

UCP of Central Florida Fact Sheet

Our Mission

We are the experts for children with special needs.

By providing the best support, education and therapy, we offer hope to everyone touched by a disability.

Our Organization

UCP of Central Florida has been helping children with special needs succeed for more than 50 years. We are one of the community's most respected nonprofits, founded in 1955 by a group of dedicated parents who wanted a better life for their children.

Today, UCP of Central Florida serves more than 2,300 children with all types of special needs including cerebral palsy, Down syndrome, autism, spina bifida, speech delays, developmental delays and vision and hearing impairments.

More than 70% of the children UCP serves come from economically challenged families. However, UCP helps each child reach their full potential regardless of his or her family's ability to pay.

Our Locations

- Downtown Orlando (Holloway Center)
- East Orange County (near UCF)
- Osceola County (Kissimmee)
- Seminole County (Lake Mary)
- Pine Hills
- West Orange County (Winter Garden)

Disability Profile of Children Served

Speech and Oral Motor	35%
Developmental Delays	32%
Autism/Sensory	4%
Cerebral Palsy	4%
Down syndrome	3%
Other	22%

Ethnic Profile of Children Served

Caucasian	28%
Hispanic	42%
African America	20%
Other	10%

Our SET of Services

Support

- Individual & Family Counseling
- Support groups for parents & siblings
- Recreation programs for children and adults

Education

- Pre-K/Kindergarten Charter School
- Inclusion Program for children with and without disabilities
- Transitional Learning Academy (Middle School Charter School)
- Shakespeare with Heart - Inclusive summer drama camp for middle & high school students
- Before & after-school childcare

Therapy - Birth to age 21

- Occupational Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Speech Therapy
- Music Therapy

Leadership

President & CEO

Ilene E. Wilkins

Chairman of the Board of Directors

Kelly Lafferman, VP Marketing, Tavistock Group

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