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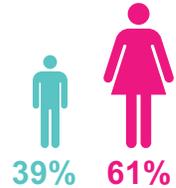


Why the need

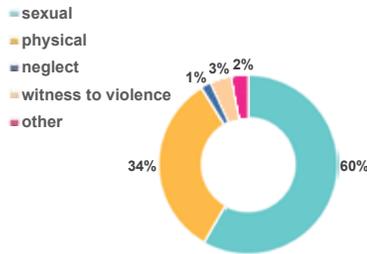
Child abuse is a sad reality that can happen in any community, to any family. Children and youth of all ages experience abuse in the Niagara Region. It transcends all backgrounds, cultures and walks of life. On average, one interview per day takes place at Kristen French CACN.



gender



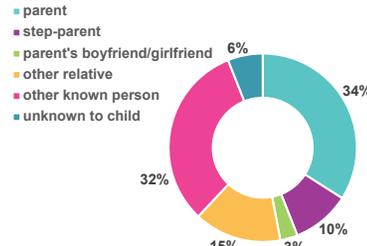
type of abuse



age



relationship to child



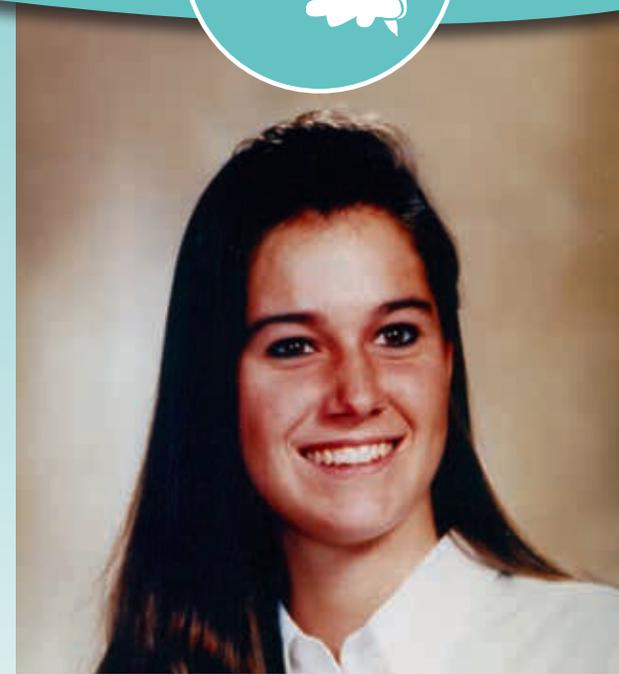
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Help protect children now and for years to come.
Consider speaking to us about planned giving.



Protect a child. Report abuse.



Family and Children's Services Niagara
905-937-7731 or 1-888-937-7731

Niagara Regional Police Service
905-688-4111

If you suspect a child is in immediate danger, call 9-1-1



Kristen French Child Advocacy Centre Niagara proudly endorses the Niagara Children's Charter



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a safe place to help, heal, end child abuse

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Who We Are

The Kristen French Child Advocacy Centre Niagara is a **safe place to help, heal, and end child abuse** for Niagara's children and youth who have been physically or sexually abused, become the targets of internet luring, or were the unwilling witness of violence..

Opened in 2008, the Centre is a friendly, child-focused setting where children and youth speak about their experience of abuse to specially trained teams that investigate and conduct forensic interviews. These video-recorded interviews are proven to be effective in gathering valuable information to help both the child and the justice system. Counselling is provided at no cost and without a wait list.

Our home-like building is nestled in a welcoming, tree lined residential neighbourhood. Kristen French CACN partners with the Niagara Regional Police Service, Family and Children's Services Niagara, Family Counselling Centre Niagara and medical professionals to serve Niagara's 12 municipalities, helping children and families cope with the life altering impacts of child abuse.

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Planned Giving...*For You?*

Throughout your lifetime you have supported causes that are important to you – such as Kristen French CACN. People like you have helped ensure that we have been able to continue with the very critical role we play in the lives of abused children. ***How can you continue to make a difference - now and in the future?***

Just as you have given much thought to key decisions in your life, you will want to do the same when it comes to planning your charitable gifts and your estate.

Legacy giving is a gift for the future.

You can make a major planned gift during your lifetime or you can plan to leave a bequest in your will. This may be your greatest opportunity to make a difference in a way that matters most to you.

Some ways you can make a legacy gift:

A GIFT IN YOUR WILL:

Talk to your lawyer about revising your will to include appropriate wording which will recognize Kristen French CACN. Contact us to let us know, and we can acknowledge your generosity in our publications. Or you can remain anonymous. Your estate will benefit from a charitable receipt.

A GIFT OF PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES:

This is one of the most cost-effective ways to contribute, as you pay no capital gains tax as well as receiving a tax receipt for the full market value of the donation.

LIFE INSURANCE:

A carefully planned life insurance policy, with the proceeds going to the Kristen French CACN, can be very tax effective either while you are still alive, or when you pass away. It allows you to leave a larger sum of money to the Kristen French CACN without effecting your future financial goals, while at the same time preserving your estate.

A DONATION THROUGH YOUR WILL OF YOUR RRSP OR RRIF:

These are fully taxable at death, but up to 100% of the tax on your net income in both the year of death and the preceding year can be offset by a Kristen French CACN charitable donation.

