



**SEMINOLE COUNTY  
INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT**

**KIDS HOUSE OF SEMINOLE, INC.  
CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER**

**WHEREAS**, Kids House of Seminole , Inc. was created by a collaboration of agencies in Seminole County concerned with the investigation, prosecution, and resolution of child abuse and neglect cases, and

**WHEREAS**, Kids House of Seminole, Inc. was created to enhance the cooperative partnerships of involved agencies to minimize additional trauma on victims of child abuse and neglect and to better facilitate successful prosecution, and

**WHEREAS**, Kids House of Seminole, Inc. was created to provide certain services and assistance to and for the benefit of abused children, including providing all necessary services for child abuse cases, from report and investigation through treatment and resolution, in a child-friendly environment, and

**WHEREAS**, Kids House of Seminole, Inc. occupies a secured facility located at 5467 N. Ronald Reagan Blvd., Sanford, Florida, for use by member agencies during the investigative process, and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the victims of child abuse and neglect and the residents of Seminole County, Florida to locate the 7C – Seminole - Child Protection Team, SCSO Crimes Against Children Investigative Unit, Child Advocate, Mental Health, and Medical Trauma Programs through partnership with Florida Hospital - Altamonte in said facility, and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the victims of child abuse and neglect and the residents of Seminole County, Florida for the Multi-discipline Team of agencies concerned with the investigation, prosecution, and resolution of child abuse and neglect cases to have access to a child-friendly, non-threatening environment to meet with children who are victims of abuse and access resources for those children,

**AGREED** as follows:

1. The undersigned will work cooperatively in all matters relating to the investigation, prosecution, and resolution of child abuse and neglect cases as outlined in the **Child Abuse and Neglect Investigative Protocol for Seminole County**.
2. The undersigned will abide by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of Kids House of Seminole, Inc. as they pertain to each agency.
3. The undersigned and their representatives will abide by the laws of confidentiality as outlined in Florida Statute regarding Children who are victims of abuse and as written in the **Child Abuse and Neglect Investigative Protocol for Seminole County**.
4. The **Child Abuse and Neglect Investigative Protocol for Seminole County, Florida** will be adopted as part of the agency's policies, procedures, or standard operating practices.
5. The **Child Abuse and Neglect Investigative Protocol for Seminole County, Florida** may be amended by majority vote of the Board of Directors of Kids House of Seminole, Inc. with ratification by the Partner Agency Executive Board.
6. Kids House of Seminole, Inc. will notify the undersigned of changes to the **Child Abuse and Neglect Investigative Protocol for Seminole County, Florida** within ten (10) days of adoption.
7. Either party may revoke this agreement by written notice to the other.

**SIGNATURE PAGE**

Signed this 29th day of September, 2016



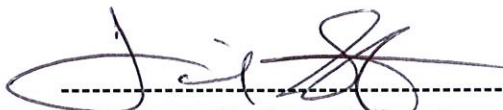
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**Office of the State Attorney  
18<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit  
State Attorney Phil Archer**



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**Seminole County Sheriff's Office  
Sheriff Donald F. Eslinger**



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**Community Base Care of Central  
Florida, Inc.  
Glen Casel, Chief Executive Officer**



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**Altamonte Springs Police Department  
Chief Daniel L Smutz**



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**Community Base Care of Central  
Florida, Inc.  
Jill Spannagel, Executive Director  
Seminole**



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**Casselberry Police Department  
Chief Larry D. Krantz**



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**Neal Silverstein, MD  
Child Protection Team Medical  
Director**



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**Lake Mary Police Department  
Chief Steve Bracknell**



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**Florida Hospital - Altamonte  
Doug Harcombe, Senior Vice  
President/Administrator**



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**Seminole County Public Schools  
Walt Griffin, Superintendent  
Seminole County School Board**



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**Florida Department of Children & Families  
William S. D'Aiuto  
Central Florida Regional Manager**



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**Longwood Police Department  
Interim Chief David Dowda**





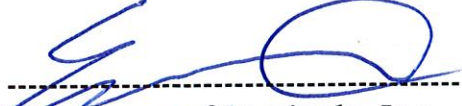
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Sanford Police Department *Acting*  
Chief Cecil Smith



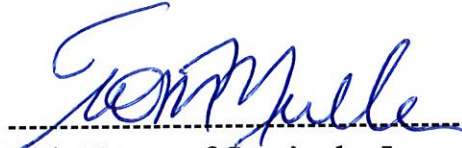
Winter Springs Police Department  
Chief Kevin Brunelle



Kids House of Seminole, Inc.  
Ernest Hamilton, Executive Director



Seminole County Public Schools  
Tina Calderone, Chairman  
Seminole County School Board



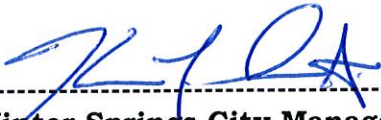
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18th Judicial Circuit - Seminole  
County GAL Program



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Winter Springs City Manager  
Kevin L. Smith