



## **VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT: DR. COLLEEN BRYAN**

Someone once said, “volunteers don’t necessarily have the time; they just have the heart!” No one’s heart is more dedicated to helping others than that of our volunteer, Dr. Colleen Bryan.



For the last 26 years, Dr. Bryan has and continues to work as a college professor teaching Child Life Specialist and psychology coursework to undergraduate students at Mount Vernon Nazarene University, in Mount Vernon, OH. In January 2015, The Center for Family Safety and Healing (TCFSH) welcomed Dr. Bryan as a volunteer in the Evaluation and Research department. When asked about her motivation to volunteer she replied, “I jumped at the opportunity for a few of my volunteer hours to go towards the great commitment that TCFSH has to break the cycle of violence in every age domain. I get to volunteer for a great agency, and put some skills to use at the same time. It’s a win-win!”

It was a huge win for TCFSH! Dr. Bryan has volunteered over 150 hours and her work provides an invaluable contribution to patients and clients in all of our programs throughout TCFSH. We are truly thankful for volunteers like Dr. Bryan that give selflessly of their time to help TCFSH.

- *Dr. Beth Fischer, Director of Evaluation and Research, TCFSH*