



"The Big Hugs for Little Hearts is dedicated to promoting empowerment and encouraging the hearts of children affected by trauma through prevention and recovery. Big Hugs for Little Hearts provides all children that have been abused, abandoned, or neglected from birth to age eighteen in the United States with essential items they need to thrive and become positive contributing members of society."

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"Be the change you want to see in the world."



A Child Advocacy & Human Services Organization

HOW TO GET INVOLVED

- Kristin Leest



Our Story

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Big Hugs for Little Hearts is a nonprofit created to help children from birth to age eighteen overcome abuse, abandonment, and neglect and achieve their dreams. We provide resources to help with legal needs, educational assistance, and medical costs.

The organization was founded in Charleston South Carolina by Kristin Leest a survivor of childhood trauma. Today she is working towards a goal of assisting children across the United States to achieve their dreams of education, and coping with their traumatic experience.

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Food Donation Drop-off

At Big Hugs for Little Hearts, we are dedicated to stepping up our efforts in addressing this issue. Food Donation Drop-Off is by no means an easy feat, but through cooperation and community empowerment we believe we can facilitate progress in this area. We are always striving to make a difference, and invite you to learn more and lend your support.

Health & Wellness Support Fundraiser

With this initiative, our goal is to promote great opportunities for those in need. With access to the right resources, people can become empowered by their own abilities and gain the confidence to fulfill their potential.

Toy Donation Drop-off

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Teen Homeless Outreach Services

With our organization's mission always in mind, we strive to find new strategies for dealing with this challenge. Teen Homeless Outreach is something that we take very seriously, and our team is working each and every day to make a positive impact.

Clothing Donation Drop-off

At Big Hugs for Little Hearts, we are dedicated to stepping up our efforts in providing clothes for children in need. With the support and community, we believe we can facilitate progress in this area. We are always striving to make a difference, and invite you to learn more and lend your support.

Literacy Book Donation Drop-off

With this initiative, our goal is to promote and support child literacy. With access to the right resources, people can become empowered by their own abilities and gain the confi-

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