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August 11, 2020 - Sidewalk Advocates for Life has helped 10,000 women choose life for their children.

Executive Director Lauren Muzyka founded Sidewalk Advocates for Life in April 2014 out of a desire to transform the sidewalks outside America’s abortion centers into a place of real help, hope, and options. Drawing from her background as a trained sidewalk counselor and attorney, she worked with researchers, former abortion workers, and other pro-life leaders to develop the most effective system to reach abortion-minded women, connecting them with life-affirming resources.

Sidewalk Advocates for Life has now trained thousands of volunteer Sidewalk Advocates at 200 locations around the United States and the world in a peaceful, prayerful, law-abiding method of sidewalk outreach. Sidewalk Advocates are empowered to become experts in the resources available to women in their local communities and, working within the confines of their First Amendment rights in front of abortion facilities, serve as a gateway to life-affirming assistance.

Now, at least 10,000 women have accepted an offer of help and hope from a Sidewalk Advocate by going to a pregnancy resource center or otherwise confirming a decision for life.

Since its founding, Sidewalk Advocates for Life has also witnessed:

- 20 abortion facility closures
- 70 abortion workers who have left the industry with a connection to And Then There Were None abortion worker ministry
- 3,179 “hopefuls,” a woman who has left the abortion facility to think about her decision, often armed with life-affirming literature and a referral to the local pregnancy resource center

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Sidewalk Advocates for Life is the nation’s largest sidewalk outreach training program. SAFL’s mission is to train, equip, and support local communities across the United States and the world in “sidewalk advocacy”: to be the hands and feet of Christ, offering loving, life-affirming alternatives to all present at the abortion center, thereby eliminating demand and ending abortion. SAFL’s research-based approach is peaceful, prayerful, and law-abiding. Trained Sidewalk Advocates provide crisis intervention to women in unplanned pregnancies at 200 abortion centers around the world by connecting women to the help available to them in their own communities. For more, visit www.sidewalkadvocates.org.