Dear Donor,

Because of your giving,

there are children here that might not otherwise have been.

Because of your giving, there are generations that will now exist, that wouldn't have.

Because of your giving, our clients are able to give their children a stable and loving home, changing that child's life and the generations to come for the better.

The numbers don't always tell the whole story, and there's little room for that, but we hope you see the impact your giving is having.

Your giving isn't just changing the now, it's changing the future!

We cannot express how grateful we are for your generosity this year! For every financial gift given, every item donated, hope has been given.

And the love of Christ through the Gospel shared.

On behalf of future generations,

Thank You!

Sneak Peek for 2024

We never know or imagine all that God has for us in the coming year, but we do our best to listen and move at His direction.

Here are a few things we are looking at for 2024:

- Continuing to find new ways to reach more women who need our services, especially those vulnerable to abortion
- A construction project in the back to provide more office and meeting spaces so we can expand our family support services and serve more people
- Lord willing, hire a clinic manager and Fatherhood director
- Implement some new classes that will address client's emotional & spiritual health and lead them on a path to real transformation

Contact Us



220 N Main Street Medford, WI 54452



715-748-1235



info@abidingcarecenter.org www.investingcare.org

> Hours of Operation: M, T, TH 11 am - 5 pm





Medical Services

2023 started out like winter - quiet and slow.
That time allowed us to regroup amidst all the changes. One of the things that came from that was a big change to our advertising and website. And then, after also adding ads in snapchat, we got busy - really busy! And it hasn't stopped. Here are some of what your giving helped us to accomplish:

Over 70 women found us in the midst of an unplanned pregnancy or sexual health crisis and got the services, help, and hope they needed.

That's 53 pregnancy tests, 59 ultrasounds (not including models), and 28 who received STD testing and treatments (that's up from 6 total for 2022!) Not to mention the women who received care through our miscarriage and postpartum program just added mid-year.

All provided free because of you!

This year we have seen an increase in miscarriages and need for STD testing. But we have also seen minds changed and another abortion appointment **cancelled**!!!

Family Support Services

Things on the Family Support side have been busy as well!

41 moms have received parenting classes
6 dads have received mentoring
7 juveniles received sexual integrity classes
777 items were earned or given out through
the program

54 items were given out in emergency help to our community, not including a mom that was in a crisis and needed to relocate, which our donors went above and beyond to help.

This year there were over 200 spiritual conversations had with clients in addition to the over 450 classes taken. We have seen incredible break throughs this year in our clients - both in their parenting & stability as well as in their spiritual lives. Every year we see tougher and tougher issues, but also see more hunger for truth and openness to the Gospel. **GOD IS MOVING!!**

What we have also seen this year is clients who have dropped off, come back - more ready to do the work. We love that they know that at Abiding Care they are loved AND given truth!

Healthy U Sexual Integrity Program

We are having so much growth and opportunity in this program, it's exciting!
Early this spring we were finally able to hire someone to head this program up. Then we worked on creating/obtaining a curriculum, recruiting volunteers, training, and then we were off!

The team now consists of the program coordinator, Dorly Dahlke, who presents all of the non-medical sessions, our nurses Jacki and Alicia, who present the medical ones, and a great team of volunteers who assist.

So far this school year we have presented our new program in two high schools and one middle school - with the majority of our schools happening second semester. One thing we are seeing is a desire from students to know more about healthy relationships and a hunger for truth!! Praise God!!