



Empowering Families to Overcome Generational Poverty, Substance Use, and Trauma

198

WOMEN & CHILDREN SERVED

At Amethyst Place, we inspire transformational healing and empower generations of women and children to achieve recovery, reunification, and resilience. We help families transition from homelessness and separation to housing, reunification, and a bright future. In 2020, 153 women and children lived at Amethyst Place and an additional 55 program graduates remained engaged in aftercare services. Our waitlist typically holds as many families as we can house, underscoring the urgent need for our services and expansion.

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FAMILIES HOUSED

Entering the program, the typical mom is 32, has 3-4 children, is in early recovery, and experiencing homelessness. Most have lost custody of their children due to substance use and poverty, yet their families are typically reunified within days or weeks at Amethyst Place. Our two-generation approach touches the lives of many ages, with over a third of residents below the age of 5. While living at Amethyst Place, we help children develop positive childhood experiences to mitigate the impact of childhood trauma and build family resilience to upend generational cycles.



OUR APPROACH

Our three core programs are designed to help families overcome the interconnected cycles of trauma, substance use, and poverty. Our long-term approach means families can stay as long as they need to heal and thrive, ensuring their success in the community.



Supportive Housing

provides safe and stable housing through 37 apartment units and access to basic needs

Family Empowerment



supports educational, career, financial, and health and wellness goals to help families overcome generational poverty and lead healthy lives



Therapeutic Services

helps families heal from past trauma, stabilize mental health, improve parenting skills, and build resilience

OUR IMPACT

Breaking generational cycles of trauma by reuniting, stabilizing, and healing families.

90%

of moms maintained recovery

National average is 40-60%

Breaking generational cycles of substance use through coaching and community.

80%

of moms leveled up on the "Income" domain by 2-4 levels by program graduation

On a scale of 1-In Crisis to 5-Empowered

100%

of children reunified with mom within 60 days

Through this, we produced a foster care cost savings of \$817,775 in 2020

88%

successfully graduated the program

This includes living here a year, maintaining recovery, scoring "safe" on all self-sufficiency benchmarks, and moving to independent housing

Breaking the Cycles

Breaking generational cycles of poverty by advancing education and creating career paths.

35

moms engaged in GED, college, or vocational training

Nationally, poverty rates for single moms reduce 33% for each additional level of education attained



Amethyst Place
where families come home to heal

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