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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

**KITM Receives Grant from The Saigh Foundation**

*Non-profit Agency is awarded \$7,500 to provide counseling services for children and families*

**ST. LOUIS (August 16, 2022)** - Kids In The Middle (KITM) is proud to announce that the Agency has been awarded a grant of \$7,500 from The Saigh Foundation. The funds will help provide children and families with life-changing social and emotional skills to heal from the trauma of divorce and separation.

“The Saigh Foundation’s continued support has allowed us to further our mission over the years,” says Katy Walter, CEO of KITM. “We both have a passion for children and understand that children experiencing these difficult family transitions adjust much better when they are able to share their feelings and process them.”

The Saigh Foundation works to enhance the quality of life for children and youth in the St. Louis metropolitan area by supporting educational and health-related charitable institutions and organizations. Since being established in 2000, the Foundation has distributed over 55 million dollars to those in need.

KITM will not turn families away because of an inability to pay for counseling services. The Agency uses a sliding scale fee process, and families pay what they can afford. Approximately 90 percent of the children and families that receive services at KITM receive some level of financial assistance. This is made possible through the generosity of foundations such as The Saigh Foundation, individual and corporate grants, the United Way of Greater St. Louis, and the Children’s Services Fund.

**About Kids In The Middle**

Kids In The Middle (KITM) helps children and families transition to a new way of life before, during, and after separation and divorce, for the sake of creating healthier futures for all involved. Founded in 1977, KITM is a nationally accredited non-profit agency that provides comprehensive and confidential counseling, education, and support services focused on the entire family. KITM is a proud member of the United Way of Greater St. Louis and receives funds from the St. Louis County Children’s Service Fund. KITM is located at 2650 S. Hanley Rd. in St. Louis, Mo. For more information, visit [www.kidsinthemiddle.org](http://www.kidsinthemiddle.org).

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