



Mai Family Services

Support when you need it most

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NEWS & VIEWS

AUGUST 2012

Yet Another Successful Walkathon !!



Mai Family services is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization

Call Stats



Between April & July, we received 30 new calls on our helpline out of which, 7 were Domestic Violence related, 7 were from individuals & families requesting counseling for personal, marriage & family issues, 4 were legal assistance requests, 4 were from community members requesting information about getting involved & enquiries about our services and 8 calls were support service requests such as transportation, job & medical assistance.

Testimonial

I just want to say thank you to Mai Family Services for helping me while I was in a very difficult situation. Actually, I don't know how to express my feelings. They helped me when I was in so much trouble and when I thought every door was closed and that it was time to die. When I called them, they could help with what I needed. The caseworker was like a mother, friend, doctor every thing to me. I was helped like I was their family. For me they are not just help line but a life line.



SAVE THE DATE

- Amna

**COMING
UP**

Mark your Calendar

August 19th, 2012

Mai Bazaar at India Day

September 9th, 2012

Princess cruise

October 6th, 2012

Workshop– Power to Break Free

December 8th, 2012

Annual Banquet Dinner

Shop for a Cause
All proceeds go to Mai Family Services



At India Day Celebration: 11:00 am – 6:00 pm

Mai Family Services' booth

From our closet to your closet!

Sunday, August 19th, 2012

WHERE: Suburban Collection Showplace

ADDRESS: 46100 Grand River, Novi, 48374

Get bargain deals of Indian clothes in all sizes and for all ages. All proceeds go to a great cause!!

Fun! Fun! Fun! Fun!
For More Information:

248-477-4985

www.maifs.org



Mai Family Services
presents

Detroit on the Water

*An afternoon of fun, food, and entertainment
Aboard the Detroit Princess Riverboat*

September 9, 2012

Boarding at 2:00 p.m.

Cruising 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

*Live Performances by
Amit Deshpande, Sonali Sathe, Shree Belsare,
and Vaidehi Dongre*

Manisha Dongre and Taal Academy

Menu

Non-Vegetarian: Chicken Piccata and Crab Stuffed Salmon.

*Vegetarian: Alfredo Lasagna, Caribbean Vegetables, Cheese Tortellini
with Pesto Sauce, Wild Rice, and Twice Baked Potatoes.*

Fruit, Chilled Salads, Bread, and Cheesecake.

Purchase tickets at www.maifs.org

Adults \$50, Children (age 4-12) \$25, Infants free.

For questions, call (248) 880-7990 or email info@maifs.org



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Visit www.maifs.org to learn more. FREE Helpline: (888) 664-8624.

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Mai Shout Out!

Our gratitude to Samhita, we are very surprised and glad a 9 yr old had the heart to donate. This is what she had to say:

"My name is Samhita & I'm 9 yrs old. Couple of months back, I participated in a Domestic Violence walkathon organized by Mai Family Services. My friend's mom works as a counselor there. I was very impressed to see people wanting to help. I never like being hurt and I am pretty sure nobody else does either. When my mom told me that people would donate at the walk, I immediately sensed the urge to help. In my piggy bank I was saving money to help the needy- nothing else. So I took the money that I had saved & I donated. It made me feel good.

In India, I would see people begging on the streets for food, money or help. I had also heard stories of where wars were caused because of how unfair people were treated and I always felt the same kind of emotion-anger and knew I had to help those victims.

I'm glad I got this opportunity to help."



Volunteer

Join Mai Family Services and make a difference. We are looking for active and passionate volunteers to join our team. If your interested, please fill out the online volunteer application form at http://maifs.org/MAI_Family_Services_volunteer_form.pdf and email it to info@maifamilyservices.com or call 248-880-7990 to learn more about getting involved.

Join Us!

If you would like to receive emails from Mai Family Services, email info@maifs.org with the subject line 'Add to Listserv' and to unsubscribe from our listserv, please send an email to info@maifs.org with subject line 'Remove from Listserv'.

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