

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE
VIDDA FOUNDATION
Cover Sheet

Date of application: August 5, 2026

Name of organization to which grant would be paid: The Brigid Alliance

Purpose of grant (one sentence): To provide high quality, compassionate, and comprehensive practical and procedure support services to individuals who must travel long distances for abortion care.

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Is your organization an IRS 501(c) (3) not-for-profit?: Yes ☒ or No ☐

If no, please explain: N/A

Grant request: \$15,000

Check one (based on the organization's priorities and the funder's guidelines):

General support ☒

Project support ☐

Total organizational budget (for current year): \$13,370,100

Dates covered by this budget (mo/day/year): October 1, 2025 - September 30, 2026

Total project budget (if requesting project support): N/A

Dates covered by project budget (mo/day/year): N/A

Project name (if applicable): N/A

I. PROPOSAL SUMMARY

The Brigid Alliance is the leading national organization that provides travel, practical, and logistical support for clients seeking abortion care, especially for those later in pregnancy, for whom it is generally more difficult and more expensive to access care. Our service coordinators create custom itineraries for each client we work with, accounting for local transportation, long-distance travel, overnight accommodations, meals, childcare, and whatever else it takes to help someone get to their abortion provider and back home safely and with dignity. Since our founding in 2018, The Brigid Alliance has grown to a team of 35 and has helped more than 10,000 clients from all 50 states and beyond.

II. NARRATIVE

A. Background

History and Mission

The Brigid Alliance was founded in 2018 by Carol Davis, Lenore Davis, and Leah Gould, whose shared commitment to reproductive freedom was galvanized by the outcome of the 2016 election. Recognizing that state-level abortion restrictions were accelerating and that the federal courts were becoming increasingly hostile to abortion rights, they set out to understand where support was most urgently needed. After months of listening to providers, advocates, and people directly impacted by these barriers, they identified a critical and unaddressed need: helping individuals—particularly those later in pregnancy—travel across state lines to access abortion care.

The gap they focused on filling was especially urgent for those facing complex, but all-too-common, circumstances: people in states where care didn't exist after 10 or 12 weeks; minors in the foster care system; already-parenting women without family support who had to travel with children or arrange childcare; survivors of domestic violence who needed to travel in secrecy; unhoused individuals; undocumented people unable to fly; and those with no savings, no paid time off, and no financial safety net—people for whom traveling meant skipping meals, missing rent, or giving up a shelter bed. In response, Carol, Lenore, and Leah launched The Brigid Alliance in August 2018, creating a practical, compassionate service model that has become the gold standard for supporting abortion patients—just in time for the need for long-distance travel to skyrocket in the wake of the *Dobbs* decision.

The Need and Client Demographics

The Brigid Alliance addresses the profound barriers to abortion care faced by individuals across the country. More than 23 million people of reproductive age – one in three nationally – reside in the 18 states where abortion bans are currently in effect. These restrictions force thousands to travel long distances for care, with an estimated 14,250 people crossing state lines monthly – a 134% increase since the *Dobbs* decision. A study published in the *American Journal of Public Health* comparing abortion access before and after state bans found that, post-ban, 81% of people seeking care had to travel out of state – often facing significantly greater burdens, including a fourfold increase in travel time (from 2.8 to 11.3 hours), a rise in overnight stays (from 5% to 58%), and more than double the travel costs. These bans also push people further into pregnancy, with the proportion of abortions at 13+ weeks doubling

from 8% to 17%. Meanwhile, a study published in *JAMA Open Network* found that 42% of abortion patients incurred catastrophic health expenditures—costs so high they compromise basic household needs—with out-of-state travelers disproportionately affected (65% vs. 32%).

For individuals living on low incomes, accessing an abortion becomes a near impossibility as pregnancies progress into the second and third trimesters due to rising costs, limited providers, and unjust legal and circumstantial barriers. This is the population The Brigid Alliance exists to serve. Seventy-five percent of our clients are BIPOC, 57% already have dependents, 71% travel from the South, 47% report incomes of less than \$500 per month, 86% report losing wages as a result of traveling for care, 10% have a disability or chronic condition, 8% identify as LGBTQIA+, and they range in age from as young as 10 to 53 years old. These numbers highlight the intersectional barriers our clients face, which are often compounded by the burden of traveling long distances for abortion care.

New Programs: Addressing Gaps in Abortion Care

Practical support will always remain the heart of our work, but the intensifying strain on reproductive access demands we go further. In response, we've expanded our services to address three strategic priorities: 1) fully meeting the funding needs of our clients, thereby clearing the path to abortion care, 2) extending the reach of our resources through block funding, and 3) building public support by elevating client voices.

The Last Mile Fund: Fully Meeting Our Clients' Funding Needs

The Brigid Alliance has always operated on the foundational principle that our clients' practical support costs are fully covered, period. They never have to secure multiple funding sources for travel, lodging, or logistical expenses – their search ends with us. Last year, we extended this same philosophy to procedure costs through the Last Mile Fund, our first venture into abortion procedure funding.

This expansion addresses a critical gap by reducing the financial, administrative, and time burdens that fall on the shoulders of abortion seekers. Many of our clients are forced to piece together procedure funding from multiple sources, navigating a patchwork of increasingly stretched abortion funds. The Last Mile Fund provides rapid-response funding that closes these last-minute financial gaps once and for all, ensuring no client is turned away from care due to unresolved funding shortfalls.

The impact has been profound – not only for clients, many of whom have expressed deep gratitude for the support, but also for our program efficiency. With fewer funding gaps, clients are far less likely to be turned away from care or require rebooking, allowing our coordinators to focus their time and energy more effectively. Clinic partners echoed this impact, with one noting: “Quite frankly, [the LMF has] been a large part of what has allowed us to stay open and keep saying yes to patients. It has also allowed us to stay true to one of our core values: that no one is turned away due to funding.”

Block Funding and All-Trimester Care: Extending our Reach

Block funding allows us to multiply our impact through trusted clinic partners. Abortion seekers are being forced to travel for care even in the first trimester, and many face financial barriers that make that

travel impossible without support. Even though clinics want to help patients overcome travel and logistical barriers, many of them have no funding mechanism to provide that support. Through block funding, we allocate resources directly to clinics, giving their staff flexibility to efficiently cover not only patients' practical support, but procedure support and contraceptive care expenses as well.

While block funding has been part of our model since FY24, in FY26 we're strategically expanding this program from three clinics to more than ten. Critically, this expansion also broadens our impact across gestational ages: we've historically focused on clients beyond 15 weeks who face the heaviest burdens, but block funding now gives clinic partners the flexibility to serve patients earlier in pregnancy when more care options are still available and less costly, significantly extending our reach.

We are also using block funding as a means of testing new services. Many of our clients travel from contraceptive deserts – regions with severely limited access to family planning services. In FY25, we partnered with the DuPont Clinic in Washington, DC to pilot a contraceptive support program through our block funding model. All of our clients traveling to DuPont for abortion care had the option to receive an IUD at no cost, fully covered by The Brigid Alliance. This ensures that clients who've overcome tremendous barriers to access abortion care can also access contraception, if they choose. In FY26, we have made this program an option for any clinic that receives our block funding support.

The Client Engagement Program: Building Public Support

While abortion data shines a light on systemic barriers, research shows that individual stories are what shift perspectives, build empathy, and change minds. Because The Brigid Alliance works primarily with clients later in pregnancy who face the highest burdens and most complex circumstances, we are uniquely positioned to share narratives that are often missing from public discourse about reproductive rights. As our friend and ally Dr. Shelley Sella writes in her book *Beyond Limits*, “If we can open our hearts to the most desperate among us, we can understand all who seek to have an abortion.”

The Client Engagement Program operates on this principle and creates a pathway for clients to engage with The Brigid Alliance in a range of ways – from completing a short feedback survey to sharing their experiences with supporters, the media, and beyond. This program is grounded in our deep commitment to client agency, and we view it as an opportunity to foster a sense of community among those we've supported. By creating space for clients to share their stories on their own terms, we aim not only to strengthen our services but also to help break down stigma surrounding later abortion.

In the first year of the program, 183 clients completed surveys – with 123 opting to share their stories. To give you a sense of the kinds of narratives emerging from the program, here are three stories ([Paige](#), [Asha](#), [Kailey](#)) that we've circulated on our social media, and through ambassadors like Sara Bareleis and social media outlets like [NowThis](#).

Recent Accomplishments

The addition of procedure cost funding through the Last Mile Fund, the expansion of our block funding program, and the Client Engagement Program mark an important evolution of The Brigid Alliance's

work. As we expand our work in new ways, direct support for clients later in pregnancy remains our priority and cornerstone – it's still what our clients most urgently need. In the years immediately following *Dobbs*, meeting that need consumed everything we had. With expanded capacity and a more mature infrastructure, we are beginning to take a more holistic approach. Broadly, for our clients, success now looks like this: a person in a ban state facing a 1,400-mile journey, overwhelming costs, and compounding barriers reaches care with dignity intact and a coordinator by their side (virtually) – and returns home with not just the abortion they needed, but long-term contraceptive support if desired, and the opportunity to uplift their story in the broader fight for reproductive justice.

A similar evolution is happening on the clinic side. Our expanded block funding model now allows partner clinics to address a fuller range of patient needs (practical support, procedure costs, and contraceptive care) drawing on Brigid's resources to do so, and at any gestational age. When working with Brigid, clinics will no longer be limited to a single point of intervention later in pregnancy. As our Block Funding program grows, clinics will be able to operate across a continuum of care, with the flexibility to handle straightforward cases directly, while maintaining a clear pathway to refer clients facing the most complex barriers to Brigid's coordinators for dedicated, one-on-one support. Ultimately, this model of partnership is about more than filling immediate gaps, it's about building a reproductive healthcare ecosystem that is coordinated, resilient, and strong enough to withstand the political, legal, and social forces working against it.

Number of Paid Staff

The Brigid Alliance currently employs 35 full-time employees.

Our Partnerships and What Sets Us Apart

As a referral-based organization, our partners rely on us to get patients to their appointments and home safely. We regularly collaborate with more than 170 independent clinics, local abortion funds, and national organizations such as Planned Parenthood, the National Network of Abortion Funds (NNAF), the Abortion Care Network (ACN) and the National Abortion Federation (NAF). Independent clinics, which provide the vast majority of second- and third-trimester care, are our most critical partners. Through initiatives such as block funding, we provide clinics with resources to cover urgent, last-minute needs when we're at capacity or closed, ensuring clients can still access timely care. Our close coordination with clinics also helps us project client volume, allowing us to scale our services effectively.

The Brigid Alliance occupies a unique position in the reproductive access landscape. While many abortion funds and practical support organizations serve clients across a range of gestational ages, we specialize exclusively in later abortion care. This almost always means we are serving clients in the second or third trimester; the average gestational age of our clients is 26 weeks. These are among the most complex and underserved cases in the repro space: clients often face multiple, compounding barriers, longer multi-day procedures, and greater logistical and emotional burdens. This specialization means our team has developed deep expertise in navigating the specific needs of this population, from extended lodging arrangements to coordination with a select network of clinics that provide this care.

Our national reach further distinguishes us. We serve clients from every state, and our ability to coordinate travel across vast distances — often from states with the most hostile legal climates to the handful of clinics nationwide that provide later care — requires a level of logistical sophistication that few organizations are built to deliver. This scope also means we sit at a critical juncture in the broader ecosystem: we are often the last chance for our clients to receive the care they need.

B. Funding Request

The Brigid Alliance respectfully requests a \$15,000 general support grant to help us reach the following milestones in FY27 (October 1, 2026 - September 30, 2027):

Goal 1: Serve 3,500 clients, with at least 2,100 served in-house by Brigid Alliance coordinators and 1,400 clients served by block funding.

Goal 2: Commit \$1,250,000 and serve approximately 425 clients through the Last Mile Fund.

Goal 3: Increase block funding to \$1,300,000, and continue to onboard new clinics into the program.

Note: The Brigid Alliance is currently in the process of budgeting and goal-setting for FY27 and we are not yet in a position to finalize our FY27 goals. The numbers provided above are preliminary estimates. As our FY26 goals indicated, we are making significant investments in reaching more clients through practical support, procedure support, and block funding. This year's planned expansion — as well as rising fuel and travel costs, new threats on reproductive health from the current administration, and the fragile state of our democracy — will inform our budgeting process for FY27. With that said, we expect continued growth as these programs mature and reach more people in need. We'd welcome the opportunity to share updated goals in fall 2026, once that process is complete.

C. Evaluation

We measure our progress toward the goals above through a combination of quantitative performance indicators and qualitative client-centered evaluation. Key metrics — such as the number of clients served, average itinerary and procedure costs, and geographic reach — are tracked in Salesforce and reviewed by program staff and leadership on a monthly, quarterly, and annual basis. These data points directly inform decisions around service expansion and the addition of new clinic partnerships.

In addition, our Client Engagement Program deepens our evaluation efforts by centering the voices and experiences of those we serve. This program focuses on three core areas: gathering and sharing client stories to reduce stigma and build public support, collecting client feedback to inform continuous improvement of our services, and evaluating partner clinics to ensure we're connecting clients with the highest quality care. This initiative reinforces our commitment to client agency and ensures that our program evolution is grounded in the real-world experiences of abortion seekers navigating increasingly complex and costly barriers to care. Together, these evaluative practices ensure that our programs remain responsive, effective, and accountable to the communities we serve.

III. ATTACHMENTS

The following documents are attached below.

A. Financial Information

1. Our FY24 audited financial statements.
2. Our operating expense budgets for the current and most recent fiscal year.
3. A list of foundation and corporate supporters and all other sources of income, with amounts, for our current and most recent fiscal year.

B. Other Supporting Materials

1. A list of our Board of Directors, with their affiliations.
2. A copy of our IRS letter indicating our agency's tax exempt status.
3. One-paragraph bios of key staff.
4. Our FY25 annual report.



FY23-24 Audit Note: Total Assets vs Current Assets

As reflected in our FY23-24 audit, our organization's total assets stand at \$14,763,843, of which \$4,925,343 are current assets, or funds we can currently draw on. The difference between total and current assets is explained by two factors: (1) a \$9,000,000 board-designated reserve, equal to approximately eight months of operating expenses for the FY25-26 fiscal year, originally established in the aftermath of the *Dobbs* decision three years ago and consistent with best practice recommendations for non-profits by the Better Business Bureau; and (2) \$838,500 in pledged giving, which we are not yet in possession of.

Our transition from cash-based to accrual-based accounting means that pledged commitments are counted toward FY23-24, even though they will be received in the coming years. While multi-year pledges are essential to our long-term financial sustainability and organizational growth, it is also important to note that pledged giving depreciates in value over time – factors such as inflation mean that each future installment carries less buying power than it does today.

Our board's foresight in creating a reserve positions us to pursue ambitious growth. Most notably, The Brigid Alliance's plan to increase annual program capacity by 58% in FY25-26, bringing the total number of clients served per year to 3,000. This financial cushion strengthens our resilience as we scale, but ongoing support remains essential to sustain this trajectory. Our financial planning occurs within a volatile legal and philanthropic environment. With federal grantmaking steadily diminishing under the current administration, and more organizations competing for private foundation support, the demand for reliable, flexible revenue streams is higher than ever.



The Brigid Alliance

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2024 AND 2023**

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE, INC.

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September 30, 2024 and 2023

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Directors of
The Brigid Alliance, Inc.:

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Brigid Alliance, Inc. (a Delaware nonprofit corporation) (the Organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of September 30, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets, cash flows, and functional expenses for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Brigid Alliance, Inc. as of September 30, 2024 and 2023, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Organization and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, which raise substantial doubt about the Organization's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements (Continued)

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Organization's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

The signature is written in a cursive, handwritten style. It reads "AAFCPA, Inc." with a stylized flourish at the end of the word "Inc."

Westborough, Massachusetts
June 30, 2025

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE, INC.Statements of Financial Position
September 30, 2024 and 2023

Assets	2024	2023
Current Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,003,756	\$ 1,276,689
Short-term investments - operating funds	2,255,389	8,986,260
Current portion of grants and contributions receivable	1,618,199	199,903
Prepaid expenses and other	30,747	6,988
Equipment, net	17,252	24,912
Total current assets	4,925,343	10,494,752
Grants and Contributions Receivable, net	838,500	-
Investments - Strategic Funds and Board Designated	9,000,000	-
Total assets	<u>\$ 14,763,843</u>	<u>\$ 10,494,752</u>
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	<u>\$ 448,223</u>	<u>\$ 207,177</u>
Net Assets:		
Without donor restrictions:		
Operating	5,963,620	4,287,575
Board designated	6,000,000	6,000,000
Total without donor restrictions	11,963,620	10,287,575
With donor restrictions	2,352,000	-
Total net assets	14,315,620	10,287,575
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 14,763,843</u>	<u>\$ 10,494,752</u>

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE, INC.

Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets
For the Years Ended September 30, 2024 and 2023

	2024					2023		
	Without Donor Restrictions			With Donor Restrictions	Total	Without Donor Restrictions		
	Operating	Board Designated	Total			Operating	Board Designated	Total
Operating Revenue and Support:								
Grants and contributions	\$ 6,954,378	\$ -	\$ 6,954,378	\$ 3,230,500	\$ 10,184,878	\$ 9,543,747	\$ -	\$ 9,543,747
Other revenue	5,415	-	5,415	-	5,415	489	-	489
Net assets released from restrictions	878,500	-	878,500	(878,500)	-	-	-	-
Total operating revenue and support	7,838,293	-	7,838,293	2,352,000	10,190,293	9,544,236	-	9,544,236
Operating Expenses:								
Program services	4,975,038	-	4,975,038	-	4,975,038	5,460,014	-	5,460,014
Supporting services:								
General and administrative	914,815	-	914,815	-	914,815	824,604	-	824,604
Fundraising	789,422	-	789,422	-	789,422	584,100	-	584,100
Total supporting services	1,704,237	-	1,704,237	-	1,704,237	1,408,704	-	1,408,704
Total operating expenses	6,679,275	-	6,679,275	-	6,679,275	6,868,718	-	6,868,718
Changes in net assets from operations	1,159,018	-	1,159,018	2,352,000	3,511,018	2,675,518	-	2,675,518
Non-operating Revenue:								
Investment return	517,027	-	517,027	-	517,027	341,654	-	341,654
Changes in net assets	1,676,045	-	1,676,045	2,352,000	4,028,045	3,017,172	-	3,017,172
Net Assets:								
Beginning of year	4,287,575	6,000,000	10,287,575	-	10,287,575	7,270,403	-	7,270,403
Transfer to Board designated	-	-	-	-	-	(6,000,000)	6,000,000	-
End of year	<u>\$ 5,963,620</u>	<u>\$ 6,000,000</u>	<u>\$ 11,963,620</u>	<u>\$ 2,352,000</u>	<u>\$ 14,315,620</u>	<u>\$ 4,287,575</u>	<u>\$ 6,000,000</u>	<u>\$ 10,287,575</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE, INC.

Statements of Cash Flows

For the Years Ended September 30, 2024 and 2023

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:		
Changes in net assets	\$ 4,028,045	\$ 3,017,172
Adjustments to reconcile changes in net assets to net cash and cash equivalents provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation	18,178	-
Change in discount on grants and contributions receivable	41,287	-
Unrealized gain on investments	(156,179)	(339,215)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Grants and contributions receivable	(2,298,083)	(199,903)
Prepaid expenses and other	(23,759)	12,048
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	241,046	(61,253)
	<u>1,850,535</u>	<u>2,428,849</u>
Net cash and cash equivalents provided by operating activities		
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:		
Purchase of investments	(2,112,950)	(3,748,009)
Purchase of equipment	(10,518)	(17,114)
	<u>(2,123,468)</u>	<u>(3,765,123)</u>
Net cash and cash equivalents used in investing activities		
Net Change in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(272,933)	(1,336,274)
Cash and Cash Equivalents:		
Beginning of year	<u>1,276,689</u>	<u>2,612,963</u>
End of year	<u>\$ 1,003,756</u>	<u>\$ 1,276,689</u>

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE, INC.

Statements of Functional Expenses
For the Years Ended September 30, 2024 and 2023

	2024				2023			
	Supporting Services				Supporting Services			
	Program Services	General and Administrative	Fundraising	Total	Program Services	General and Administrative	Fundraising	Total
Expenses:								
Support provided to clients:								
Travel and related	\$ 1,941,477	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,941,477	\$ 2,115,754	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,115,754
Meals	469,985	-	-	469,985	395,319	-	-	395,319
Childcare	111,830	-	-	111,830	86,311	-	-	86,311
Grants	93,250	-	-	93,250	1,082,228	-	-	1,082,228
Total support provided to clients	2,616,542	-	-	2,616,542	3,679,612	-	-	3,679,612
Other expenses:								
Personnel and related	1,560,178	396,635	532,490	2,489,303	1,286,444	282,428	412,702	1,981,574
Communications and marketing	406,125	87,415	205,003	698,543	314,579	104,860	150,467	569,906
Professional fees	184,306	219,177	6,781	410,264	104,351	186,085	-	290,436
Office expenses	127,712	45,720	25,848	199,280	43,013	78,747	6,377	128,137
Bank and merchant fees	30,188	97,926	-	128,114	32,015	351	-	32,366
Staff training	30,539	29,538	13,499	73,576	-	121,792	-	121,792
Temporary help	17,076	3,013	-	20,089	-	10,619	-	10,619
Depreciation	-	18,178	-	18,178	-	-	-	-
Insurance	-	12,353	-	12,353	-	34,640	-	34,640
Professional development	2,372	4,860	-	7,232	-	5,082	-	5,082
Filing fees	-	-	5,801	5,801	-	-	14,554	14,554
Total other expenses	2,358,496	914,815	789,422	4,062,733	1,780,402	824,604	584,100	3,189,106
Total expenses	\$ 4,975,038	\$ 914,815	\$ 789,422	\$ 6,679,275	\$ 5,460,014	\$ 824,604	\$ 584,100	\$ 6,868,718

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE, INC.

Notes to Financial Statements
September 30, 2024 and 2023

1. OPERATIONS AND NONPROFIT STATUS

The Brigid Alliance, Inc. (the Organization) is a national nonprofit, tax-exempt organization founded in 2018 to alleviate constraints on individuals who must travel for safe and appropriate family planning services (abortion care), by providing assistance with transportation, accommodations, meals, childcare, and emotional support. The Organization is supported through donor contributions.

The Organization is exempt from Federal income taxes as an organization (not a private foundation) formed for charitable purposes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The Organization is also exempt from state income taxes.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation

The Organization prepares its financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting standards and principles (U.S. GAAP) established by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). References to U.S. GAAP in these notes are to the FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC).

Net Assets

Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions

Net assets without donor restrictions are those net resources that bear no external restrictions and are generally available for use by the Organization. The Organization has classified its net assets without donor restrictions into the following categories:

Operating consists of amounts relating to program and other operating activities and are currently available for operations.

Board-designated consists of funds designated by the Board of Directors to be used for future growth and expansion of new services that require approval from the Board for usage. The Board has designated \$6,000,000 for these purposes. Subsequent to year end, the Organization designated an additional \$3,000,000 for these purposes.

Net Assets With Donor Restrictions

Net assets with donor restrictions represent amounts received or committed with donor restrictions which have not yet been expended for their designated purposes (purpose restricted) and amounts for unrestricted use in future periods (time restricted). As of September 30, 2024, \$2,352,000 of grants and contributions are time restricted. There were no net assets with donor restrictions at September 30, 2023.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of the statements of cash flows, the Organization considers all highly liquid investments with an initial maturity of less than one year to be cash and cash equivalents. Cash and cash equivalents consist of checking and money market accounts in the accompanying statements of financial position. Cash and cash equivalents included in the investment portfolio are excluded from cash and cash equivalents for purposes of the statements of cash flows.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Investments

The Organization records interest and dividends from investments when earned. Gains or losses on investments are recognized as realized upon sale or based on market value changes during the period. Investment return is reported in the accompanying statements of activities and changes in net assets as increases or decreases in net assets without donor restrictions unless their use is restricted by explicit donor stipulations or by law. At September 30, 2024, investments consist of cash and cash equivalents and exchange-traded funds which are reported at fair value. At September 30, 2023, investments consist of Treasury bills with an initial maturity over three months but within one year.

Grants and Contributions Receivable and Allowance for Doubtful Accounts

Grants and contributions receivable represent unconditional promises to give by donors and have been recorded at net realizable value. Grants and contributions receivable are due from individuals. A reserve for uncollectible grants and contributions receivable is provided as necessary by management based on a review of underlying pledges. The Organization has determined that no reserve is necessary at September 30, 2024 or 2023. Grants and contributions receivable from three and four donors represented 73% and 99% of grants and contributions receivable for the years ended September 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively. Long-term portion of grants and contributions receivable has been discounted at a rate of 2.05% and is expected to be collected through 2028.

Equipment

Equipment purchased by the Organization is recorded at cost. Donated equipment is recorded at fair value at the date of the gift. The Organization capitalizes additions in excess of \$1,000 at cost or fair value, if donated. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful life of five years.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Fair Value Measurements

The Organization follows the accounting and disclosure standards pertaining to ASC Topic, *Fair Value Measurements*, for qualifying assets and liabilities. Fair value is defined as the price that the Organization would receive upon selling an asset or pay to settle a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants.

The Organization uses a framework for measuring fair value that includes a hierarchy that categorizes and prioritizes the sources used to measure and disclose fair value. The hierarchy is broken down into three levels based on inputs that market participants would use in valuing the financial instruments based on market data obtained from sources independent of the Organization. Inputs may be observable or unobservable.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

Observable inputs are inputs that reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the financial instrument developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs are inputs that reflect the reporting the Organization's own assumptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset developed based on the best information available.

The three-tier hierarchy of inputs is summarized in the three broad levels as follows:

Level 1 - Inputs that reflect unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets at the measurement date.

Level 2 - Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset either directly or indirectly, including inputs in markets that are not considered to be active.

Level 3 - Inputs that are unobservable and which require significant judgment or estimation.

An asset or liability's level within the framework is based upon the lowest level of any input that is significant to fair value measurement. The carrying value of all other qualifying assets and liabilities does not differ materially from its estimated fair value and are considered Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy.

Revenue Recognition

In accordance with ASC 2018-08, *Not-for-Profit Entities (Topic 958): Clarifying the Scope and the Accounting Guidance for Contributions Received and Contributions Made*, the Organization recognizes grants and contributions when unconditionally pledged or received. The Organization reports gifts of cash or other assets as net assets with donor restrictions if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statements of activities and changes in net assets as net assets released from restrictions.

In accordance with Topic 958, the Organization must determine whether a contribution (or a promise) is conditional or unconditional for transactions deemed to be a contribution. A contribution is considered to be a conditional contribution if an agreement includes a barrier that must be overcome and either a right of return of assets or a right of release of a promise to transfer assets exists. Indicators of a barrier include a measurable performance-related barrier or other measurable barriers, a stipulation that limits discretion by the recipient on the conduct of an activity, and stipulations that are related to the purpose of the agreement. Topic 958 prescribes that the Organization should not consider probability of compliance with the barrier when determining if such awards are conditional and should be reported as conditional grant advance liabilities until such conditions are met (see Note 6).

All other revenue is recognized as earned.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Allocation of Expenses

Expenses related directly to a function are distributed to that function, while other expenses are allocated based upon management's estimate of the percentage attributable to each function. Certain categories of expenses are attributable to more than one program or supporting function and are allocated on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. The expenses that are allocated are salaries, payroll taxes and employee benefits, which are allocated on the basis of estimates of time and effort; professional fees, office expenses, insurance, bank and merchant charges, which are allocated on the basis of estimates on usage attributable to each function.

Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets

The statements of activities and changes in net assets report the changes in net assets from operations and non-operating activities. Non-operating activities consist of investment return. All other activities are considered operating.

Income Taxes

The Organization accounts for uncertainty in income taxes in accordance with ASC Topic, *Income Taxes*. This standard clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in tax positions and prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement attribute for the financial statements regarding a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. The Organization has determined that there are no uncertain tax positions which qualify for either recognition or disclosure in the financial statements at September 30, 2024 and 2023. The Organization's information and tax returns are subject to examination by Federal and state jurisdictions.

Advertising Expense

The Organization's policy is to expense advertising costs as incurred. Advertising expense was \$67,745 for the year ended September 30, 2024, and is included in communications and marketing in the accompanying statements of functional expenses. The Organization had no advertising expenses for the year ended September 30, 2023.

Grants to Others

Grants to other organizations are recorded as the conditions of the grant are met by the grantee. Grants of \$93,250 and \$1,082,228 for the years ended September 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively, are reported as grants in the accompanying statements of functional expenses. These amounts include direct grant awards for services that align with the Organization's mission.

Subsequent Events

Subsequent events have been evaluated through June 30, 2025, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. There were no events that met the criteria for recognition or disclosure in the financial statements except as noted on page 6.

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE, INC.

Notes to Financial Statements
September 30, 2024 and 2023

3. INVESTMENTS

The Organization records its investments at fair value using Level 1 inputs (see Note 2). Investments – strategic funds and board designated are reflected as long-term assets in accordance with the Organization’s intent to hold investments for long-term growth and future initiatives. Short-term investments – operating funds are shown as current assets reflecting their intent for use in the near term. The Organization’s investment portfolio consists of the following at September 30:

	2024			
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,956,360	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,956,360
Fixed income	4,920,754	-	-	4,920,754
Equities	<u>378,275</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>378,275</u>
Total	<u>\$ 11,255,389</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 11,255,389</u>

	2023			
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Treasury bills	<u>\$ 8,986,260</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 8,986,260</u>

Certain cash and cash equivalent balances totaling \$2,984,007 at September 30, 2024, are fully insured. The remaining investments are not insured and subject to market fluctuations.

Net investment return consists of the following for the years ended September 30:

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Interest and dividends	\$ 355,867	\$ 2,439
Unrealized gains	156,179	339,215
Realized gains	<u>4,981</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>\$ 517,027</u>	<u>\$ 341,654</u>

4. RETIREMENT PLAN

The Organization offers a group sponsored 403(b) retirement plan (the Plan) to employees. The Plan covers substantially all employees and provides the employees with the opportunity to make contributions to the Plan on a tax-deferred basis. Effective April 1, 2024, an amended plan was implemented and made retroactive to January 1, 2024. The plan matches 5% of an employee’s contribution for the first \$60,000 of earnings up to \$3,000 in employer contributions. There were employer contributions of \$85,983 and \$12,308 made to the Plan for the years ended September 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively. Plan activity is included in personnel and related in the accompanying statements of functional expenses.

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Notes to Financial Statements
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5. EQUIPMENT

Equipment consists of the following at September 30:

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Computers	\$ 36,087	\$ 27,684
Less - accumulated depreciation	<u>(18,835)</u>	<u>(2,772)</u>
Equipment, net	<u>\$ 17,252</u>	<u>\$ 24,912</u>

6. CONDITIONAL GRANTS

The Organization received one conditional grant from an individual. The grant is expected to support program activities through April 30, 2027. The grantor reserves the right to terminate the agreement at any time and will release funds as the Organization achieves certain goals as outlined in the grant documents. The Organization has \$7,212,500 remaining on this commitment which is not reflected in the accompanying financial statements.

7. AVAILABILITY AND LIQUIDITY

The Organization's financial assets available within one year from the statements of financial position date for general operating expenses are as follows as of September 30:

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,003,756	\$ 1,276,689
Short-term investments	2,255,389	8,986,260
Grants and contributions receivable - unrestricted	<u>104,699</u>	<u>199,903</u>
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year	<u>\$ 3,363,844</u>	<u>\$ 10,462,852</u>

The available balance at September 30, 2024 and 2023, represents approximately six and eighteen months of operating expenses, respectively. The Organization also has long-term investments of \$9,000,000 available at September 30, 2024 (see Note 3).



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The Brigid Alliance - Budget At-A-Glance

Fiscal Year 2025-2026

EXPENSES

Client Services

Personnel	\$2,869,809.86
Transportation	\$1,589,940.00
Lodging	\$1,524,600.00
Meals	\$849,420.00
Last Mile Fund	\$525,000.00
Block Funding - Practical Support	\$350,000.00
Block Funding - Contraceptive Care	\$250,000.00
Block Funding - Procedure Support	\$225,000.00
Childcare	\$217,800.00
Regranting	\$150,000.00
Comfort	\$108,900.00
Pre & Aftercare	\$99,970.20
Digital Infrastructure	\$90,000.00
Security	\$60,631.52
Travel Management	\$54,450.00
Legal	\$50,000.00
Phones	\$38,729.41
Staff Travel	\$30,000.00
Conferences & Training	\$25,875.00
Client Engagement	\$18,720.00
Staff Counseling	\$2,400.00
Misc	\$126,300.00
Clients Services Total	\$10,212,960.15

Ops & Admin

Personnel	\$779,491.34
Accounting & Audit	\$303,500.00
403b	\$143,283.39
Remote & Wellness Stipend	\$86,200.00
Payroll & Benefits Admin	\$68,635.00
All Staff Retreats	\$65,000.00
Insurance	\$62,750.00



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Professional Development	\$61,500.00
Financial Planning	\$50,000.00
Digital Infrastructure	\$46,923.40
Hardware	\$24,000.00
Staff Travel	\$22,500.00
Conferences & Training	\$19,300.00
On/Offboarding	\$16,250.00
Team Retreats	\$7,500.00
Miscellaneous	\$42,700.00
<u>Ops & Admin Total</u>	<u>\$1,799,533.13</u>

Communications

Personnel	\$378,193.09
Digital Strategy	\$240,000.00
Merch & Marketing	\$145,000.00
PR & Media Strategy	\$135,000.00
Client Engagement	\$92,000.00
Website Maintenance	\$25,000.00
Events	\$15,000.00
Printing & Postage	\$13,000.00
Miscellaneous	\$22,000.00
<u>Communications Total</u>	<u>\$1,065,193.09</u>

Fundraising

Personnel	\$965,328.61
Database Platform Fees	\$108,000.00
Events	\$30,000.00
Postage & Printing	\$17,500.00
Database	\$17,000.00
Staff Travel	\$15,000.00
State Charity Registration	\$10,000.00
Team Retreats	\$10,000.00
Prospect Development	\$5,000.00
Miscellaneous	\$20,000.00
<u>Fundraising Total</u>	<u>\$1,197,828.61</u>

<u>TOTAL EXPENSE</u>	<u>\$13,370,100.85</u>
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Please note that Communications expenses are distributed between program (85%) and nonprogram (15%), resulting in a program total of \$10,212,960.15 (76.39%) and non-program total of \$3,157,140.70 (23.61%).

INCOME

Individual Giving

Board Give/Get	\$500,000.00
Principal Gifts	\$2,500,000.00
Major Gifts	\$3,000,000.00
Mid-Level Gifts	\$1,750,000.00
Grassroots Gifts	\$1,000,000.00

Institutional Giving

Foundations	\$4,000,000.00
Government	\$330,000.00

Events	\$20,000.00
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Miscellaneous	\$500,000.00
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<u>TOTAL INCOME</u>	<u>\$13,600,000.00</u>
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Released from unrestricted assets:	\$6,000,000.00
Raised for FY25-26:	\$6,500,000.00
Raised for FY26-27:	\$6,500,000.00



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The Brigid Alliance - Budget At-A-Glance

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

EXPENSES

Program Direct

Transportation	\$1,809,375
Lodging	\$1,785,250
Meals	\$940,875
Childcare	\$422,187
Comfort	\$120,625
Misc	\$120,625
Travel Management	\$60,312
Language Interpretation	\$1,200
Bank Charges	\$1,200
<u>Program Direct Expense Subtotal</u>	<u>\$5,261,650</u>

Program Support

Personnel (Salary)	\$1,817,334
Personnel (Benefits & Payroll)	\$431,800
Staff Travel	\$37,000
Staff Counseling	\$2,400
Data Management	\$82,590
Comms Software	\$11,116
Phone Service	\$16,524
Dues/Subscriptions	\$5,100
Security	\$27,635
Conferences, Workshops, & Trainings	\$135,050
Block Funding	\$80,000
Misc	\$15,000
<u>Program Support Expense Subtotal</u>	<u>\$2,661,550</u>

Program Subtotal **\$8,747,729**



NONPROGRAM EXPENSES

Operations & Administration

Personnel (Salary)	\$633,967
Personnel (Benefits & Payroll)	\$150,631
Staff Travel	\$12,000
Accounting & Audit	\$265,000
Payroll & Benefits ADministration	\$30,855
Insurance (D&O, GL, Cyber)	\$38,000
403b	\$103,502
Professional Development	\$48,250
Financial Planning	\$50,000
Remote Stipend	\$43,500
Hardware	\$27,000
Conferences, Workshops, & Trainings	\$10,000
Digital Infrastructure	\$46,923
Staff Retreats	\$50,000
Dues & subscriptions	\$14,300
Banking Service Charges	\$600
Onboarding / Offboarding Costs	\$32,000
Legal Support	\$68,000
Board Engagement	\$25,000
Misc	\$15,000
<u>Operations & Administration Subtotal</u>	<u>\$1,664,529</u>

Fundraising

Personnel (Salary)	\$596,393
Personnel (Benefits & Payroll)	\$141,704
Staff Travel	\$12,000
Database	\$5,000
Database Platform Fees (2%)	\$117,100
Events	\$10,000
Postage & Printing	\$8,000
State Charity Registrations	\$6,000
Conferences, Workshops, & Trainings	\$13,000
Prospect Development	\$15,000
Misc	\$15,000
<u>Fundraising Subtotal</u>	<u>\$939,200</u>



Communications

Personnel (Salary)	\$304,680
Personnel (Benefits & Payroll)	\$72,392
Staff Travel	\$12,000
Website Maintenance & Design	\$50,000
Digital Strategy	\$254,800
PR & Media Strategy	\$108,000
Merchandise & Marketing	\$264,000
Conferences, Workshops, & Trainings	\$18,500
Misc	\$15,000
<u>Communications Subtotal</u>	<u>\$1,099,372</u>

Nonprogram Subtotal **\$2,878,572**

TOTAL EXPENSES **\$11,626,301**

*** Please note that Communications expenses are distributed between program (75%) and nonprogram (25%), resulting in a program total of \$8,747,729 / 75.24% and a nonprogram total of \$2,878,572 / 24.76% ***

INCOME

Individual Giving

Board Give/Get	\$130,000
Principal Gifts	\$4,000,000
Major Gifts	\$2,800,000
Mid-Level Gifts	\$1,975,000
Grassroots Gifts	\$950,000
Recurring Gifts	\$550,000

Institutional Giving

Private Foundations	\$2,100,000
Family Foundations	\$1,225,000
Government	\$350,000

Miscellaneous	\$500,000
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TOTAL INCOME **\$14,580,000**

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Top Institutional Funders - FY26*			
Funder	Total Amount	Funding Type	Grant Duration
The Pixley Hill Foundation	\$1,109,400	Gen Ops	10/2025 - 9/2026
Schusterman Family Philanthropies	\$1,100,000	Gen Ops	7/2026 - 7/2028
Anonymous	\$600,000	Gen Ops	4/2026 - 4/2028
Crankstart Foundation	\$500,000	Gen Ops	4/2026 - 4/2027
October Mountain Foundation	\$500,000	Program	7/2025 - 7/2026
Anonymous	\$350,000	Gen Ops	7/2025 - 7/2026
The Avis & Clifford Burrus Medical Foundation	\$300,000	Gen Ops	12/2024 - 12/2027
Hackerman Foundation	\$300,000	Program	7/2025 - 7/2027
Lainoff Family Foundation	\$300,000	Gen Ops	8/2025 - 8/2030
Morningstar Foundation	\$225,000	Program	4/2026 - 4/2027
The Velma Fund	\$225,000	Gen Ops	12/2025 - 12/2028
The Bergstrom Foundation	\$200,000	Program	10/2025 - 9/2026
Collaborative for Gender and Reproductive Equity	\$200,000	Gen Ops	12/2024 - 11/2026
Levi Strauss Foundation	\$200,000	Gen Ops	6/2026 - 6/2028
The Weintraub Family Foundation	\$200,000	Gen Ops	6/2025 - 6/2027
The Lisa & Douglas Goldman Fund	\$175,000	Program	5/2025 - 5/2026
Every Page Foundation	\$150,000	Gen Ops	3/2025 - 3/2028
The Isabel Allende Foundation	\$150,000	Gen Ops	1/2025 - 1/2028
Girls Just Want To Have Fundamental Rights Fund	\$125,000	Gen Ops	2/2026 - 2/2027
Anonymous	\$100,000	Gen Ops	2/2026 - 2/2027
Harman Family Foundation	\$100,000	Gen Ops	7/2026 - 7/2027
Educational Foundation of America	\$100,000	Gen Ops	6/2025 - 6/2027
The Jacob and Hilda Blaustein Foundation	\$100,000	Gen Ops	12/2024 - 12/2026
Malachowsky Family Foundation	\$100,000	Gen Ops	12/2025 - 12/2026
* Includes active grants totaling \$100,000+			

The Brigid Alliance				
Top Institutional Funders for FY25				
Committed Funders		FY25 Grant Amount	Funding Type	Grant Period
The Pixley Hill Foundation		\$500,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
October Mountain Foundation		\$500,000	Program	One-year grant
Anonymous		\$350,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
Anonymous		\$250,000	Unrestricted	Four-year grant totaling \$1,000,000 (2024-2027)
Schusterman Family Philanthropies		\$250,000	Unrestricted	Two-year grant totaling \$500,000 (2025-2026)
The Bergstrom Foundation		\$200,000	Program	One-year grant
The Gottesman Fund		\$200,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
The Lisa & Douglas Goldman Fund		\$175,000	Program	One-year grant
Morningstar Foundation		\$175,000	Program	One-year grant
Hackerman Foundation		\$150,000	Program	Two-year grant totalling \$300,000 (2025-2026)
Collaborative for Gender and Reproductive Equity		\$100,000	Unrestricted	Two-year grant totaling \$200,000 (2025-2026)
The Avis & Clifford Burrus Medical Foundation		\$100,000	Unrestricted	Three-year grant totaling \$300,000 (2025-2026)
The Weintraub Family Foundation		\$100,000	Unrestricted	Two-year grant totaling \$200,000 (2025-2026)
National Network of Abortion Funds		\$85,000	Program	One-year grant
Philadelphia Foundation		\$75,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
Lainoff Family Foundation		\$60,000	Unrestricted	Five-year grant totaling \$300,000 (2025-2029)
Girls Just Want to Have Fundamental Rights Fund		\$60,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
Joan and Alan Ades-Taub Family Foundation		\$60,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
Argosy Foundation		\$50,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
Every Page Foundation		\$50,000	Unrestricted	Three-year grant totaling \$150,000 (2025-2027)
The Isabel Allende Foundation		\$50,000	Unrestricted	Three-year grant totaling \$150,000 (2025-2027)
Educational Foundation of America		\$50,000	Unrestricted	Two-year grant totalling \$100,000 (2025-2026)
The Jacob and Hilda Blaustein Foundation		\$50,000	Unrestricted	Two-year grant totaling \$100,000 (2025-2027)
Four Pines Charitable Foundation		\$50,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
Anonymous		\$50,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
Anonymous Fund of Marin Community Foundation		\$50,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
The Barbara Epstein Foundation		\$50,000	Unrestricted	One-year grant
* Grants of \$50,000 and up.				



Board List

FY26 (October 1, 2025 - September 30, 2026)

Jasmine Teer, Chair
Director of Strategy, Roku
Los Angeles, CA

Lenore Davis, Co-Founder
Philanthropist
New York, NY

Leah Gould, Secretary
Director of Public Service, University of Virginia, School of Law
Charlottesville, VA

Marlowe Greenberg, Treasurer
Founder and Chief Product Officer, Foothold Technology
New York, NY

Dr. Laura Meyers, Member
Chief Executive Officer, Planned Parenthood of Metropolitan Washington
Washington, DC

Kathleen McCarthy, Member
Senior Director, Global Foundations and Trusts, International Rescue Committee
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Justin Sundheimer, Member
Senior Director of Safe Ride Support, HopSkipDrive
State College, Pennsylvania

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DLN:
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Contact Telephone Number:
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Accounting Period Ending:
September 30
Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
Form 990/990-EZ/990-N Required:
Yes
Effective Date of Exemption:
November 28, 2017
Contribution Deductibility:
Yes
Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

THE BRIGID ALLIANCE INC

We sent a copy of this letter to your representative as indicated in your power of attorney.

Sincerely,

Stephen A. Martin

Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements



Key Staff Biographies

Serra Sippel, *Executive Director*

Starting as Interim Executive Director in March 2023 and transitioning to the role permanently in October 2024, Serra has driven transformative growth at The Brigid Alliance. Under her leadership, the organization has doubled its staff, tripled bilingual capacity, and expanded partnerships. Serra has also spearheaded strategic initiatives to strengthen operations in a post-*Dobbs* era, enabling Brigid to meet growing needs.

Previously, Serra served as President of the Center for Health and Gender Equity (CHANGE) for 15 years, advancing global gender and reproductive rights. As president, Serra transformed the small non-profit into a leading policy advocacy organization, raising more than \$24 million over the course of her tenure. Her bold and innovative policy advocacy, communications campaigns and coalition-building achieved high impact results including a U.S. commitment of \$385 million to prevent HIV infections among adolescent girls and young women in sub-Saharan Africa and the adoption of support for sexual and reproductive health and rights in the U.S. and globally as official U.S. policy.

In 2021, Serra co-founded Fòs Feminista, an international alliance for sexual and reproductive health, rights and justice (SRHRJ), through the merger of CHANGE with two other SRHRJ non-profits. At Fòs Feminista, Serra co-led an international team to create the Global Advocacy for Change Unit and global advocacy strategy that centers the priorities of advocates in the Global South. Serra's writings have been published in the media and peer-reviewed journals. She lives in Washington, D.C. with her husband and two dogs. Serra holds a master's degree in religion with a focus on peace and justice.

Louise Marchena, *Director of Client Services*

Louise Marchena started as our new Director of Client Services in November 2025. She brings deep experience in program strategy, organizational leadership, and reproductive and social justice work. Before joining The Brigid Alliance, she served as Co-Chief of Program Strategy & Operations at Equal Justice USA, where she helped guide national program direction and strengthen organizational systems.

Previously, Louise spent 15 years at Planned Parenthood of New York City, ultimately serving as Senior Director of Youth Programs. In that role, she led comprehensive education initiatives, community partnerships, and capacity-building efforts focused on

empowering young people across the city. Louise's career reflects her commitment to equity and reproductive access, and we are thrilled to have her on our team.

Sarah Moeller, *Senior Director of External Relations*

Sarah leads all fundraising and communications efforts for The Brigid Alliance, managing a team of nine and raising more than \$43 million since she joined the organization six years ago. She oversees major gifts, foundation and government funding, peer-to-peer campaigns, and digital marketing, along with organizational messaging, public relations, and asset development. Prior to Brigid, Sarah served as Director of Development at GLSEN, where she led a seven-person team and grew contributed income by over 20%. She also worked at Freedom to Marry, advancing marriage equality for same-sex couples. Sarah studied history and women's studies at Towson University; served on the Board of Directors of SAFER, an organization dedicated to combating sexual violence on college campuses; and has volunteered as an abortion clinic escort.



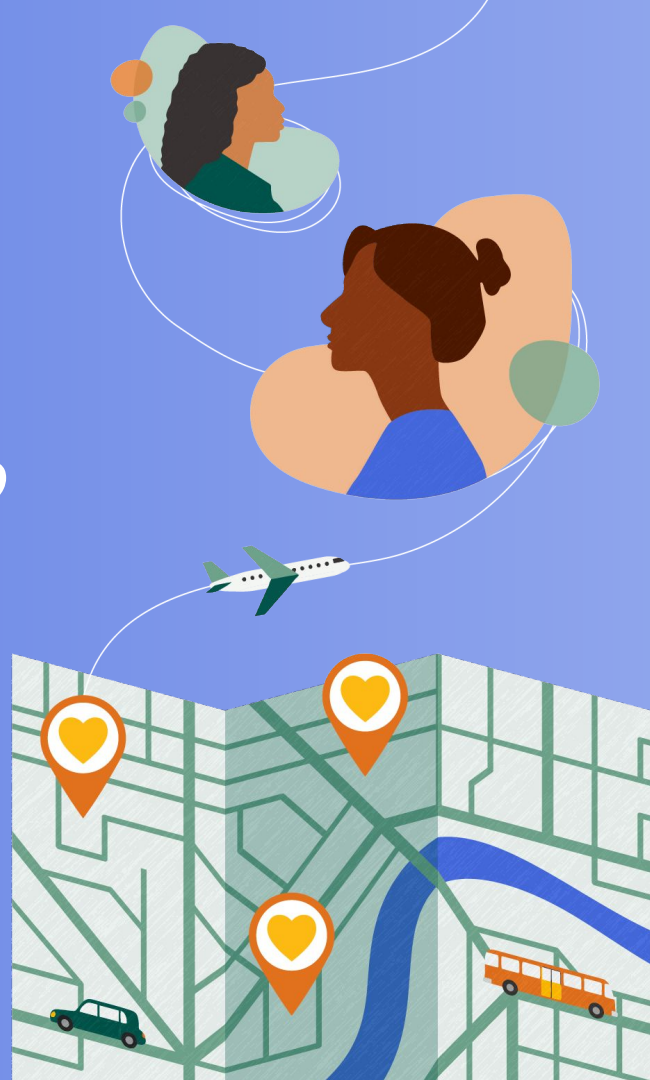
The
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Measured in Miles, Defined by Care

Ten million miles.
Thousands of people supported.

Annual Report

October 1, 2024 - September 30, 2025



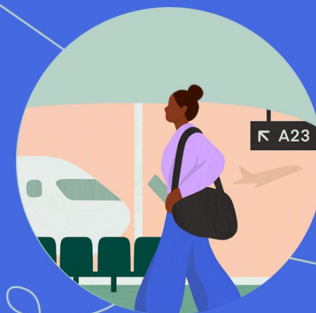
WHO WE ARE



The
Brigid
Alliance

The Brigid Alliance is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that provides individualized, all-inclusive support for people forced to travel long distances for abortion care.

We act as a dependable and consistent ally throughout our clients' journeys, taking care of all aspects of their itineraries, including local and long-distance travel, meals, lodging, childcare, and anything else that might make their experiences more comfortable. Through direct support and in collaboration with our network of partners, we bridge the increasingly wide gap between a pregnant person and their abortion provider. We get people to abortion care, whatever it takes.



Freedom, In Transit

Every day, people across this country travel extraordinary distances to access the abortion care they need.

One of them was a woman we'll call L*, who drove 16 hours through the night from Texas to Illinois with her mother beside her and her young daughter asleep in the backseat. Reflecting on her journey, she said, "I kept thinking freedom shouldn't be this far away."

Her words capture what Client Coordinators at The Brigid Alliance see every day. Behind every mile traveled for abortion care is a person who knows exactly what they need – and in their way is a system that forces them to navigate unnecessary barriers, delays, and costs to reach it.

The Brigid Alliance exists to help people overcome those barriers, even when it seems impossible. Our work ensures that people facing would-be insurmountable obstacles can access care with dignity, safety, and support. This year, as restrictions intensified across the country, we strengthened our position as the only national organization solely dedicated to providing comprehensive, practical support for people traveling long distances for abortion care.

It's easy to talk about rights in the abstract, but people need help today. That's why our mission has never been simply to bridge distance. It's been to restore agency to people who refuse to let geography, politics, and policy define their health and their future. We're not just here to document the distance. We're here to imagine its end.

Looking ahead, our responsibility is to match growing demand with strategic investment and vision. We aspire to a future where practical support is fully integrated into reproductive healthcare; where clinics and support organizations coordinate seamlessly; and where no one must cross state lines for essential care. Achieving this future will require partners who understand that removing barriers for those most impacted strengthens access for all. Philanthropic investment in infrastructure, innovation, and storytelling is essential to sustaining and expanding this work.

Stories like L's and too many others remind us that freedom is not theoretical, it's lived, and it's earned, and sometimes, it's driven through the night.

This year, we reached a major milestone: 10 million miles of barriers overcome by clients seeking abortion care.

Every one of those miles is a testament to the strength of abortion seekers and the commitment of our staff, partners, and supporters to ensure that abortion care is accessible. May we all be reminded that strength doesn't always look like standing tall. It often looks like standing together.

With gratitude,



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Jasmine M. Teer
Board Chair, The Brigid Alliance

LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Care as our Compass

In another year marked by shifting laws, rising costs, and relentless attacks on abortion care, The Brigid Alliance remained grounded in what matters most—our clients and the people who make our work possible.

In Fiscal Year 2025, we supported 1,879 people traveling nearly 1.3 million miles to reach abortion care, and together, we reached a significant milestone: 10 million miles traveled since our founding.

We also overcame challenges this year. With the start of the second Trump Administration the federal government became more hostile to reproductive health, rights, and access. There were cuts to public funding that strained clinics, intimidation caused by the militarization of cities where many clients travel for care, and overwhelming fear experienced by immigrant and Lantinx abortion seekers who needed to cross state lines. All of that was compounded by rising stigma, increasing travel costs, and everyday economic strain faced by the overwhelming majority of our clients.

In the midst of these shifting realities, The Brigid Alliance grew stronger. We supported 35% more clients than last year—nearly 500 additional individuals who overcame these barriers and accessed the care they needed. We also launched three key initiatives—the Southern Access Initiative, Last Mile Fund, and Client Engagement Program—each designed to close persistent gaps in access and meet the evolving needs of the people we serve.

This year, we also focused inward—investing in wellness, security, and systems that sustain our staff and strengthen our foundation. We welcomed two new leaders to our team: Dr. Suyanna LB., as Chief of Staff, and Yolanda M., as our General Counsel. Their deep expertise in equity, governance, and justice will help us navigate the path ahead with confidence.

Brigid's work has always been about movement—finding a way when the system puts up walls. That spirit of perseverance defines who we are. Thank you for standing with us as we journey forward—mile by mile—toward a future where abortion access is borderless, burden free, and accessible to all.

Warmly,



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Serra Sippel'.

Serra Sippel
Executive Director, The Brigid Alliance

WHAT OUR MISSION INVOLVES

Supporting Every Step of the Journey

For far too many people in the U.S., accessing abortion care means having to overcome a staggering number of logistical and financial obstacles. That's where we come in. Our coordinators are dedicated to ensuring our clients can reach their abortion provider and return home safely with personalized travel plans designed to meet each of their unique needs. From door to door, we deliver compassion, dignity, and unwavering support.



Transportation & Lodging

We coordinate and cover costs of both local and long-distance travel, and arrange and fully fund hotel accommodations.



Childcare & Meal Assistance

We offer stipends for meals and childcare, sending funds directly to clients in the most convenient way for them.



Procedure Funding

Starting this year, we covered procedure costs when the unexpected happens or partner funds are at capacity, so clients can focus on their health instead of financial barriers.



Contraceptive Care

This year, we began helping clients access IUDs, giving them more control over their reproductive health and after care.



Comfort Stipends

We provide funding for items like sanitary pads and pain relief, ensuring clients are comfortable during recovery.



Personal Travel Items

We pay for car repairs, temporary cell phones, cold weather clothing, car seats, and more to account for everything a client needs to get to their procedure.



Virtual Accompaniment

Our full-time coordinators offer non-judgmental, trauma-informed support throughout the entire process, from referral to intake and safe return home.



Post-Service Referrals

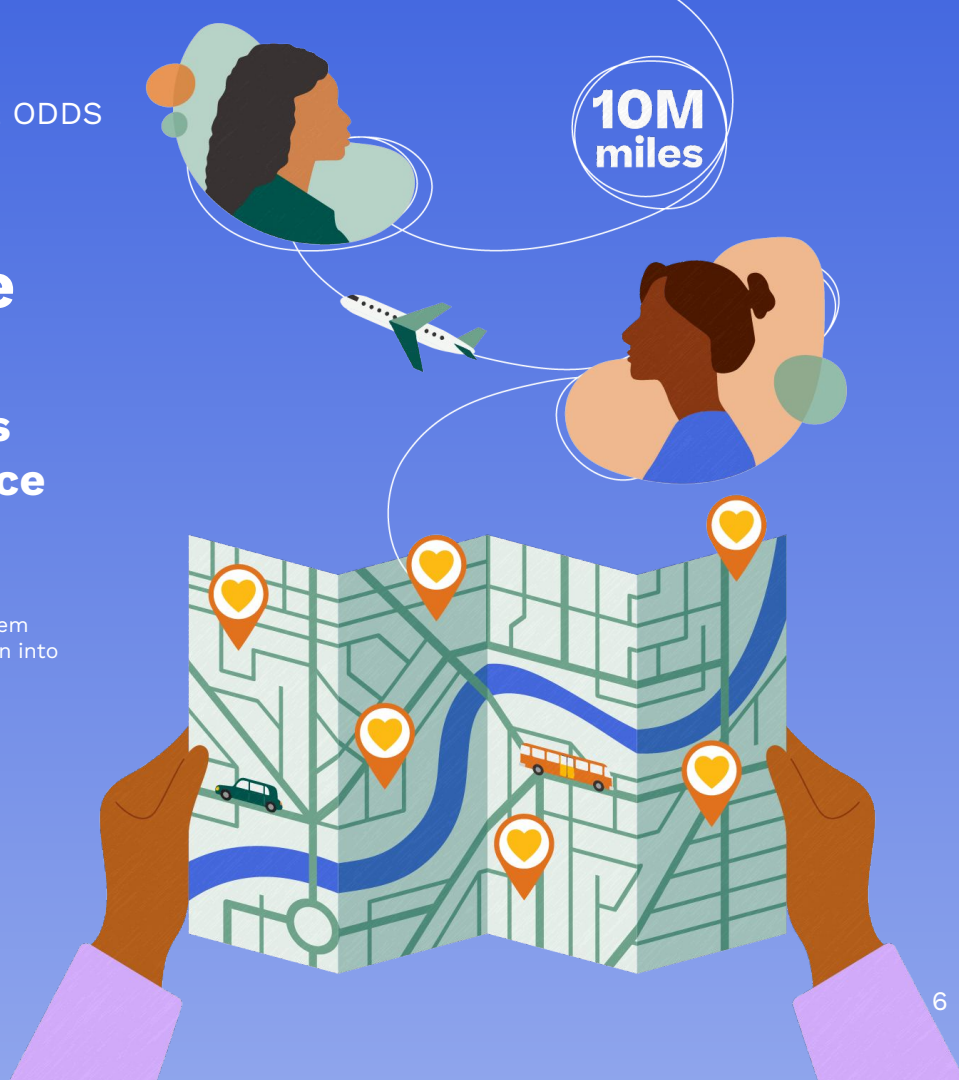
After the procedure, we connect clients with additional support as needed, including OBGYN care, housing assistance, and more.

10 MILLION MILES: REACHING CARE AGAINST THE ODDS

Celebrating an Extraordinary Milestone

This year, our clients reached a remarkable total of **10 million miles traveled to reach abortion care since 2018.**

This milestone represents more than just physical distance. Our clients overcame countless obstacles along the way—and your support helped them get there. What began in 2018 as a small act of practical support has grown into a nationwide network connecting thousands of people with safe, compassionate care no matter how far they have to go.



A NATIONAL SNAPSHOT: WHAT WE ACCOMPLISHED AND WHO WE SERVED

Supporting the Care Journey

Our supporters make it possible for us to help people traveling long distances to abortion care. In Fiscal Year 2025:



1,879

clients received compassionate,
holistic practical support



1.3M

miles were traveled by clients



\$8.5M

were disbursed in
practical support



88%

of clients traveled across
state lines to access care



1,548

average miles traveled
for out-of-state care



238

average miles traveled
for in-state care



93

clinics were traveled to
by clients nationwide



83

partner funds and practical support
organizations helped us fulfill our mission

Who Our Clients Are



75%

of our clients
identify as
BIPOC



57%

of our clients
have a dependent



10%

of our clients have a
disability or chronic
condition



7%

of our clients
identify as
LGBTQIA+



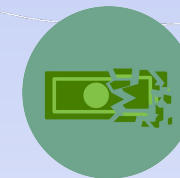
11%

of our clients identify
as or are related to
active military or vets



47%

of clients
made less than
\$500/mo



86%

of clients lost
wages to travel
for care



Our clients range in
age from

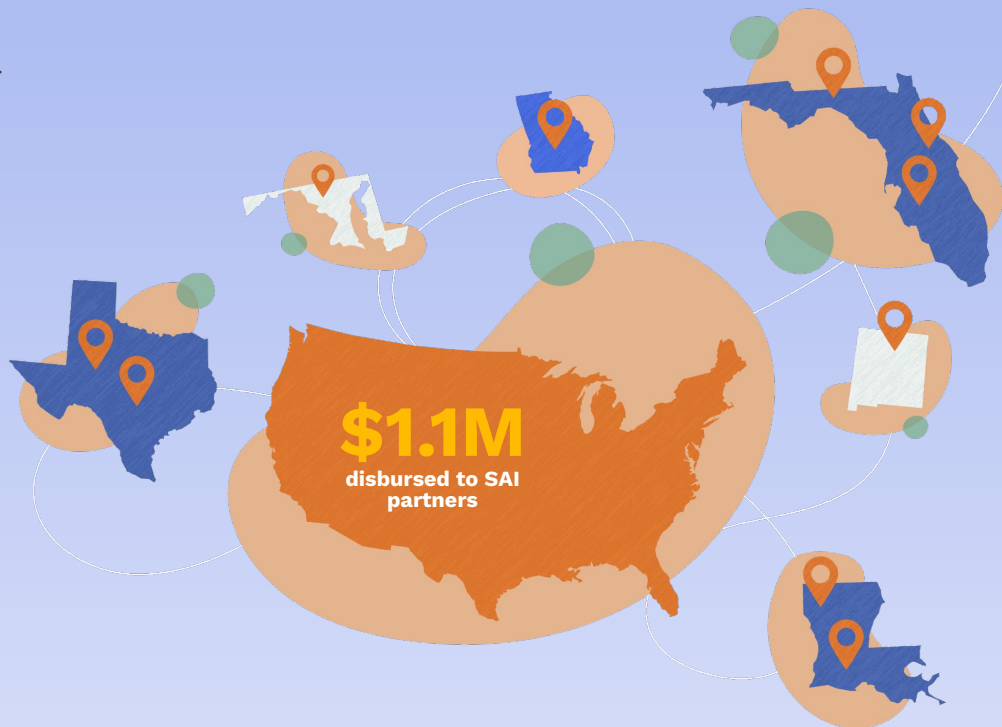
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EXTENDING OUR REACH, DEEPENING OUR IMPACT

Doubling Down on Abortion Access Across the South

This year, The Brigid Alliance launched our Southern Access Initiative (SAI) to ensure abortion access for people living in Southern states—where nearly three-quarters of our clients traveled from and where barriers to care are highest. In particular, we targeted Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, and Texas and the majority of these clients traveled to Maryland or New Mexico for care.

The initiative boosts awareness of our services, strengthens our partner network, and expands financial assistance. This year, we invested in local partners, launched visibility campaigns for abortion funds, clinics, and community groups, and reinforced the infrastructure that helps abortion seekers travel



Florida

- Florida Access Network
- Tampa Bay Abortion Fund
- Women's Emergency Network

Georgia

- Feminist Center for Reproductive Liberation

Louisiana

- Louisiana Abortion Fund
- Nancy Davis Foundation

Maryland

- The Foxglove Fund, Managed by Partners in Abortion Care

New Mexico

- Valley Abortion Group
- Fund Texas Choice Jane's Due Process

Texas

- Fund Texas Choice
- Jane's Due Process

National

- ReproTLC, Learner's Expense Fund for Individual Clinic Training

EXTENDING OUR REACH, DEEPENING OUR IMPACT

Doubling Down on Abortion Access Across the South

Our Southern Billboard Campaign

As part of our Southern Access Initiative, we launched our first multistate advertising campaign across Florida, Georgia, and Louisiana to reach people living under some of the nation's harshest abortion bans. In Georgia and Louisiana, the campaign included mobile billboard trucks that circled crisis pregnancy centers and university areas, along with static billboards.

These on-the-ground placements were designed to meet abortion seekers where misinformation is common and support is hardest to find. Across all three states, we paired this visibility work with a broad digital effort. English and Spanish ads ran on Facebook, Instagram, Google Search, and Pandora, targeting abortion seekers, potential clients, and women of reproductive age. Each ad directed people to state-specific landing pages featuring local partners and clinics for them to travel to with clear information about how to access travel, lodging, childcare, and other logistical support.

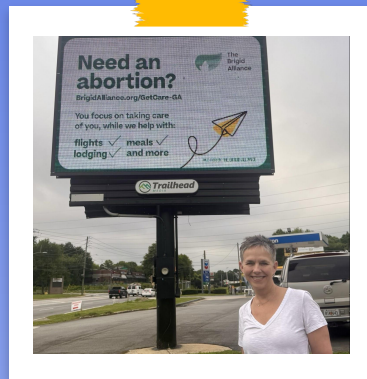
In total, the campaign generated more than 3.4 million impressions and 28,000 clicks. News coverage across the region resulted in 168 million in potential reach and \$1.6 million in advertising value. At a time when long distances, financial strain, and confusing laws can close off access to care, this campaign ensured that people across Florida, Georgia, and Louisiana could see—and reach—the support available to them.



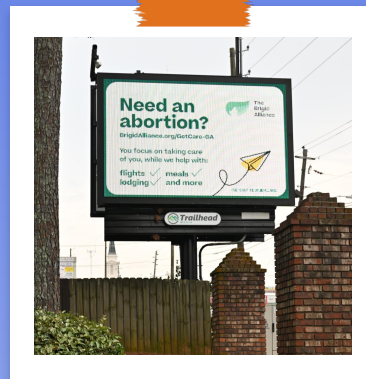
Billboard in New Orleans



Mobile Billboard in Atlanta



Serra Sippel, Executive Director,
with a billboard in Atlanta



Billboard in Atlanta

EXTENDING OUR REACH, DEEPENING OUR IMPACT

Innovating Procedure Funding and Contraceptive Access

This year, Brigid continued to innovate—introducing new ways to close gaps in access and meet clients' needs with greater efficiency, flexibility, and care.

The Last Mile Fund launched in early 2025 as a six-month pilot to cover last-minute gaps in procedure funding when other sources were unavailable. The pilot quickly demonstrated both strong demand and meaningful impact, with many clients describing the support they received as “life-changing.” Based on these outcomes, the Last Mile Fund was made a permanent program later in the year, ensuring clients are not turned away from care due to unresolved procedure costs.

Our **Contraceptive Care Pilot** launched alongside the Last Mile Fund and continues to grow through Brigid's collaboration with the DuPont Clinic. The program provides access to IUDs and ensures that clients who want long-term contraception can receive it before returning home to regions with limited reproductive and contraceptive healthcare.



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**clients received
procedure funding**



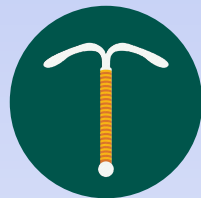
\$2,942

**average amount of
procedure funding**



Reduced

delays in care



\$65,000

**committed to
IUD funding**

EXTENDING OUR REACH, DEEPENING OUR IMPACT

What Partnership Looks Like in Practice



The
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“Thank you again for including us in the Last Mile Fund. It has really given us a chance to reflect on the impact Brigid has had on our patients and our clinic.”

The contributions from Brigid have made a very real difference for our patients, particularly in reducing the gap between what other funds are able to pledge and the overall cost of care. In several cases, your support has been the factor that allowed someone to move forward with their procedure without additional delay. Aside from the financial support you all provide patients, the reliability and speed with which Brigid responds has taken some of the pressure off of our patient navigation team, which has been huge as we’re still a new clinic with very limited capacity.

Since we began seeing patients in December 2024, we’ve received about \$560,000 in pledges from all funds and \$113,000 of that has come from Brigid, supporting 31 patients so far. For a small and still-growing clinic, that level of support has been critical. Quite frankly, it’s been a large part of what has allowed us to stay open and keep saying yes to patients. It has also allowed us to stay true to one of our core values: that no one is turned away due to funding.

A huge impact has been Brigid’s ability to fill gaps for patients coming from places where funding is harder to piece together. Brigid stepping in for those cases has made an incredible difference in making sure those patients aren’t falling through the cracks.

Most of the time, we’re essentially a one-person show when it comes to patient coordination, and I can’t overstate how much we appreciate how smooth, clear, and collaborative communication with Brigid has been.”

Listening, Learning, and Leading with Client Voices

In April 2025, Brigid launched the **Client Engagement Program (CEP)** — a feedback and storytelling initiative designed to keep clients connected and center their voices and experiences in our work.

Through the CEP, individuals who have received support from Brigid can choose to share feedback through short surveys and tell their stories in their own words. Last year, **144 clients** have shared feedback, and **23 stories** were prepared for use in Brigid's communications and fundraising.

These narratives reflect courage, resilience, and hope. The CEP is already strengthening our services and shaping how we communicate about the impact of practical support for later abortion seekers.



How Do You Ensure Storytelling is Secure and Client-Centered?

Every story belongs to the person who lived it. Clients decide if, when, and how their experience is shared, and explicit consent is required for every use. We prioritize privacy, digital safety, and the ability to change one's mind—ensuring that storytelling is always respectful, secure, and led by our clients.



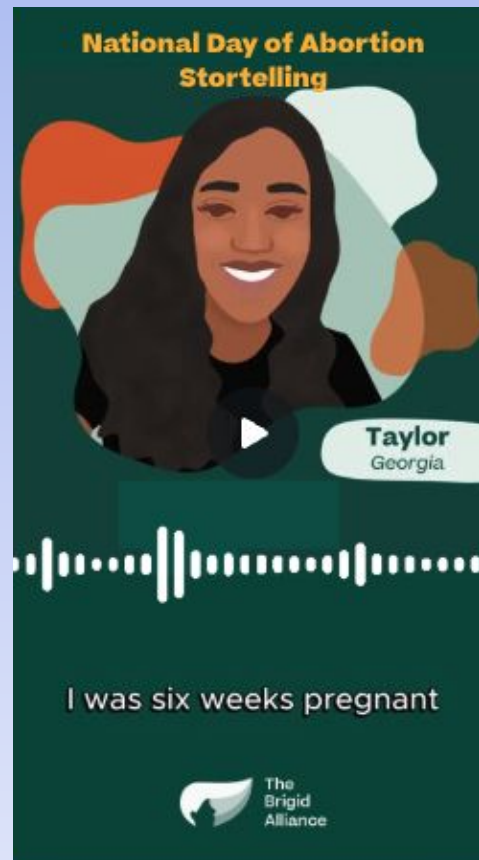
Through the Client Engagement Program, we invite clients who choose to stay connected after their procedure to share feedback and experiences on their own terms. This includes gathering insight into the circumstances they faced and how our support met their needs, as well as reflections on their interactions with partner organizations. These perspectives inform how we tell stories publicly, helping us center client agency, elevate lived experience, and ensure that our storytelling reflects the realities of abortion access with care and integrity.

EXTENDING OUR REACH, DEEPENING OUR IMPACT

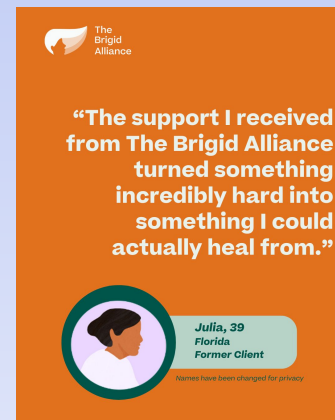
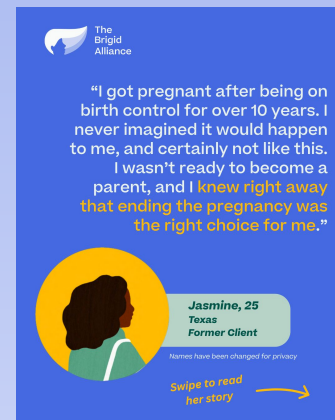
Listening, Learning, and Leading with Client Voices

Together, these efforts will help uplift the voices of our clients and destigmatize later abortion.

Last year we created **18 social media graphics, two fundraising emails, and one donor briefing** which featured two clients.



Hear Taylor's story at <http://bit.ly/49FRCQK>



Listening, Learning, and Leading with Client Voices

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My coordinator called me and immediately took a huge weight off my shoulders. She arranged everything: my accommodations, Uber transportation, a budget for meals, and even helped with some of the procedure costs. She was so kind and efficient, and within a single day, she had everything booked and ready for me. I'm so grateful — not just for the support for me, but for the way it lifted the burden off my family during such a difficult time.

Denise, 34
Maryland

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My Brigid coordinator wasn't just a contact, they felt like a friend. [They] answered my texts at 8pm and found solutions when I didn't even know what to ask for. Whether it was covering a bloodwork bill, arranging a dog walker, or making sure my little sister could travel with me, Brigid wrapped us in a cocoon of care... They thought about the little things most people wouldn't even consider, so I could focus on myself, my body, and my healing.

Julia, 39
Florida

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From the moment I connected with The Brigid Alliance, the support was incredible. My coordinator was kind, generous, and so responsive. They helped with everything I needed — booking hotels, arranging transportation, making sure I got to the airport, and answering all my questions along the way... I never felt alone. It was a tough experience, but their compassion and attention to every detail made it so much easier. Truly the greatest support and even greater people.

Tahlia, 27
Georgia

Building a Stronger Foundation for the Future

Over the past year, The Brigid Alliance has continued to strengthen the foundation that makes our growth possible—deepening internal systems, investing in staff development, and building capacity to meet rising demand.

Our Client Services team grew from five to eleven coordinators, supported by new program managers, a referral manager, a database manager, and a dedicated administrative associate. This year, the team introduced a new pod structure that creates smaller units led by Program Managers and staffed by Coordinators who provide seven-day-a-week coverage, with senior staff on call until 10pm ET. This approach strengthens communication, speeds up decision-making, and gives clients an even smoother and more reliable experience.



Building a Stronger Foundation for the Future

We also welcomed two new leaders—**Dr. Suyanna LB., Chief of Staff**, and **Yolanda M., General Counsel**—whose expertise in equity, governance, and organizational strategy will help Brigid remain strong, compliant, and prepared for the future.



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I am grateful to be part of The Brigid Alliance, where our work transforms barriers into pathways. It is an honor to support a mission that centers dignity, autonomy, and care.

Dr. Suyanna LB.
Chief of Staff



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In my role as the inaugural General Counsel for The Brigid Alliance, I'm energized by the opportunity to help fortify the legal and strategic foundations that allow our teams to continue showing up courageously for people seeking abortion care across the country. As a Latina, I'm particularly excited to support the expansion of our bilingual services, strengthening our ability to serve the communities most impacted by abortion bans.

Yolanda M.
General Counsel

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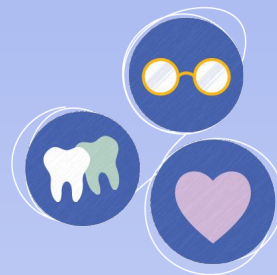
Building a Stronger Foundation for the Future

Staff Wellbeing : A Part of the Whole

Caring for the health and wellbeing of our team is essential to sustaining our mission. Our commitment to staff wellness is reflected in a comprehensive benefits package, competitive salaries, and a range of People & Culture initiatives that promote balance, belonging, and growth.

This past year, we added a significant employer contribution to our dental and vision insurance, explored a staff-led book club, gathered for an all-staff retreat to deepen connection and cross-departmental collaboration, and piloted a three-part wellness series prioritizing reducing fatigue and burnout, improving focus and mental clarity, and managing stress and anxiety.

We strive to create an environment that uplifts holistic wellbeing, where every team member feels seen, supported, and valued.



UNDERSTANDING ACCESS AND SUPPORT

Illustrating Our Impact

This year, we produced three new videos that help deepen understanding of the support we provide and destigmatize later abortion. Each one brings viewers closer to the real experiences of our clients and the care that makes their journeys possible.



We Get People to Abortion Care, Whatever It Takes

Abortion care should be borderless, burden free, and accessible to all. But the bans and restrictions on abortion in over half the country are forcing people to travel extreme distances for abortion care. The Brigid Alliance is here to provide logistical and financial support to help overcome each barrier, with dignity and compassion, every step of the way.



How Practical Support Expands Access to Abortion Care

What does all-inclusive practical support look like? Once a client is referred to The Brigid Alliance, they are paired with a dedicated, full-time coordinator who helps them with everything from booking hotel rooms to transportation and organizing childcare while they're traveling.

Because no two journeys are the same, our team is ready to navigate any unexpected challenges — and we're honored to be a source of comfort while clients navigate this increasingly complex landscape.



Understanding Abortion Later in Pregnancy

The idea of "later abortion" is sometimes controversial because it is misunderstood. One of our latest videos examines the circumstances that cause people to seek abortion care later in pregnancy, the barriers they face, and they access to this care is essential.

Rising to the Challenge



Inside
Philanthropy

Trump 2.0 and Abortion: Surging Need, A Precarious Funding Landscape

In an article covering the worsening policy climate and funding landscape, *Inside Philanthropy* covers how The Brigid Alliance was highlighted as a critical safety net for people traveling from the most restrictive states for abortion care.

“It’s a very precarious time,” said Executive Director Serra Sippel, noting both escalating state-level attacks on abortion and the urgent need to counter misinformation and fear. She also stressed the importance of sustained funding as client needs continue to grow.

The Atlantic

The Next Abortion Battlefront

In an article from *The Atlantic* examining how travel has become the defining barrier to abortion access post-Dobbs, The Brigid Alliance was featured as a leading provider of practical support for people forced to cross state lines.

“The most consequential fights, for now, may be the practical ones,” the article noted — a point underscored by Executive Director Serra Sippel, who emphasized that without organizations like Brigid, many people simply cannot reach a clinic, even if legal protections are restored.

THE 19th

How Abortion Rights Groups are Preparing for the Next Trump Administration

In an article from *The 19th* describing how abortion rights groups are using a multipronged approach to challenge anti-abortion policies, The Brigid Alliance shared our intention to start supporting people earlier in pregnancy in anticipation of a growing need for travel-related support.

“The abortion support organizations really need the advocacy political organizations fighting against this national ban,” said Serra Sippel, the fund’s executive director. **“That is the biggest threat to care that is looming.”**

Overcoming Obstacles Nationwide



THE CUT

The Mom Whose Out-of-State Abortion Allowed Her to Have a Healthy Pregnancy

The Cut reported Kailey's experience navigating life-threatening pregnancy complications. The piece details how The Brigid Alliance helped cover her travel expenses, so she could focus on getting care that not only saved her life, but made it possible for her to have a healthy boy years later.

"They were truly lifesavers—without them, I honestly don't know how we would've made it to D.C. I firmly believe that if I hadn't gone to D.C. for that procedure... I wouldn't have the healthy, happy 1-year-old I have now."

AXIOS

Abortion Support Nonprofit Launches Georgia-Targeted Ads

Axios highlights The Brigid Alliance's advertising campaign in Georgia, where a six-week abortion ban had come under intense scrutiny. The article adds that The Brigid Alliance also launched campaigns in Florida and Louisiana.

"The closest state that allows abortions beyond six weeks... is Virginia, around 470 miles from Atlanta. Patients from [Florida, Louisiana] and Georgia account for nearly a third of its clients across the country, the Brigid Alliance said."

THE INDEPENDENT

Getting an Abortion Was Already Hard. Then the Hurricanes Arrived

The Independent reported about how natural disasters can make already challenging abortion barriers even worse. The article featured The Brigid Alliance's work supporting individuals who traveled for abortions and were unable to return home due to storms.

"Many of our clients had to stay overnight an extra day or two..." said Serra Sippel, the executive director of Brigid Alliance. "The impact of that is [felt by] those who have child care needs, those who are missing work."

JOURNEYING FURTHER TOGETHER

Fueling Our Mission with Purpose

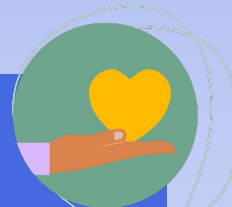
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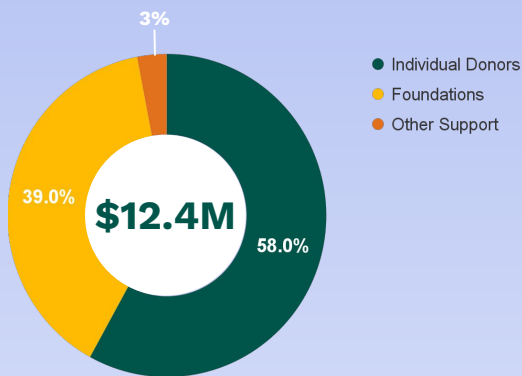
In addition to these
generous institutions,

6,080

Individual Donors
contributed to
The Brigid Alliance,
with gifts ranging from
\$5 - \$500k

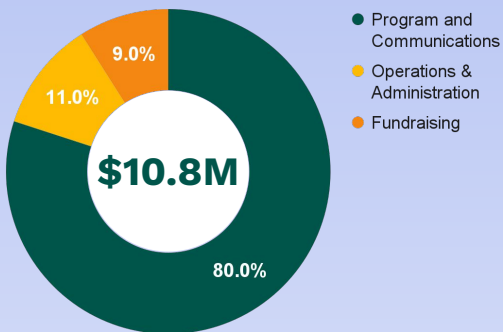


How We Fund the Mission



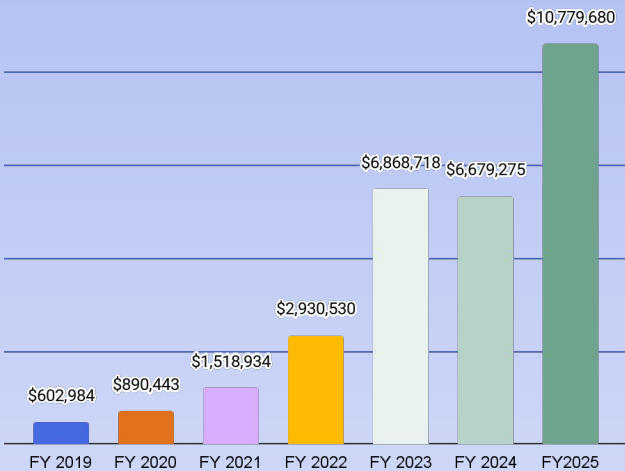
FY 2025 Revenue

The Brigid Alliance is powered by individual donors, **who contributed 58% of our revenue in the last year.**



FY 2025 Expenses

80% of expenses supported programs and communication, helping our clients travel for care and raising awareness about our work



Year-to-Year Expenses

Leadership Team

Serra S.

Executive Director

Suyanna LB

Chief of Staff

Sarah M.

Senior Director of External Relations

Louise M.

Director of Client Services

Stefanie G.

Director of Operations

Yolanda M.

General Counsel

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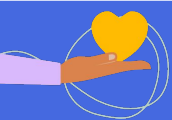


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