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## **Seasons Center Launches Campaign for Regional Children's Center**

**Spencer, IA.** – Seasons Center for Behavioral Health is pleased to announce the public launch of their \$1million "Committed to Children, Faithful to Families" campaign for a new Regional Children's Center in Spencer.

Seasons purchased the former Twetten's Interior Design building, located at 120 East Fifth Street, in December of 2012 with plans to renovate it into a Regional Children's Center.

The Regional Children's Center will serve children, ages 0-21, through a variety of behavioral health services. These include, but are not limited to, outpatient therapy, psychological testing, psychiatric services, behavioral health intervention services, and substance abuse counseling.

"The need for a regional facility like this is vital," says Kim Scorza, Executive Director, Seasons. "We served 1,290 children in 2012, and have already served more than 1,340 in 2013. We're excited to provide a facility that will best meet the growing needs of children and families in our region."

The renovation of the building is expected to begin mid-2014, with the facility opening in 2015. More than half of the funds needed have already been raised, and the community is invited to consider a financial contribution.

"We are so grateful for the individuals who have contributed to this cause, and we thank those who are considering donating," says Scorza.

Seasons will officially launch the campaign on Monday, December 9 with tours of the space from 5 to 8:00 p.m. Seasons will host a free "Candyland Walk" for children through the building as part of Spencer's Grand Meander. The public is invited to come see the space and the preliminary renovation plans, as designed by Cannon Moss Brygger Architects.

For more information on Seasons' services and fundraising campaign, please visit [www.seasonscenter.org](http://www.seasonscenter.org) or call 1-800-242-5101.

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