

Family Equality

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Stacey is the CEO of Family Equality. An organization that works with congress and state lawmakers to advance rights for current and future LGBTQ+ families. She describes herself as a former high school dropout turned corporate executive, turned non-profit CEO. She is raising twin 8-year-old boys with her wife of nearly 17 years, Cheralyn. She regularly shares her experiences growing up LGBTQ+ in the rural South, being pulled out of the closet, and navigating life as a Black, Queer parent. In 2022, Stacey and her wife Cheralyn decided to relocate from Texas to Washington, DC, searching for a more affirming environment for their family. They are now committed more than ever to creating a safer and more inclusive world for LGBTQ+ families and youth.

ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Mission Statement: Family Equality is a 40+-year-old organization that advances lived and legal equality for LGBTQ people who wish to start a family and existing LGBTQ+ families. Our mission is to ensure everyone has the freedom to find, form a family, and sustain their family.

Mission Priorities:

1. Civil Rights
2. Community Building/Economic Empowerment & Independence
3. Education

Total number of employees: 26

Total number of volunteers (estimate): 0

Revenue	Prior Year	2021
Contributions and grants	\$2,989,983	\$2,862,605
Program service revenue	\$22,350	\$33,360
Investment income	\$3,038	\$42
Other revenue	\$0	\$0
Total revenue	\$3,015,371	\$2,896,007

Statement of Revenue (from page 9 – Form 990)	
1a. Federated campaigns	\$0
b. Membership dues	\$0
c. Fundraising events	\$0
d. Related organizations	\$0
e. Government grants	661,7000
f. All other contributions	\$2,200,905
g. Noncash gifts in line F	\$0
h. Total	\$2,862,605
2. a-g Other revenue (if applicable)	

Fun Fact: Since childhood, I have associated numbers, days of the week, and months with colors. For example, the number three is orange, and the number four is blue. March is pink, and September is red.