

**OUR MISSION**

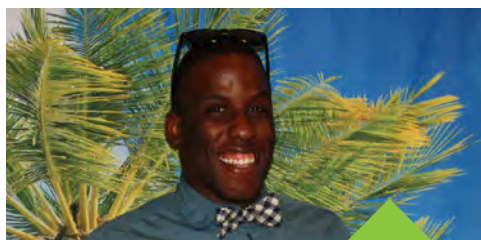
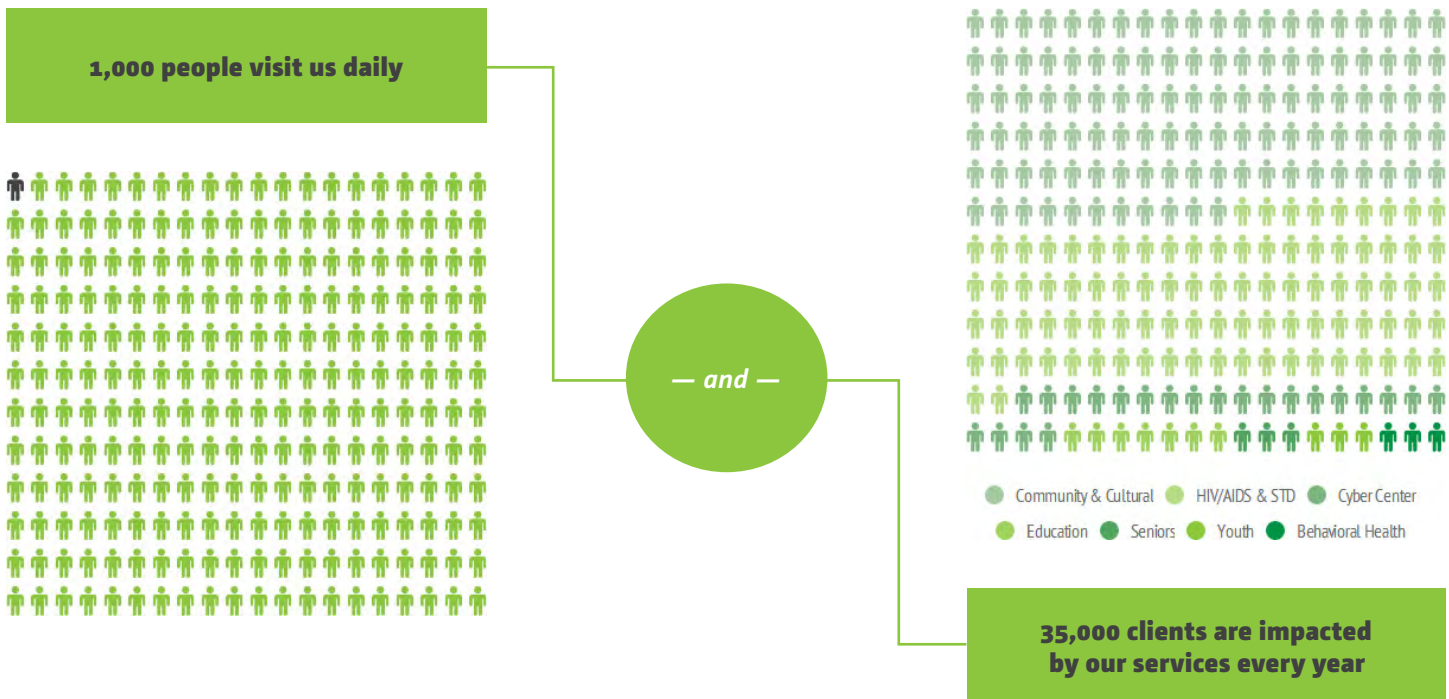
Center on Halsted advances community and secures the health and well-being of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer people of Chicagoland.

**OUR VISION**

A thriving LGBTQ community, living powerfully in supportive, inclusive environments.

**OUR HISTORY**

Founded as a volunteer-run help-line and meeting place for gays and lesbians in 1973, Gay Horizons was renamed Center on Halsted in 2003.



“The support and affinity groups at Center on Halsted give us a space to meet and celebrate our identity!”

**We house 16 diverse LGBTQ community groups**



“At Center on Halsted, I’m not forced to go back in the closet as I age. I have the space to thrive.”

**500 seniors participate in programming each year**

“The Youth Program has become my family. I feel safe here and connect with those around me.”

**We serve 100 youth each month**

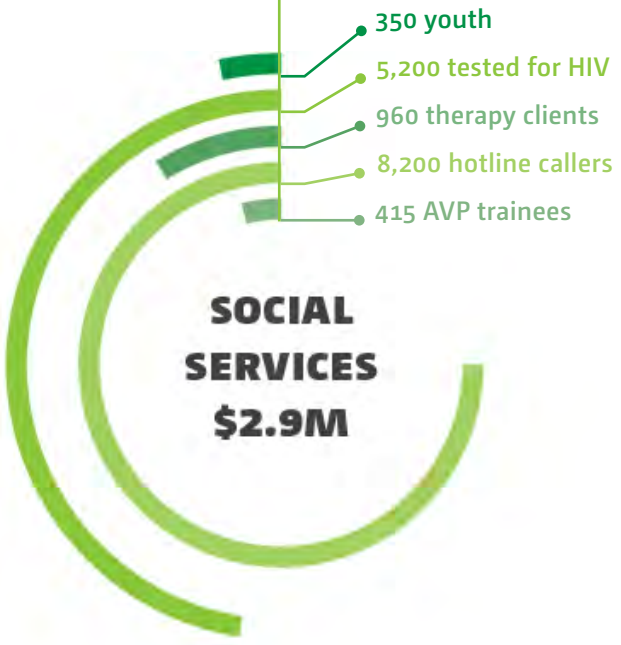
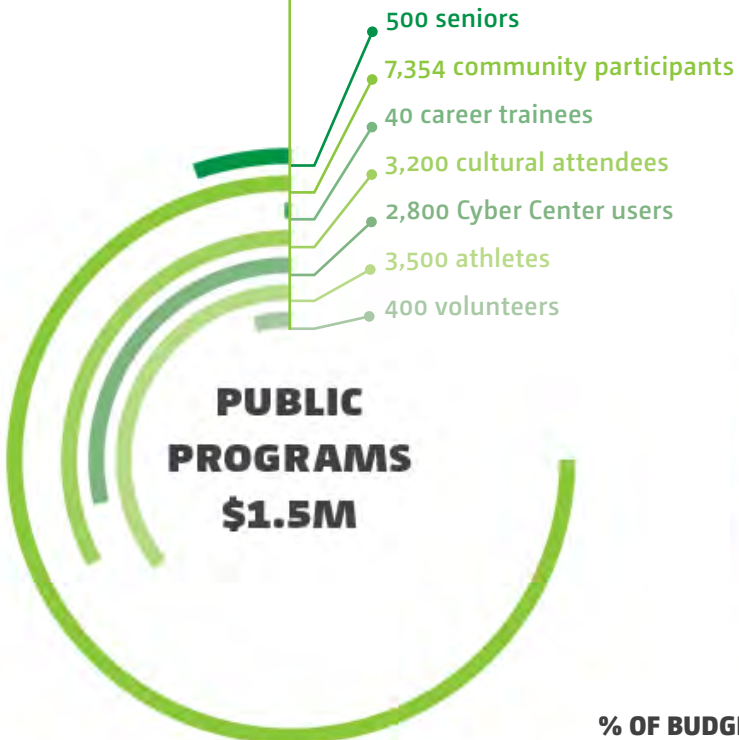




**For every \$1 donated to Center on Halsted 79¢ are spent directly on programs and services**

**BUDGET \$5.6M**

**SERVED PER YEAR**



**% OF BUDGET**

