

December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017

The Honorable Mitch McConnell  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Chuck Schumer  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Paul Ryan  
United States House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi  
United States House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Orrin Hatch  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Ron Wyden  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Greg Walden  
United States House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Frank Pallone  
United States House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Majority Leader McConnell, Minority Leader Schumer, Speaker Ryan, Minority Leader Pelosi, Chairman Hatch, Ranking Member Wyden, Chairman Walden, and Ranking Member Pallone:

As leading national, state, tribal, and local organizations concerned about the health and well-being of America's children and pregnant women, we are writing to urge you to immediately enact a strong, five-year extension of the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP). As you know, CHIP funding expired almost three months ago on September 30, 2017 and as federal funding to the states is running out, families across the country are receiving disenrollment notices and face an uncertain future about their children's health care just as they enter the holiday season. No family should feel the fear and worry of whether or not their child will have health care coverage. The most recent stop-gap measure passed in Congress to allow some states that have run out of funding to continue their programs is simply not enough for the 8.9 million children who rely on CHIP or for the states that need to plan for coverage. An immediate, long-term extension of funding for CHIP must be passed now.

For two decades, CHIP has been an essential source of children's coverage, ensuring access to high-quality, affordable, pediatric-appropriate health care for children in working families whose parents earn too much to qualify for Medicaid but too little to purchase private health insurance on their own. It is a strong bipartisan state-federal partnership that gives governors broad flexibility to design their programs to target the needs of their child populations. CHIP has played a critical role in reducing the number of uninsured children by more than 68 percent, from nearly 15 percent in 1997 to less than five percent in 2015, while improving health outcomes and access to care for children and pregnant women. The children who stand to lose CHIP would likely have no other affordable coverage option available to them. The resulting increase in the rate of uninsured children would be an enormous step backwards.

Children and their families are counting on Congress to act now to extend CHIP funding for five years without any further delay or excuses. No family should go through the holiday season

worrying about how to pay for their child's health care or be forced to make choices about whether or not to see the doctor or go without the medication they need.

Sincerely,

### **National Organizations**

First Focus  
1,000 Days  
2020 Mom  
AASA, The School Superintendents Association  
Academic Pediatric Association  
Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics  
AFL-CIO  
African American Health Alliance  
AIDS Alliance for Women, Infants, Children,  
Youth & Families  
Alliance for Strong Families and Communities  
American Academy of Pediatrics  
American Art Therapy Association  
American Association for Psychoanalysis in  
Clinical Social Work  
American Association of Child & Adolescent  
Psychiatry  
American Association of People with Disabilities  
American Association of Poison Control Centers  
American Association on Health and Disability  
American College of Cardiology  
American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists  
American Dental Education Association  
American Federation of State, County and Municipal  
Employees (AFSCME)  
American Federation of Teachers  
American Foundation for Suicide Prevention  
American Foundation for the Blind  
American Group Psychotherapy Association  
American Heart Association  
American Lung Association  
American Organization of Nurse Executives  
American Pediatric Surgical Association  
American Psychiatric Association  
American Psychological Association  
American Public Health Association  
American Thoracic Society  
Arthritis Foundation  
Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum  
Asian Americans Advancing Justice  
Association for Ambulatory Behavioral Healthcare  
Association for Behavioral Health and Wellness  
Association for Community Affiliated Plans  
Association of Asian Pacific Community Health  
Organizations (AAPCHO)  
Association of Clinicians for the Underserved  
Association of Maternal & Child Health Programs  
Association of State and Territorial Health Officials  
Association of University Centers on Disabilities  
Association of Women's Health, Obstetric and Neonatal  
Nurses  
Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America  
Autism Business Association  
Autism Society of America  
Autistic Self Advocacy Network  
Barrett International Technology Incorporated  
Boys Town  
Brain Injury Association of America  
Bread for the World  
Catholic Health Association of the United States  
Center for Autism and Related Disorders  
Center for Law and Social Policy (CLASP)  
Center for Medicare Advocacy  
Center for the Study of Social Policy  
Centering Healthcare Institute  
Child Care Aware of America  
Child Welfare League of America  
Children and Adults with Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity  
Disorder  
Children's Advocacy Institute  
Children's Cause for Cancer Advocacy  
Children's Defense Fund  
Children's Dental Health Project  
Children's Health Fund  
Children's Home Society of America  
Children's Hospital Association  
Children's Leadership Council  
Children's Mental Health Network

Children's Rights  
 Circle of Parents  
 Clinical Social Work Association  
 Committee for Children  
 Communities In Schools  
 Community Catalyst  
 Coalition on Human Needs  
 Cooley's Anemia Foundation  
 Cystic Fibrosis Foundation  
 Dab the AIDS Bear Project  
 DentaQuest  
 Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund  
 Doctors for America  
 Early Care and Education Consortium  
 Earth Evolution  
 Easterseals  
 Eating Disorders Coalition  
 Epilepsy Foundation  
 Epilepsy Information Service  
 Every Child Matters  
 EveryLife Foundation for Rare Diseases  
 Families USA  
 Family Focused Treatment Association  
 Family Network on Disabilities  
 Family Voices  
 Feminist Majority  
 First Star Institute  
 Foster Care Alumni Of America  
 Franciscan Action Network  
 Futures Without Violence  
 Generations United  
 Gesell Institute of Child Development  
 Gillette Children's Specialty Healthcare  
 Girls Inc.  
 Global Alliance for Behavioral Health and Social Justice  
 Global Justice Institute, Metropolitan Community Churches  
 Green & Healthy Homes Initiative  
 HealthConnect One  
 Healthy Families America  
 Healthy Teen Network  
 HEAR US Inc.  
 Hemophilia Federation of America  
 HIV Medicine Association  
 Holy Spirit Missionary Sisters - USA-JPIC  
 IDEA Infant Toddler Coordinators Association (ITCA)  
 Indivisible  
 Immunization Action Coalition  
 Jewish Council for Public Affairs  
 Jewish Federations of North America  
 Judge David L. Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law  
 Juvenile Law center  
 Kempe Center for the Prevention and Treatment of Child Abuse and Neglect  
 Leadership Team of the Sisters of Charity, BVM  
 LEAnet  
 Life Technologies  
 Lupus and Allied Diseases Association, Inc.  
 Lupus Foundation of America  
 Made By Us  
 March of Dimes  
 Medicaid Health Plans of America  
 Mended Little Hearts  
 Mental Health America  
 NAACP  
 National Alliance for Medicaid in Education  
 National Alliance of Children's Trust and Prevention Funds  
 National Alliance on Mental Illness  
 National Association for Bilingual Education  
 National Association for Children of Addiction  
 National Association for Children's Behavioral Health  
 National Association for the Education of Young Children  
 National Association of Counsel for Children  
 National Association of Dental Plans  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners  
 National Association of School Nurses  
 National Association of Social Workers  
 National Association of State Head Injury Administrators  
 National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors  
 National Center for Learning Disabilities  
 National Center for Youth Law  
 National Center on Adoption and Permanency  
 National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship  
 National Coalition for the Homeless  
 National Community Health Centers  
 National Congress of American Indians  
 National Council of Jewish Women  
 National Disability Rights Network  
 National Education Association

National Environmental Health Association  
National Foster Family-based Treatment Association  
National Health Law Program  
National Hemophilia Foundation  
National Indian Child Care Association  
National Juvenile Justice Network  
National Korean American Service & Education Consortium (NAKASEC)  
National Multiple Sclerosis Society  
National Network for Youth  
National Network to End Domestic Violence  
National Organization for Women  
National Partnership for Women & Families  
National Patient Advocate Foundation  
National Physicians Alliance  
National Respite Coalition  
National WIC Association  
National Women's Law Center  
Nemours Children's Health System  
NETWORK Lobby for Catholic Social Justice  
Nurse-Family Partnership  
Oncology Nursing Society  
Oral Health America  
Parents for Public Schools, Inc  
Partnership for America's Children  
Pediatric Infectious Diseases Society  
People For the American Way  
PICO Center for Health Organizing  
Planned Parenthood Federation of America  
Poligon Education Fund  
Power to Decide  
Prevent Blindness  
Progressive Action Fund  
Provincial Council Clerics of St. Viator  
Public Advocacy for Kids  
Public Citizen  
Redstone Global Center for Prevention and Wellness  
Rights4Girls  
Rogers Behavioral Health  
SchoolHouse Connection  
School Social Work Association of America  
School-Based Health Alliance  
Share Our Strength  
Shriners Hospitals for Children  
Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet

SocioEnergetics Foundation  
Solidarity  
Southern Poverty Law Center  
SparkAction  
Strategies for Youth, Inc.  
The AIDS Institute  
The American Nepalese Congolese Children's Foundation  
The Arc of the United States  
The Children's Cause for Cancer Advocacy  
The Children's Village  
The National Alliance to Advance Adolescent Health  
The National Indian Education Association  
The Sentencing Project  
The Stuart Center of the Society of the Sacred Heart  
The United Methodist Church - General Board of Church and Society  
Treatment Communities of America  
Upbring Head Start Preschool  
UnidosUS  
Union for Reform Judaism  
United Way Worldwide  
Veterans of the Mississippi Civil Rights Movement, Inc.  
Voices for Progress  
W. Haywood Burns Institute  
Western Native Voice  
Wolf 's Enterprises Human and Civil Rights Advocacy  
Wyman Center  
Young Invincibles  
Youth Advocate Programs (YAP)  
Youth Villages  
YWCA USA  
ZERO TO THREE  
ZK Development Solutions

## **State, Territory and Local Organizations**

### **Alabama**

American Lung Association in Alabama  
Epilepsy Foundation of Alabama  
Family Voices of Alabama  
Lakeshore Foundation  
Voices for Alabama's Children

**Alaska**

Alaska Children's Trust  
Alaska - Family Voices State Affiliate  
American Lung Association in Alaska

**American Samoa**

American Samoa Community Health Center

**Arizona**

American Lung Association in Arizona  
Arizona Council of Human Service Providers  
Arizona Grantmakers Forum  
Child and Family Resources, Inc.  
Concilio Latino de Salud, Inc.  
MOLAR Oral Health Coalition  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners  
- Arizona Chapter  
Native American Connections  
Raising Special Kids  
United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona  
Valley of the Sun United Way  
Vitalyst Health Foundation  
West Valley Neighborhoods Coalition

**Arkansas**

American Lung Association in Arkansas  
Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families  
Arkansas Poison and Drug Information Center  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners – Arkansas Chapter  
United Way of Garland County, Arkansas

**California**

Alameda Health Consortium  
American Academy of Pediatrics - California  
American Lung Association in California  
Armstrong Coaching  
Arrowhead United Way  
Atypical Infant Motivation, Inc.  
California Black Health Network  
California Children's Hospital Association  
California Coverage and Health Initiatives  
California Dental Association  
California Dental Hygienists' Association  
California Food Policy Advocates  
California Pan-Ethnic Health Network

California School Employees Association  
California WIC Association  
Children Now  
Children's Defense Fund - California  
Children's Specialty Care Coalition  
Community Health Councils  
Corona Norco United Way  
Family Voices of California  
First 5 Del Norte Children and Families  
Commission  
First 5 Kern  
George Mark Children's House  
Healthy Cities Tutoring  
Helping Other People Eat  
Insure the Uninsured Project  
Maternal and Child Health Access  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - Los Angeles, California Chapter  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - San Diego, California Chapter  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - San Francisco-Bay Area, California Chapter  
Orange County United Way  
PDI Surgery Center  
PICO California  
Placer Independent Resource Services  
Regional Asthma Management & Prevention  
Silicon Valley Leadership Group  
The Children's Partnership  
The Los Angeles Trust for Children's Health  
UCLA Mattel Children's Hospital  
United Way Bay Area  
United Way Fresno and Madera Counties  
United Way Monterey County  
United Way of Kern County  
United Way of Santa Cruz County  
United Way of Stanislaus County  
United Ways of California  
WestCoast Children's Clinic  
Western Center on Law and Poverty

**Colorado**

Adams County Housing Authority  
American Academy of Pediatrics - Colorado Chapter  
American Lung Association in Colorado

Arc of the Central Mountains  
Center for Health Progress  
Chaffee County Public Health Department  
Children's Hospital Colorado  
Clayton Early Learning  
Colorado Academy of Family Physicians  
Colorado Alliance for School Health  
Colorado Association of Family and Children's Agencies  
Colorado Center on Law and Policy  
Colorado Children's Campaign  
Colorado Children's Healthcare Access Program  
Colorado Community Health Network  
Colorado Consumer Health Initiative  
Colorado Organization for Latina Opportunity and  
Reproductive Rights (COLOR)  
Colorado PTA  
Community Reach Center  
Disability Law Colorado  
Early Childhood Council for Yuma, Washington and  
Kit Carson Counties  
Early Childhood Council Leadership Alliance  
Early Childhood Council of Larimer County  
Early Milestones Colorado  
ECHO & Family Center Early Childhood Council  
Family Voices Colorado  
First Presbyterian Preschool  
Gary Community Investments  
Huerfano-Las Animas Counties Early Childhood  
Advisory Council  
James & Charles Progressive Caucus  
Low Income Family Empowerment  
Mental Health Colorado  
National Association of Social Workers, Colorado  
National Council of Jewish Women CO Section  
North Metro Community Services, Inc  
Oral Health Colorado  
Rocky Mountain Youth Clinics  
Stahlman Disability Consulting, LLC  
Support Jeffco Kids  
The Consortium  
The Early Childhood Council of Boulder County  
The Early Childhood Partnership of Adams County  
TLC Learning Center  
Tri-County Health Department

Wild Plum Center for Young Children and Families

### **Connecticut**

All Our Kin  
American Lung Association in Connecticut  
Bridgeport Child Advocacy Coalition (BCAC): The  
Center for Research and Advocacy at LifeBridge  
Channel 3 Kids Camp  
Community Services  
Collaborative Center for Justice  
Community Renewal Team  
Connecticut Association for Human Services  
Connecticut Legal Services  
Connecticut Shoreline Indivisible  
Connecticut Voices for Children  
CT Alliance for Basic Human Needs  
CT Alliance for Retired Americans  
CT Early Childhood Alliance  
Early Childhood Collaborative of Southington  
End Hunger CT!  
First Congregational Church of Haddam  
Great Kids Head Start  
Greater Hartford Legal Aid  
Honey Bear Learning Center  
Mayflower Montessori School  
Mulberry Day Care LLC  
National Association Mental Illness, Connecticut  
National Association of Social Workers, CT Chapter  
New Haven Diaper Bank, Inc.  
PATH Parent to Parent/Family Voices of CT  
Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice of CT  
School Readiness  
United Action CT  
United Way of Connecticut  
Westville Community Nursery School, Inc.

### **Delaware**

American Lung Association in Delaware  
Community Legal Aid Society, Inc.  
Delaware Ecumenical Council on Children and  
Families  
Delaware Family Voices, Inc.  
Medical Society of Delaware

**District of Columbia**

American Lung Association in D.C.  
Family Voices of the District of Columbia Inc.  
Fearless Impact Coaching  
The HSC Health Care System

**Florida**

American Lung Association in Florida  
Children's Home Society of Florida  
Disability Rights Florida  
Florida Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics  
Florida's Children First  
Florida Legal Services, Inc.  
Florida Policy Institute  
Greater Jacksonville Church Women United  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners  
- Florida Chapter  
Oral Health Florida  
Pasco Kids First, Inc.  
The Family Cafe, Inc.  
United Way of Broward County  
United Way Suncoast  
Wolfson Children's Hospital

**Georgia**

American Lung Association in Georgia  
GEEARS: Georgia Early Education Alliance for Ready Students  
Georgians for a Healthy Future  
Gwinnett Parent Coalition to Dismantle the School to Prison Pipeline  
Multi-Agency Alliance for Children, Inc  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - Georgia Chapter  
United Way of Greater Atlanta  
Voices for Georgia's Children

**Hawaii**

American Lung Association in Hawaii  
Hawaii Children's Action Network  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - Hawaii Chapter

**Idaho**

American Lung Association in Idaho  
Centro de Comunidad y Justicia  
Idaho Academy of Family Physicians

Idaho Medical Association  
Idaho Parents Unlimited  
Idaho Voices for Children

**Illinois**

American Lung Association in Illinois  
Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago  
Educare West DuPage  
Erikson Institute  
Esperanza Health Centers  
EverThrive IL  
Illinois Coalition Immigrant and Refugee Rights  
Illinois Collaboration on Youth  
Indivisible Illinois  
Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago  
Kaleidoscope  
Learning Bridge Early Education Center  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - Illinois Chapter  
Ounce of Prevention Fund  
Project IRENE  
Sargent Shriver National Center on Poverty Law  
The Arc of Illinois  
The Baby Fold  
The Center for Youth and Family Solutions  
United Way of Illinois  
United Way of Metro Chicago  
Voices for Illinois Children  
Women's March Chicago: March to the Polls

**Indiana**

American Lung Association in Indiana  
Creative Solutions for Wellness  
Family Voices Indiana  
Indiana Oral Health Coalition  
Jackson County United Way  
Kids in Crisis Intervention Team  
Marion County Commission on Youth, Inc.  
United Way of Madison County, Indiana

**Iowa**

American Lung Association in Iowa  
Child and Family Policy Center  
Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque  
Iowa Association of Nurse Practitioners  
Iowa Chapter American Academy of Pediatrics  
NAMI Greater Des Moines

National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
Practitioners - Iowa Chapter  
Orchard Place  
Prevent Blindness Iowa  
United Way of Central Iowa  
United Ways of Iowa  
Within Reach Consulting Services

### **Kansas**

Alliance for Childhood Education  
American Lung Association in Kansas  
Families Together Inc. - Kansas State Affiliated  
Organization  
Family Resource Center, Inc  
Health Reform Resource Project  
KanCare Advocates Network  
Kansas Action for Children  
Kansas Appleseed  
Kansas Association of Community Action Programs  
Kansas Association of School Boards  
Kansas Chapter, American Academy of Pediatrics  
Oral Health Kansas  
KS Head Start Association  
REACH Healthcare Foundation  
Social Justice Coordinator of the Sisters of Charity  
of Leavenworth  
Success By 6 Coalition of Douglas County  
The Family Conservancy  
The Willow Domestic Violence Center  
United Way of the Flint Hills

### **Kentucky**

American Lung Association in Kentucky  
Family & Children's Place  
Kentucky Oral Health Coalition  
Kentucky Protection and Advocacy  
Kentucky Youth Advocates  
United Way of Kentucky

### **Louisiana**

American Lung Association in Louisiana  
Assisi House, Inc.  
Capital Area United Way  
First Christian Church of Greater New Orleans  
(Disciples of Christ)  
Kingsley House

Louisiana Assoc. of United Ways  
St. John United Way  
Stone Creek Nursery and Landscapes  
The Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)  
United Way of Central Louisiana  
United Way of Northwest Louisiana  
United Way of SWLA

### **Maine**

Alliance for Addiction and Mental Health Services  
American Lung Association in Maine  
Health Equity Alliance  
Maine Center for Economic Policy  
Maine Children's Alliance  
Maine Equal Justice Partners  
Maine Public Health Association  
Maine Women's Lobby  
National Alliance on Mental Illness Maine  
New Directions for Maine Families  
Syntiro  
United Way of Mid Coast Maine  
YWCA Central Maine

### **Maryland**

Addiction Connections Resource  
Advocates for Children and Youth  
American Lung Association in Maryland  
Benedictine Sisters of Baltimore  
Disability Rights Maryland  
Maryland Center on Economic Policy  
Maryland Family Network  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
Practitioners - Maryland Chapter  
Ready at Five  
The Parents' Place of MD

### **Massachusetts**

American Lung Association in Massachusetts  
Berkshire Children and Families  
Boston Children's Hospital  
Communities for People  
Federation for Children with Special Needs  
Franciscan Children's  
Health Care For All - Massachusetts  
Health Law Advocates, Inc.



Massachusetts Law Reform Institute  
Massachusetts School Administrators Association  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
Practitioners - Massachusetts Chapter  
National Association of Social Workers, MA  
Chapter  
Prevent Blindness Northeast Region  
Strategies for Children  
United Way of Massachusetts Bay and Merrimack  
Valley

### **Michigan**

Action of Greater Lansing  
American Lung Association in Michigan  
Char-Em United Way  
Educare Flint  
Grand Rapids Urban League  
HighScope Educational Research Foundation  
Methodist Children's Home Society  
Michigan Association of School Administrators  
Michigan Association of United Ways  
Michigan Council for Maternal and Child Health  
Michigan Division for Early Childhood  
Michigan Family Voices  
Michigan League for Public Policy  
Michigan Oral Health Coalition  
Michigan's Children  
Spratt LLC  
The Arc Michigan  
The Education Trust-Midwest  
TrueNorth Community Services  
United Way for Southeastern Michigan  
United Way of Manistee County  
United Way of the Lakeshore  
Washtenaw Health Plan  
Wayne County Regional Educational Service  
Agency

### **Minnesota**

American Lung Association in Minnesota  
Children's Defense Fund-Minnesota  
Children's MN  
Minnesota Coalition for the Homeless  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
Practitioners - Minnesota Chapter  
Olson RN Consulting  
Sherburne County Area United Way

The Family Partnership

### **Mississippi**

American Lung Association in Mississippi  
Ascension Lutheran Church  
Children's Defense Fund - Southern Region  
Fannie Lou Hamer Center for Change  
Human Services Coalition  
Just Advocacy of Mississippi  
Mississippi Center for Justice  
Mississippi Families for Kids  
Mississippi Religious Leadership Conference  
MS Human Services Coalition  
National Alliance on Mental Illness - Mississippi

### **Missouri**

A Red Circle  
American Lung Association in Missouri  
Archdiocese of St Louis Peace & Justice Commission  
Beyond Housing  
Bilingual International Assistant Services  
BJC St. Louis Children's Hospital  
Child Care Aware of Missouri  
Cornerstones of Care  
Council of Churches of the Ozarks  
Court Appointed Special Advocates of Jefferson County  
Delta Gamma Center for Children with Visual Impairments  
Empower Missouri  
Every Child's Hope  
Foster Adopt Connect  
Generate Health STL  
Great Circle  
Kids Win Missouri  
LUME Institute/University City Children's Center  
Missouri AfterSchool Network  
Missouri Chapter, American Academy of Pediatrics  
Missouri Coalition Against Domestic and  
Sexual Violence  
Missouri Coalition of Children's Agencies  
Missouri Faith Voices, A PICO Federation  
Missouri Health Care for All  
Missouri Hospital Association  
Missouri KidsFirst  
Missouri Parents as Teachers Association

Mother & Child Health Coalition  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
Practitioners - St. Louis, Missouri Chapter  
Nurses for Newborns  
Operation Breakthrough  
Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services  
Saint Louis University Department of Pediatrics  
Southwest Center for Independent Living  
St. Cronan Catholic Church  
St. Louis Center for Family Development  
St. Louis County Children's Service Fund  
St. Louis Regional Early Childhood Council  
Teen Pregnancy & Prevention Partnership  
The Family and Community Trust  
Vision for Children at Risk  
Women's Voices Raised for Social Justice  
Youth In Need

#### **Montana**

American Lung Association in Montana  
Rocky Mountain Hemophilia & Bleeding Disorders  
Association  
Women's Opportunity & Resource Development  
(WORD)

#### **Nebraska**

American Lung Association in Nebraska  
Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging  
CHI Health  
Children's Hospital & Medical Center  
Disability Rights Nebraska  
Holland Children's Movement  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
Practitioners - Midwest Chapter  
Nebraska Appleseed  
Nebraska Families Collaborative  
PTI Nebraska  
University of Nebraska Medical Center  
Voices for Children in Nebraska

#### **Nevada**

Acting in Community Together in Organizing  
Northern Nevada (ACTIONN)  
American Lung Association in Nevada  
Children's Advocacy Alliance  
Community Health Alliance  
Foster Kinship

Progressive Leadership Alliance of Nevada

#### **New Hampshire**

American Lung Association in New Hampshire  
Kids First  
New Futures

#### **New Jersey**

Advocates for Children of New Jersey  
American Lung Association in New Jersey  
Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton  
Daytop Village of New Jersey, Inc.  
Family Guidance Center of Warren County  
Family Service Association of South Jersey  
Family Voices New Jersey  
Jewish Family Service  
Maryville, Inc.  
MonmouthCares  
New Jersey Alliance for Children, Youth  
and Families  
New Jersey Association for Infant Mental Health  
New Jersey Association of Mental Health and Addiction  
Agencies, Inc.  
New Jersey Citizen Action  
NewBridge Services, Inc.  
Partners for Kids and Families  
RESULTS Central NJ Domestic  
Robins' Nest Inc.  
Somerset Treatment Services  
Statewide Parent Advocacy Network  
Vantage Health System, Inc.

#### **New Mexico**

American Lung Association in New Mexico  
Native American Disability Law Center  
New Mexico Early Childhood Development Partnership  
New Mexico Voices for Children  
United Way of Central New Mexico  
United Way of Santa Fe County

#### **New York**

American Lung Association in New York  
Center for Independence of the Disabled, NY  
Children's Defense Fund - New York  
Citizens' Committee for Children of New York, Inc.  
Community Service Center of Greater Williamsburg

Concerned Citizens For Change  
 Dominican Sisters in Committed Collaboration  
 Family & Children's Service of Niagara  
 Greater New York Labor Religion Coalition  
 Interfaith Impact of New York State  
 Jacob A. Riis Neighborhood Settlement  
 League of Women Voters of St. Lawrence County  
 MercyFirst  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
 Practitioners - E- Chapter  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
 Practitioners - Greater New York Chapter  
 New York Dental Hygienists' Association  
 NYS American Academy of Pediatrics  
 NYS Coalition for Children's Behavioral Health  
 NYS Council for Community Behavioral Healthcare  
 Outreach Development Corporation  
 Prevent Child Abuse New York  
 Reform Jewish Voice of New York State  
 Schenectady Inner City Ministry  
 Schuyler Center for Analysis & Advocacy  
 Sisters of St. Dominic of Blauvelt, NY  
 Southern Tier Independence Center  
 St. Lawrence Chapter AAUW  
 The Children's Agenda  
 United Way of Buffalo & Erie County  
 Westchester Children's Association

### **North Carolina**

Acorn Developmental Therapy  
 American Lung Association in North Carolina  
 Children First  
 Disability Rights North Carolina  
 Exceptional Children's Assistance Center  
 Families Moving Forward  
 League of Women Voters of Asheville-Buncombe  
 County  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
 Practitioners - Charlotte, North Carolina Chapter  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
 Practitioners - North Carolina Chapter  
 NC Child  
 North Carolina Early Childhood Foundation  
 Pisgah Legal Services

### **North Dakota**

American Lung Association in North Dakota  
 Family Voices of North Dakota

### **Ohio**

American Lung Association in Ohio  
 Asian Services In Action  
 Butler County United Way  
 Children's Defense Fund-Ohio  
 Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center  
 Contact Center  
 Dayton Children's Hospital  
 Grace United Church of Christ  
 Human Service Chamber of Franklin County  
 Meigs County Health Department  
 Ohio Consumers for Health Coverage  
 Ohio Federation of Teachers  
 Ohio United Way  
 Pathways of Central Ohio  
 Prevent Blindness, Ohio Affiliate  
 RESULTS Columbus  
 Richland County Children Services  
 Schubert Center for Child Studies, Case Western  
 Reserve University  
 SE Ohio Central Labor Council AFL-CIO  
 Shriners Hospital for Children Cincinnati  
 St. Paul United Methodist Church  
 The Ohio Council of Behavioral Health & Family  
 Services Providers  
 United Appeal for Athens County  
 United Way of Greater Cincinnati  
 United Way of Greater Cleveland  
 United Way of Greater Lima  
 United Way of Greater Stark County  
 United Way of Greater Toledo  
 United Way of Hocking County  
 United Way of Medina County  
 United Way of Southern Columbiana County  
 United Way of the Greater Dayton Area  
 United Way of Williams County  
 Voices for Ohio's Children

### **Oklahoma**

American Lung Association in Oklahoma  
 Oklahoma Family Network  
 Oklahoma Institute for Child Advocacy

### **Oregon**

American Association of University Women of Oregon  
 American Lung Association in Oregon

APANO (Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon)  
 Basic Rights Oregon  
 Central City Concern  
 Children First for Oregon  
 Children's Institute  
 Coalition of Communities of Color  
 Community Action Partnership of Oregon  
 Disability Rights Oregon  
 Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon  
 NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
 Practitioners - Oregon Chapter  
 Newman United Methodist Women  
 Oregon AFSCME Council 75  
 Oregon Center for Christian Voices (OCCV)  
 Oregon Dental Association  
 Oregon Food Bank  
 Oregon Latino Health Coalition  
 Oregon Nurses Association  
 Oregon Pediatric Society  
 Oregon PTA  
 Oregon School-Based Health Alliance  
 Phoenix Ventures  
 Washington County Kids

### **Pennsylvania**

Allies for Children  
 American Lung Association in Pennsylvania  
 Bhutanese Community Association of Pittsburgh  
 Bucks County Medical Society  
 Bucks County Women's Advocacy Coalition  
 CareLink Community Support Services  
 Catholic Social Services  
 CZAR Consulting  
 Family Services of Western Pennsylvania  
 Field Center for Children's Policy, Practice  
 & Research  
 Goldsboro Pediatrics, PA  
 JPIC Committee for the Sisters of St. Francis of  
 Philadelphia  
 Liberty Community Connections, Inc.  
 Mental Health Association in Pennsylvania  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
 Practitioners - Pennsylvania/Delaware Valley Chapter  
 National Association of Pediatric Nurse  
 Practitioners - Pennsylvania/Three Rivers Chapter  
 PA Catholic Health Association

PA Coalition for Oral Health  
 PA Health Funders Collaborative  
 Parent Education & Advocacy Leadership  
 (PEAL) Center  
 Pediatric Palliative Care Coalition  
 Pennsylvania Council of Churches  
 Pennsylvania Partnerships for Children  
 Public Citizens for Children and Youth  
 Silver Springs - Martin Luther School  
 Sisters of Saint Joseph of Chestnut Hill,  
 Philadelphia, PA  
 United Way of Pennsylvania  
 United Way of the Titusville Region  
 United Way of Western Crawford County  
 United Way of York County

### **Rhode Island**

Adoption Rhode Island  
 American Baptist Churches of Rhode Island  
 American Lung Association in Rhode Island  
 Berean Baptist Church  
 Catholic social services of R.I.  
 Child & Family RI  
 Children's Friend  
 Family Service of RI (FSRI)  
 Meeting Street  
 National Council of Jewish Women Rhode  
 Island Advocacy Network  
 Progreso Latino, Inc  
 Reach Out and Read RI  
 Rhode Island Civil Rights Roundtable  
 Rhode Island Coalition for Children and Families  
 Rhode Island for Community & Justice  
 Rhode Island Interfaith Coalition to Reduce Poverty  
 Rhode Island KIDS COUNT  
 Rhode Island Organizing Project  
 Rhode Island Parent Information Network  
 Rhode Island State Council of Churches  
 RI Coalition Against Domestic Violence  
 RICMA  
 Temple Beth-El  
 The Economic Progress Institute  
 The Groden Network  
 The Providence Center  
 URI Feinstein Center for a Hunger Free America  
 Washington County Coalition for Children

## **South Carolina**

American Lung Association in South Carolina  
Children's Trust of South Carolina  
Healthy Families Georgetown  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - South Carolina Chapter  
Palmetto Association for Children and Families  
Protection and Advocacy for People with Disabilities, Inc.  
SC Appleseed  
United Way of the Midlands

## **South Dakota**

American Lung Association in South Dakota

## **Tennessee**

American Lung Association in Tennessee  
Better World Properties  
Black Children's Institute of Tennessee  
Community Coalition Against Human Trafficking  
Family Voices of Tennessee  
Knoxville Area Urban League  
Loudon County Education Foundation  
Susannah's House  
Tennessee Commission on Children and Youth  
Tennessee Disability Coalition  
United Way Elizabethton/Carter County  
United Way of Benton County  
United Way of Greater Chattanooga  
United Way of Hawkins County  
United Way of West Tennessee  
United Way of Williamson County  
United Ways of Tennessee  
Wesley House Community Center

## **Texas**

ADAPT of Texas  
American Lung Association in Texas  
CASA of Galveston County  
Center for Public Policy Priorities  
Children's Defense Fund – Texas  
Coalition of Texans with Disabilities  
Covenant House Texas  
Easterseals Central Texas  
Lena Pope  
Methodist Healthcare Ministries of South Texas, Inc.  
NAMI Texas

National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - Austin, Texas Chapter  
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners - Houston, Texas Chapter  
National Association of Social Workers - Texas Chapter  
One Voice Texas: A Collaborative for Health and Human Services  
Prevent Blindness Texas  
Tarrant County Spiritual Care Network  
Texas Association of Charitable Clinics  
Texans Care for Children  
Texas Children's Hospital  
Texas Dental Association  
Texas Kids Can't Wait  
Texas Parent to Parent  
Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Hidalgo County  
United Way of Southern Cameron County  
United Ways of Texas  
Voices for Children of San Antonio

## **Utah**

American Lung Association in Utah  
Children's Service Society  
Disability Law Center of Utah  
Utah Family Voices  
Utah Health Policy Project  
Utah Statewide Independent Living Council  
Voices for Utah Children  
YWCA Utah

## **Vermont**

American Lung Association in Vermont  
Disability Rights Vermont  
Vermont Family Network  
Voices for Vermont's Children

## **Virginia**

Access Independence, Inc  
American Lung Association in Virginia  
Appalachian Independence Center, Inc.  
Blue Ridge Independent Living Center  
Child Health Investment Partnership  
Children's Health Investment Program  
Early Impact Virginia  
Fairfax County Child Care Advisory Council  
Fairlington Preschool

Families Forward  
Family Lifeline  
Health Brigade  
Hemophilia Association of the Capital Area  
Infant Toddler Family Day Care  
Jefferson Area CHIP, Inc.  
League of Women Voters  
Main Street Child Development Center  
Mental Health America of Virginia  
National Alliance on Mental Illness of Virginia  
New River Community Action  
New River Valley Disability Resource Center  
Northern Virginia Association for the Education of  
Young Children  
Northern Virginia Family Service  
Nurture Child and Family, PLLC  
Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church  
Positive Transitions  
Rappahannock United Way  
Reston Children's Center  
Social Action Linking Together (SALT)  
Smart Beginnings Greater Prince William  
The Commonwealth Institute for Fiscal Analysis  
The League of Women Voters of Virginia  
Virginia AFL-CIO  
Virginia Association of Community Psychiatric Nurses  
Virginia Association of Community Services Boards  
Virginia Civic Engagement Table  
Virginia Community Healthcare Association  
Virginia Counselors Association  
Virginia Hemophilia Foundation  
Virginia Interfaith Center for Public Policy  
Virginia Oral Health Coalition  
Virginia Organizing  
Virginia Poverty Law Center  
Voices for Virginia's Children

### **Washington**

American Lung Association in Washington  
Association of Washington Housing Authorities  
Children's Alliance  
Community Health Network of Washington  
Conscious Talk Radio  
Foster Care Alumni of America-Washington Chapter

Foundation for Healthy Generations  
Northwest Health Law Advocates  
Partners for our Children  
Partnerships for Action Voices for Empowerment  
(PAVE)  
Seattle Housing Authority  
United Way of King County  
United Way of Kitsap County  
Washington State Association of Head Start and  
ECEAP

### **West Virginia**

American Lung Association in West Virginia  
CASA of Marion County  
Literacy Volunteers of Marion County  
Marion County Senior Citizens, Inc.  
Partners in Community Outreach  
Sobrania Inc  
United Way of Marion County  
United Way of the River Cities  
West Virginia Council of Churches  
West Virginia Oral Health Coalition  
West Virginians for Affordable Health Care

### **Wisconsin**

Alternatives in Psychological Consultation, SC  
American Lung Association in Wisconsin  
Children's Health Alliance of Wisconsin  
Children's Hospital of Wisconsin  
Citizen Action of Wisconsin  
Community Advocates, Inc.  
Community Development Authority  
Congregations United to Serve Humanity  
End Domestic Abuse WI  
Family Voices of Wisconsin  
Fresh Start Family Services  
Kids Forward  
Lutheran Office for Public Policy in Wisconsin  
Madison-area Urban Ministry  
Medical College of Wisconsin  
Milwaukee Mental Health Task Force  
NAMI Wisconsin  
One Wisconsin Now  
Our Space, Inc.  
United Way Fox Cities  
United Way of Jefferson & North Walworth Counties

United Way of Wisconsin  
UPLIFT- WY Family Voices  
Warmline, Inc.  
Wisconsin Alliance for Women's Health  
Wisconsin Association of Family & Children's  
Agencies  
Wisconsin Board for People with Developmental  
Disabilities  
Wisconsin Coalition of Independent Living Centers  
Wisconsin Council of Churches  
Wisconsin Early Childhood Association  
Wisconsin Faith Voices for Justice  
Wisconsin Family Ties  
Wisconsin Health Insurance Advocate LLC  
Wisconsin Oral Health Coalition  
Wisconsin Public Health Association

**Wyoming**

American Lung Association in Wyoming  
United Way of Albany County  
Wyoming Children's Law Center, Inc  
Wyoming Community Foundation

