

7/1/2014 to 6/30/2015

Support and revenue:

Agency fees	7,493.00
Government grants	57,189.00
Grants	110,555.00
United Way agencies	45,616.00
Contributions	51,841.00
Special events	97,727.00
Other	12,671.00
Total revenue	\$383,092.00

Expenses:

Program services	364,270.00
Management & general	33,245.00
Fundraising	26,979.00
Total expenses	\$424,494.00

Revenue over expenses -\$41,402.00

Net assets at beginning of year \$232,250.00

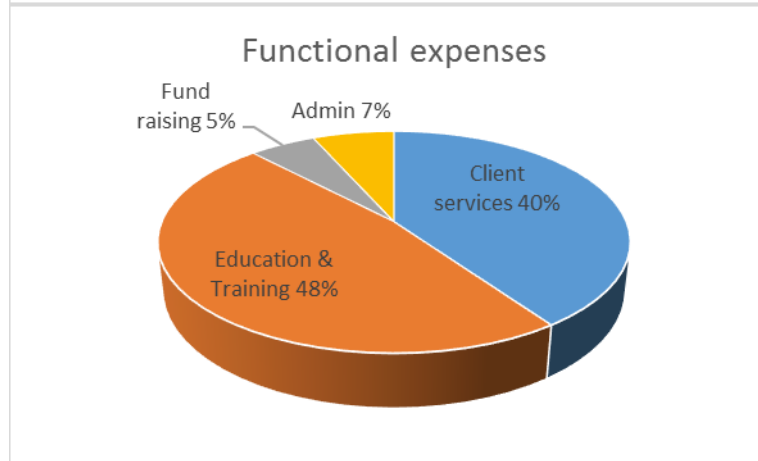
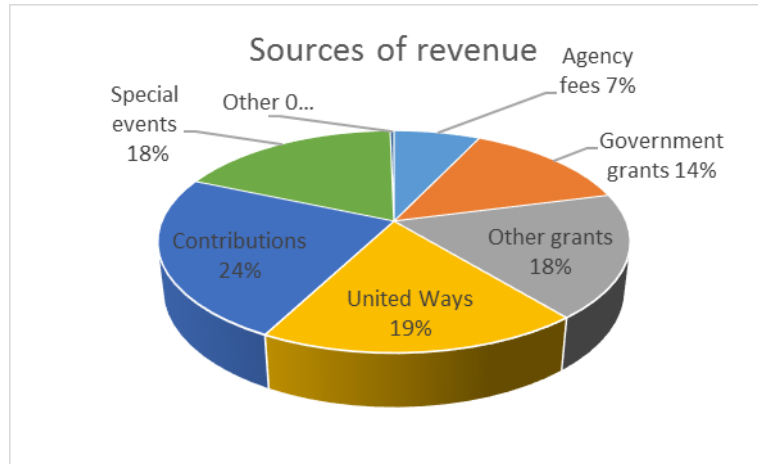
Net assets as of 6/30/2015 \$190,848.00

Balance Sheet as of June 30, 2013

Assets		
Cash & equivalents	117,208.00	
Grants & accounts receivable	60,783.00	
Inventory	474.00	
Prepaid expenses	20,362.00	
Equipment and property (net of depreciation)	23,053.00	
Total assets	\$221,880.00	

Liabilities and net assets:

Accounts payable & accrued expense	31,032.00
Net assets	190,848.00
Total liabilities and net assets	\$221,880.00



2015 Board of Directors

President: Jennifer Benishek
Parent advocate

Vice President: Jeremiah Hassell
Hassell Auto

- Sandra Bucher
Pet grooming
- Jim Ferik
Volm Bag Company
- Walter Kao, MD
UW Hospital & Clinics
- Tom McCarrier
EMT retired
- Julie Marie
Wisconsin Rapids Schools

Secretary: Linda Best, RN
Lundbeck Pharmaceutical

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- Stephanie Willing
Child welfare specialist
- Joseph Jares, MD
Neurologist
- Alyssa Marcell
PLM Investments
- Marty Mullen
Insurance agent
- John Walker
Manufacturing retired

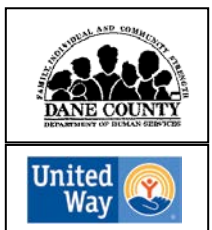


2015 Annual Report



Celebrating 35 years of epilepsy services in 2015. Early HOPE and Social Club members (l-r) Gail Loder Piper, Dan Miller, Les and Bette Ramsden, Jane and Dennis McCoy.

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This report summarizes the activities of the Epilepsy Foundation Heart of Wisconsin, Inc., from July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015. The Epilepsy Foundation is a nonprofit health organization, incorporated in 1980, serving 46 counties in Wisconsin. The Epilepsy Foundation is dedicated to improving the quality of life for people with epilepsy and their families, and is an affiliate in good standing and in compliance with the standards set forth by the Epilepsy Foundation National Office.

We thank our volunteers, cooperating agencies, funding sources and contributors for their assistance. All interested individuals are invited to join the epilepsy movement. Information about activities and volunteer opportunities can be obtained by calling 608-442-5555 or 800-693-2287, or by visiting our website at www.epilepsywisconsin.org.

2015 Staff

Executive Director	Art Taggart
Social Worker	Ann Hubbard
Program Director	Jane Meyer
Program Director	Jeanne Lee
Education & Outreach	Anne Faulks
Lifespan Respite	Paul Toellner
Employment Specialist	John Mirasola
Administrative Assistant	Carolyn Parker
Bookkeeping	Patti Cleaton, Melissa Clark
Development	Dennis Perkins
Data Entry	Dick Glinski
Housekeeping	Casey Kendrick

2015 Volunteers

Board Chair	Jeremiah Hassell
Mail & Office	Sharon Behrend
Chocolate Decadence	Carol Mancl
Annual Conference	Dr Evan Sandok
HOPE Mentors	Jeremiah Hassell, Shonda Crapp
Teen Speak Up Ambassador	Jarin Crapp

2015 Client Services

For people with epilepsy, the social, psychological, and behavioral problems that accompany the disorder can be far more devastating than the seizures themselves. The direct client services provided by the Epilepsy Foundation are designed to support and educate individuals with epilepsy, as well as their families, to minimize the negative impact of seizures on their lives. Epilepsy Foundation direct client services include:

- individual and family counseling
- information and referral
- case management
- daily living skills training
- patient education & self management
- support groups
- **PACE** educational support network
- **Familias unidas con niños con necesidades especiales**
- Siblings Day
- emergency medications
- Becker Law Office Micro-loan Program
- employment assistance
- Adult Retreat Weekend
- Summer Camp for Kids with Epilepsy
- Teens Speak Up Program

Kids camp	24
Adult retreat	38
Social, support and networking attendance	1,423
Individuals served – unduplicated	2,981
Service contacts with consumers	6,856
Newsletters and email alerts	30,255

2015 Community Education & Advocacy

Negative attitudes about epilepsy persist so people with epilepsy or their family members continue to request education for classrooms, co-workers, and other service providers. Educational efforts on behalf of our clients fall under the category of indirect services and include:

- **School Programs**
Age appropriate presentations for K through 5
Take Charge of the Facts for 5 through 12
Managing Students with Seizures
(for school nurses and school personnel)
- **Adult Education**
Programs tailored for professional groups
Epilepsy: A Positive ID
(for first responders and jail personnel)
Take Another Look
(for police departments)
- **Advocacy**
at school
in the workplace
in the home
public policy advocacy

Employer education participants	89
HOPE Mentoring	87
School Nurse training participants	210
School-aged participants	1,147
School personnel attendees	342
Adult education participants	1,637
TOTAL participants	3,512