families are not fully funded by the state. Through fundraising efforts, we are responsible for fundraising 40% of our total annual budget. These funds will be used for direct care services to our youth, including but not limited to: personnel salaries, clothing, toiletries, educational supplies and healthy meals. A portion of these funds will assist SJRC Texas and Belong with the future expansion of our programs and allow us to help more children within our communities.

Establish an Endowment Fund – for SJRC Texas & Belong

In the end we are all remembered for our acts—for the lives we touch and by the causes we advance. We invite you to consider creating a lasting legacy by including the SJRC Texas and Belong in your long-term plans.