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### **SCAO's Foster Care Review Board Honored for 'Highest Level' of Service to Michigan Foster Children**

LANSING, MI, December 5, 2016 – The State Court Administrative Office's Foster Care Review Board division has been presented with the 2016 "Warrior Award" by the House of Providence, which recognizes individuals or entities that display the highest level of integrity, compassion and expertise in serving or advocating for children and youth in Michigan's child welfare system.

The award was presented during the House of Providence 2016 Wishes Gala, and was accepted by FCRB Program Manager James Novell, FCRB Advisory Committee Chair Jon Hale, and longtime members Elizabeth Oliver and Marvin Dick.

House of Providence is a non-profit organization based in the Greater Detroit area that provides intensive care and ongoing support to youth in foster care who are languishing without the prospect of a permanent family of their own.

For more information about the award, visit [www.thehouseofprovidence.org](http://www.thehouseofprovidence.org).

[Michigan's Foster Care Review Board Program](#) was created by the Michigan legislature in 1984, and serves as a statewide system of third-party review of the foster care system.

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