



Court Appointed Special Advocates  
FOR CHILDREN

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Phone: (956) 546-6545 Fax: (956) 546-6612

TAX ID: 74-2713912

Dear CASA Supporter,

On behalf of our Board of Directors and Staff, I would like to thank you for supporting our "Totally 80's" fundraiser by being a **\$500 "Totally Tubular"** sponsor.

CASA, Court Appointed Special Advocates, of Cameron and Willacy Counties, Inc. is a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization appointed by the Child Protection Court of the Rio Grande Valley to children who have been removed from their homes because of abuse and/or neglect. Our mission is to be an independent voice for these children. We recruit and train community volunteers to become effective child advocates sworn in by court to speak on behalf of the child. CASA volunteers visit the children in their foster home placements and ensure their medical, education and therapeutic needs are met. Volunteers provide the court with a report noting concerns and recommendations. The ultimate goal of CASA is to find and recommend a safe and permanent home all children deserve.

Thanks to your support we can continue to reach out to more children that have been victims of abuse. Our goal is to improve their quality of life and help them heal so they can trust again as healthy and productive citizens.

Again, thank you for your financial support.

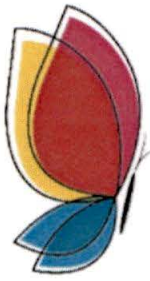
Sincerely,

*Dora*

Dora Martinez  
Executive Director

*Mary*

Mary I. Valdez  
Fundraising Chairperson



# CHILDREN'S BEREAVEMENT CENTER

RIO GRANDE  
VALLEY

May 16, 2023

Children's Bereavement Centers –  
Rio Grande Valley  
2302 S 77 Sunshine Strip Ste. 202  
Harlingen, TX 78550  
and  
104 S 12th St.  
McAllen, TX 78501

Administrative Office:  
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IBC Bank  
1600 Ruben M Torres Blvd  
Brownsville, TX 78520

Dear IBC Bank,

Thank you for your contribution to our Champions of Children Mariposa Gala at The Harlingen Convention Center April 29, 2023. It was a fantastic event and I wanted to let you know that all our families, staff and Board of Directors appreciated the time and treasure you have gifted to us. Your donation of \$2000 helped us raise over \$90,000 for the event and that was after expenses! It was because of you and your beautiful heart that allows us to continue our Mission, to foster healing for grieving children and youth, their families, and the community.

We have served thousands of bereaving children in the Rio Grande Valley since we started our work in 2017 and will continue to reach more bereaving children and their families for years to come. That happens because of individuals like you.

The value of the meal and entertainment provided in return for your contribution was \$40 per person. You will need to compute the non-tax-deductible amount of your donation based upon the number of attendees.

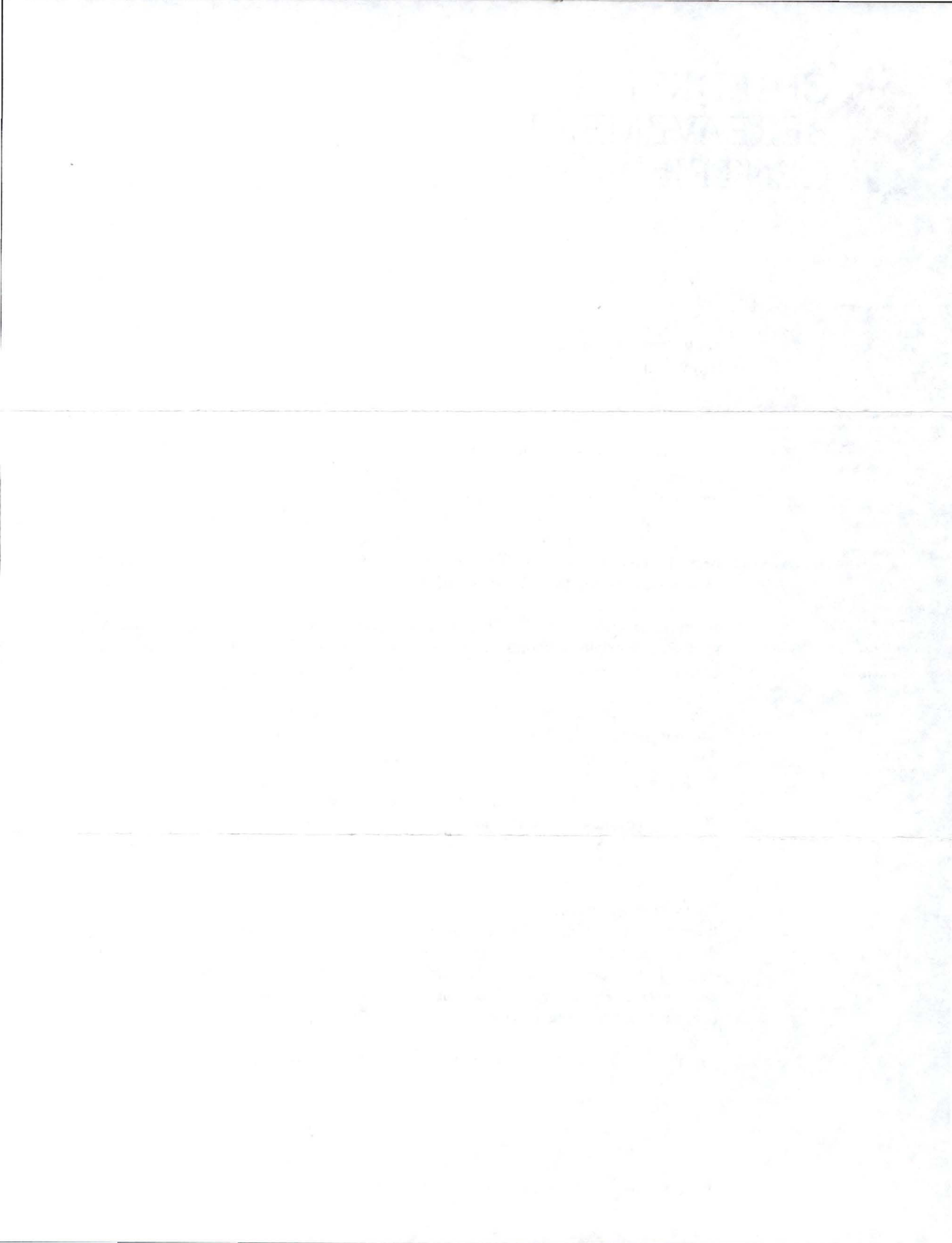
Children's Bereavement Center is an exempt organization as described in Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code; EIN 84-3956044. As a 501 (c) (3) charity, tax laws require us to notify you that this letter is the official acknowledgement of your gift.

Please keep this written acknowledgement of your donation for your tax records. The Internal Revenue Service does not accept your cancelled check as proof of any donation of \$250 or more. Changes in tax law also require us to estimate the value of goods and service that have been rendered to you in return for your contribution, and to remind you that your contribution is deductible only to the extent that it exceeds what we have provided.

Thank you again for your continuing support of our mission.

Sincerely,

Ernest Espinoza, Executive Director, CBC RGV



**PENA, KAREN**

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**From:** Yvette Padilla <Yvette.Padilla@dchstx.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, May 26, 2023 10:52 AM  
**To:** SANCHEZ, ELIZABETH; PENA, KAREN  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] THANK YOU!!

Happy Friday Elizabeth and Karen,

A special thank you to Mr. Villarreal and both of you for providing a beautiful space for Driscoll Children's Hospital to host the Development team.

Driscoll Children's Hospital Rio Grande Valley is "Bringing It"! An 8-story, 175,000 sq. ft. building with 119 licensed beds: Level II Pediatric Trauma, Level III NICU, 63 NICU, 48 Med-Surg, 8 PICU, 8 ER (Including 1 Trauma), 8 Operating Suites, 12 PACU Bays, and 16 Day Surgery Rooms. Plus, Ancillary & support: Imaging, MRI, CT, Pharmacy, Child Life, & Respiratory, and more.

We plan to partner, engage and cultivate our relationship with IBC to promote our mission.

Please share our appreciation with Mr. Villarreal.



Best,



**Yvette C. Padilla**  
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(956) 639-1658 |  
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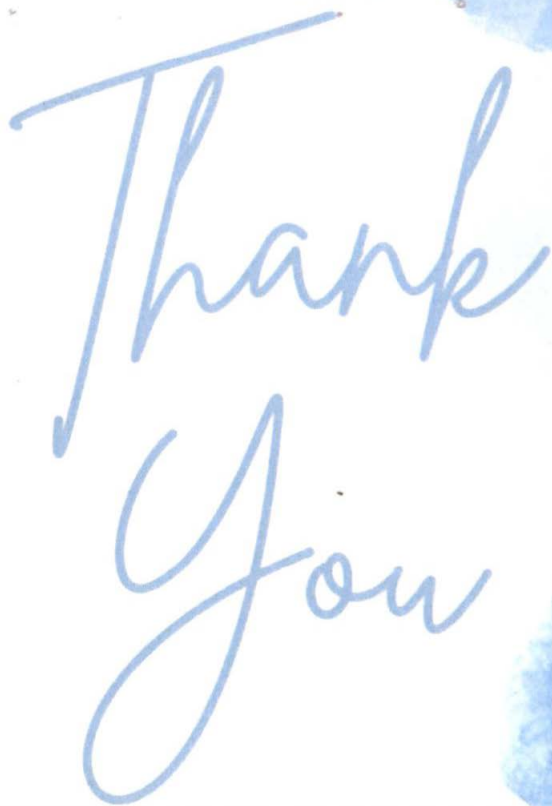


**¡Muchísimas gracias!**

Karen Peña,

A huge thank you from all of us at Guadalupe Regional Middle School for your help with our annual Charro Days Parade Viewing Party fundraiser. We had record attendance and set a new record for scholarship funds raised.

*Thank you for  
all your help!*



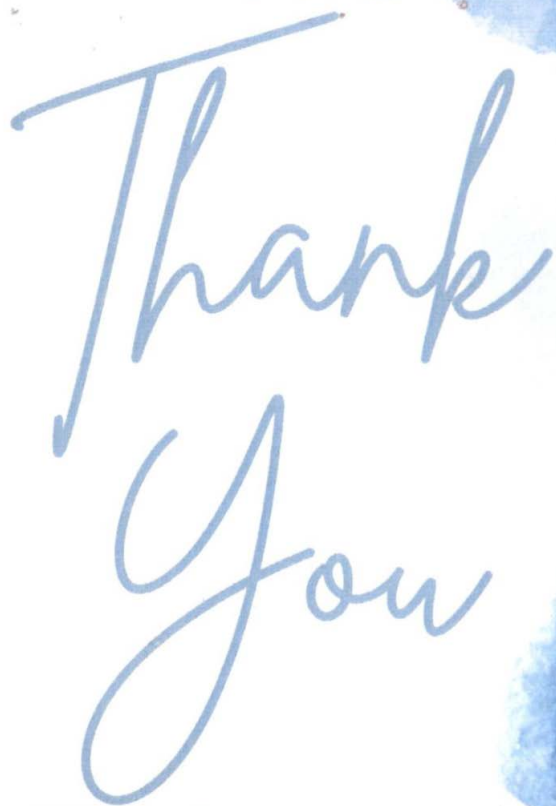
Thank  
You

I'm really appreciative  
of the opportunity you  
were able to give me!

Not only has this award  
motivated me to go further,  
but it has provided me  
with support to fulfill  
my educational needs.

Extremely grateful,

Liliana Robles



Thank  
You



Dear IBC Bank,

Thank you so much for awarding me the Financial Literacy Summit Scholarship. With this scholarship, I am one step closer to achieving my future goals. I cannot express my gratitude enough. Once again, thank you!

Best regards,

Ida Ambriz

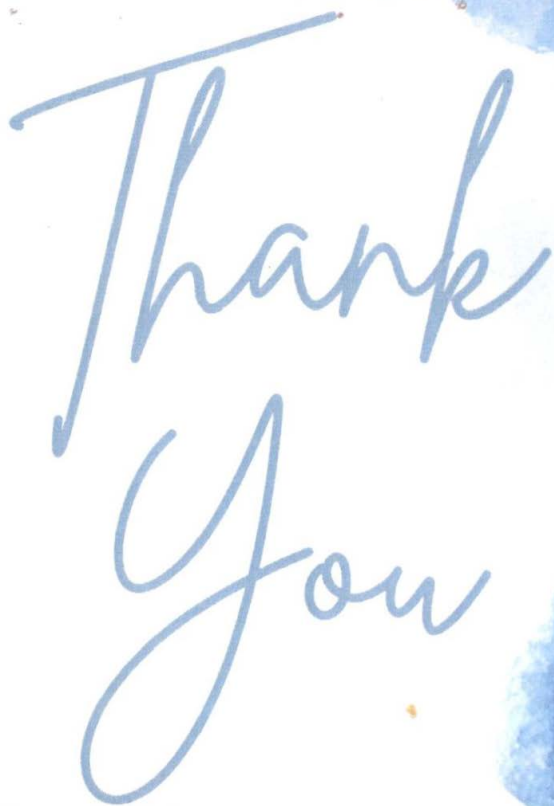


Thank  
You

# Thank You BFL!

Thank You for the opportunity you have granted me. I will forge my future as a mechanical engineer. As I pursue higher education, I won't forget those who supported & believed in me. This chance you have given me won't be put to waste and I will make the most of this.

With Gratitude,  
Ornela

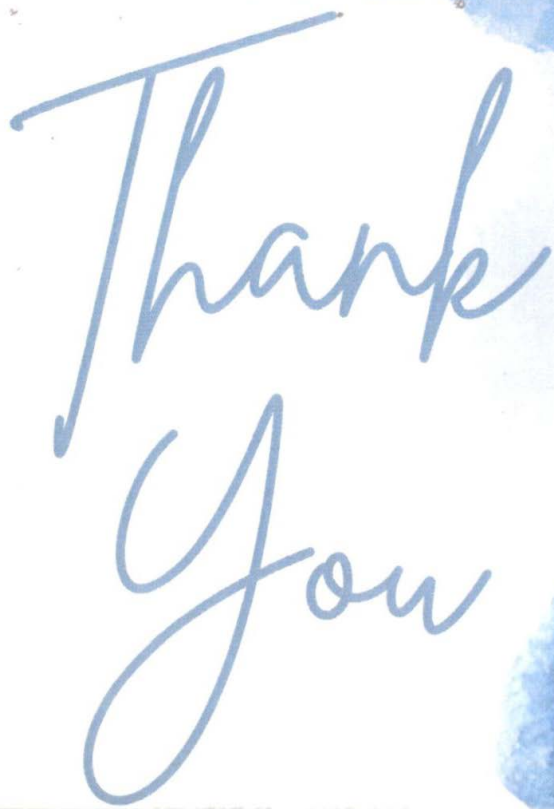


Thank  
You

Thank you to the entire MoneySmart group for the opportunity to learn about financial literacy. BFCC was one of my highlights for the year, and I would like to give huge thanks to Miss Bertha Garza for inviting everyone involved. It was an amazing experience, and I would like to thank BFCC for rewarding me financially for a simple, yet necessary task.

Thank you to BFCC for awarding me money that will benefit me during my college years.

-Nathan Martinez  
HCH



Thank  
You

To: IBC Bank Financial Literacy  
Summit

I would like to thank you for  
the opportunity of competing  
in the Money Smart program.  
It was a pleasure to learn about  
real-life situations and the  
management of finances.

Thank you for the amazing  
opportunity of learning and  
teaching important matters.

Sincerely,

Natvalli Martinez

07/2023

The Juneteenth Committee  
is so very grateful for  
your support of the  
African American Culture.

Without people & businesses such  
as IBC, our Gala could  
have not been successful!

We appreciate you,  
Donald J Hamm



So grateful  
for you.

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# Ruby Barba's THE BENEFIT OF *Style*

June 17, 2023  
7 PM - 10 PM  
Rancho Viejo  
Convention Center

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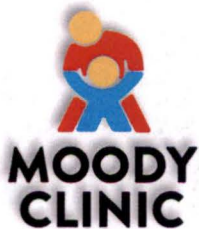
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## IBC Bank

Karen Pena  
1600 Ruben M Torres Blvd.  
Brownsville, Texas 78526

Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023

*Dear IBC Bank,*

Thank you from Ruby Barba, the board, staff and friends of Moody Clinic for sponsoring this year's "Ruby Barba's - The Benefit of Style" event that took place on Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at Rancho Viejo Convention Center.

This year was a tremendous success with over 250 guests attending the sold-out event. The event raised more than \$35,000 to support the care and therapy services that Moody Clinic provides children!

Your donation of **\$1,500** for a **Cosmo** Sponsorship will help us continue providing speech/language, physical and occupational therapy to children with special needs. As the only nonprofit outpatient rehabilitative clinic for children with diagnosed development delays, disabilities, and acquired injuries in the Rio Grande Valley, your gift closes the gap for families who cannot afford the full or partial cost of treatment.

Your donation may be tax deductible and for your records our Tax ID number is 74-1195191. Please consult with your tax advisor.

If you would like to schedule a visit to see, firsthand, the difference your gift is making, please contact us at (956) 542-8504. Once again, thank you for continuing to support Moody Clinic's mission and for changing the lives of those we serve together. We hope to see you next year!

With All My Gratitude,



Jessica Ray Cuevas

Jessica Cuevas,  
Executive Director



\*The estimated value of these goods or services is \$454.56

*Our mission is to provide the highest quality of rehabilitative services to maximize the potential of children with special needs.*

August 8, 2023

Karen -

Thank you! For everything!  
It is such a joy to work  
with you. We could not do  
this event without your  
support.

On behalf of the Brownsville  
Chapter, thank you for all  
you do for us.

Kelby  
Ternandez

We decided to leave this handmade card  
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