



Second Sense
Beyond vision loss

2023 Annual Report



Laura is a young mother seeking training to aid in child care.

She started out learning mobility skills so she could safely walk her children to school.

Then she learned to use an app on her iPad that translated photos of book pages to text so she could follow along with her daughter's reading homework.

Finally, Laura learned safe cooking skills so she could make healthy meals for her family.

Mariama is a young immigrant learning to live on her own.

Mariama had two main goals. She wanted to learn the route from her apartment to the gym in her complex. And, she wanted to travel safely to local grocery store.

After 12 hours of training, Mariama demonstrated the ability to travel both routes — as well as the reverse route — safely and independently.



Chris lost his vision suddenly and completely.

"I stayed in my room. Life had no meaning. I closed myself off. I thought this is how it will be for the rest of my life."

But, after using tools like tactile maps and learning mobility skills, Chris is getting out of the house and eager for more training.

LIVES YOU HAVE CHANGED

159

Adults learned to use computers, smart phones and other tech in their daily lives

56

Clients can now travel independently with a white cane — each one reports using this skill every day

66

Adults received in-home training, learning to complete daily tasks — 85% report they use these skills every day

52

Clients attended one of our support groups to regain control of their lives

**Countless
Goals Achieved**

Second Sense uses your donation wisely. See how on page 2.

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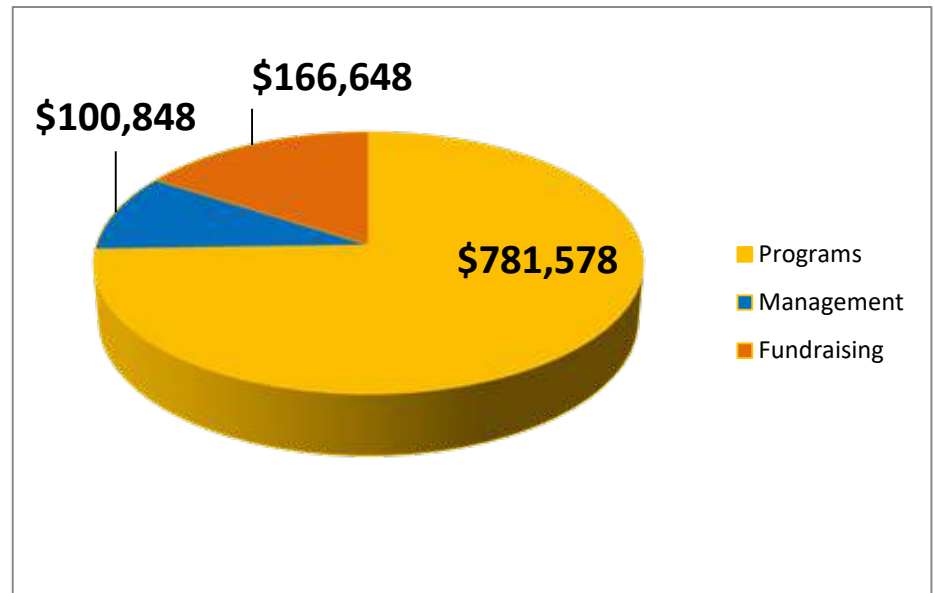
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Your Donations are Wisely Used

Expenses



Total income for the 2023 fiscal year was \$1,049,074. Total net assets were \$627,487. Our audited financial statement and 990 are available online.

The Second Sense Difference

Your donations make training at Second Sense a different experience for our clients. We offer the fastest path to independence, with

- no referrals
- no cost to our clients
- no red tape

Our goal is to make sure your donation helps anyone who walks through our door get the training and support they need to meet their goals. Our services are client-centered and client-driven, delivered by professionals trained in vision rehabilitation.

Mission Statement

Second Sense inspires individuals to move beyond vision loss and believe in their abilities. Through client-centered support and training, they learn new skills, build confidence and realize their value in our community. Together we are changing society's perception of human potential.



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