



# JUNIOR LEAGUE OF ALBANY

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### The Junior League of Albany Partners with A Child's Place at Unity House

Albany, New York—The Junior League of Albany (JLA) is excited to announce a new partnership with A Child's Place at Unity House to begin in January 2020.

Unity House's day care program was selected out of numerous responses to JLA's most recent request for collaborative project proposals seeking a partner to execute a community project combating hunger and fighting poverty with a particular focus on assisting women and children in need.

This selected project will involve offering backpacks with needed child care items and resources for parents and children, with a particular focus on low-income parents, mothers, and infants. "JLA is looking forward to collaborating on this project and hopes to see the partnership grow into a larger collaboration supporting the broader missions of both organizations," said Carol Crummey McCardle, JLA president.

"On behalf of the many children and families we serve, Unity House is very grateful to the Junior League of Albany for selecting A Child's Place as the beneficiary of this effort to help combat hunger and right poverty in our community," said Unity House CEO Chris Burke.

#### **About the Junior League of Albany**

The Junior League of Albany, Inc. is a not for profit organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving the community through the effective action of trained volunteers. The Junior League of Albany is proud to have been part of our community for over 100 years. Since 1917, we have implemented many community projects, training and development initiatives that have impacted our members and the Albany community. For more information on the Junior League of Albany, visit <https://www.juniorleaguealbany.org/>.

#### **About A Child's Place at Unity House**

A Child's Place, a program of Unity House, provides early intervention and pre-school developmental services in speech/language, physical and occupational therapy. The services are provided to children

from birth to five in three settings: a traditional preschool and toddler group center-based program (which includes integrated classes), other preschool/daycare programs, and homes. For more information, call 518.271.6777 or visit [www.unityhouseny.org](http://www.unityhouseny.org).

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