# **BENEFITS & SERVICE**

## TUITION ASSISTANCE

An educational fund is set aside for each surviving child of police officers and firefighters killed in the line of duty.

### CERTIFIED PRIVATE TUTORS

Special academic intervention when needed to keep children from falling behind in their school work.

### COLLEGE PREPARATION SERVICES

Counseling and college board prep courses available to students.



### SPOUSE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Tuition assistance for college, graduate school and vocational training for surviving spouses seeking to further their education.

### **COUNSELING & BEREAVEMENT SERVICES**

The Silver Shield assists in the cost for counseling and bereavement services to help children who have lost a parent cope with post-traumatic stress and long-term emotional issues.

# HEALTH CARE BENEFIT

An annual comprehensive medical exam for all surviving spouses at New York Presbyterian Hospital Iris Cantor Women's Health Center.

# **OUTREACH INITIATIVES**

Underwrites the annual luncheon for the Police & Fire Line of Duty Widows of NYC and sponsors projects to help meet ongoing needs of families.

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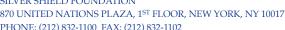
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Their instinct is to rush toward danger when everyone else is running away. Sometimes firefighters and police officers don't make it home. What happens to their children? Who looks after their education? Since 1982, the Silver Shield Foundation has taken over 900 children under its caring wing.

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