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Kids' Chance of Maryland Celebrates Kids' Chance Awareness Week

**Baltimore, MD:** Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. is excited to join affiliates across the United States in supporting the mission of Kids' Chance of America during Kids' Chance Awareness Week from November 18-22, 2024.

During this special week, the entire Kids' Chance community will unite to amplify the organization's mission and advance its critical message. Kids' Chance operates in all 50 states, each benefiting from the centralized support and resources provided by the national organization, Kids' Chance of America. These resources include training, scholarship management tools, templates, and capacity-building aids, all aimed at serving more children nationwide.

Kids' Chance gives children a better future by providing scholarships and support to those whose parents have been injured on the job. We envision a future where all affected children can complete their education and pursue their desired career paths.

"We are excited to share the mission of Kids' Chance of America as we work together to support Maryland youth," said Edgar G. Dodd, III, President of Kids' Chance of Maryland. "Each year, Maryland's children face significant challenges due to unforeseen loss. Kids' Chance steps in to alleviate some of that burden, providing much-needed support and hope for their future."

By operating on both state and national levels, Kids' Chance has significantly expanded its reach and impact. This dual approach allows us to remain steadfast in our mission of helping students achieve their educational goals and build brighter futures. Collectively, Kids' Chance organizations have awarded over 10,000 scholarships, amounting to more than \$36 million. Kids' Chance of Maryland eagerly anticipates the remarkable achievements that lie ahead

Be sure to join us during this week's celebration. Don't miss your opportunity to give back and help support the future of Maryland's youth affected by catastrophic workplace accidents. Please consider donating, sponsoring, or volunteering in support of Kids' Chance of Maryland. Visit <a href="https://www.kidschancemd.org">www.kidschancemd.org</a> for more information on how you can help make a difference.

## About Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc.

Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. is part of the national organization, Kids' Chance of America. Since 1996, Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. has provided scholarships to the children of

Maryland's catastrophically injured workers. Every year, hundreds of workers are disabled by on-the-job injuries and, tragically, about 60 workers in Maryland lose their lives. Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. provides an opportunity for the children of these workers to pursue higher education, reach their goals, and fulfill their dreams for the future. Learn more at www.kidschance-md.org.

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