Together we are ending homelessness.

Andrew is the first medical respite resident at Sojourner House. He went from discharge from MacNeal Hospital following a cardiac procedure to signing a lease on his own apartment in 60 days.
Dear Friends,

In our Annual Report, we take a moment to highlight the mission advances we are making and the donors who are helping to make them possible. However, since we ended our 2019 fiscal year, our world has been upended. The COVID-19 crisis is changing the way we offer and deliver services and challenging us in unimaginable ways. The crisis has amplified the racial and health disparities that exist in our country, and we are deeply concerned about the threat of a prolonged economic downturn which could force many more households into homelessness.

In these extraordinary times, ending homelessness means addressing it at all levels - we strive to prevent homelessness whenever possible, we respond to the crisis, and work to stabilize those facing homelessness with housing. This is only possible through a wealth of community and strategic partnerships and dedicated donors, aligned around a common goal of making homelessness rare, brief, and nonrecurring.

In this new environment, we have quickly pivoted our service model to ensure the health and safety of our clients, volunteers, and staff. We are preparing for what the future holds by:

- Reinforcing our prevention services to mitigate future homelessness; and
- Reimagining our emergency shelter model to most effectively served those living on the streets.

We will navigate these new challenges while continuing our commitment to delivering solution-focused programming that ensures our most vulnerable community members still have access to vital services and support.

While the future is uncertain, we will continue to navigate this unchartered territory and are extremely grateful to all who have supported our efforts.

Sincerely,

Lynda Schueler        Jim Heininger
Executive Director       President of the Board of Directors
Housing Forward invests in bold, comprehensive approaches to ending homelessness. We value and are committed to innovative and structural solutions which build a future in which every person has a home.

Ending homelessness means addressing homelessness at all levels and through strategic partnerships, from the onset of housing crisis to its permanent resolution.
Keeping people in their home is the best approach to the prevention of homelessness. We help mitigate the loss of housing to avoid the trauma of eviction and homelessness. We also build strategic partnerships that work to reduce the flow of people entering the homeless system.
We identify and quickly connect people experiencing homelessness with basic needs—like safety, food and shelter—then link them to services to begin resolving their crisis immediately. We work to align a community, and its programs and services, around one common goal—to make homelessness rare, brief, and nonrecurring.
We end homelessness one person at a time through housing. Safe, stable housing is the foundation on which clients become self-sufficient and rebuild their confidence so they can not only live, but thrive in their community.
Housing Forward is the only service organization ending homelessness in west suburban Cook County. We are the leader in supportive housing and emergency safety net assistance for individuals and families experiencing homelessness or at risk of homelessness in the area. Since our inception in 1992, we have helped thousands of individuals and families forestall and overcome the devastating experience of homelessness.

Our Clients

- 1,772 adults
- 246 minor children
- 989 men
- 783 women
- 711 people with disabilities

Our Partners

- 20+ service partners
- 40+ congregations
- 1,100+ volunteers
- 12 AmeriCorps members

Our Reach

2019 Key Areas of Agency Growth

- 33% increase in total nights of Supportive Housing
- 1,454 total outreach contacts, up 63%
- 22% fewer turnaways from PADS Shelters

Our Service Area

[Map showing the service area with various locations and symbols indicating shelter and supportive housing locations.]
### Our Impact

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<td>Direct assistance provided to avert a financial crisis</td>
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<td>Total people housed (includes partner agencies)</td>
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In 2019 the lives of 2,018 clients were positively impacted.
On the day Davitta moved into her new apartment, her nine-year-old son was an enthusiastic tour guide. “Come look! We all have our own rooms with closets. We’re going to put up superhero posters in my room.” The running commentary continued, “Look at how big this bathroom is!” Meanwhile, in the kitchen, his mom is both excited and a little overwhelmed as she reviews details about her lease and utilities with her case manager.

Reaching this moment took perseverance and a network of people working together to assist her. Davitta's journey with us began on a train. Following traumatic events which resulted in the loss of housing, Davitta’s four children were living with relatives and she rode the train all night.
One Client’s Story...

“It took some time for her to trust me.”

Ebony, Family Support Specialist

A woman Davitta befriended suggested someone who might be able to help—Ebony Martin, our Family Support Specialist. “It took some time for her to trust me,” admitted Ebony. “We used to talk at Mills Park in Oak Park because she felt safe meeting me there.”

After her situation became clearer, Davitta began working with a Housing Forward case manager, Tiffani Gardner, and Housing Navigator, Doug Smith. They worked with her to find a suitable apartment where she could reunite with her two youngest children.

Once a client is housed, a new chapter of their story is just beginning. Davitta still participates in regular case management meetings. She works with staff who offer life skills continued...
Davitta tags items chosen at The Chicago Furniture Bank to furnish her new apartment.

One Client’s Story...

like budgeting, employment services, and mediation services. “Sometimes clients need encouragement to advocate for themselves, with landlords and others,” shared Tiffani. “We are here to support them so they can continue to be successful.” Davitta is developing an employment plan to lessen her need to rely solely on supplemental security income.

Shortly after her move-in day, Davitta and Doug visited The Chicago Furniture Bank, a non-profit that matches clients who are exiting homelessness with the donated, gently-used furniture of their choice. The furnishings she chose included the table where she served the large turkey she received from members of the community and roasted for her family’s Thanksgiving dinner two months after moving in.

Homelessness does not have one root cause, so ending it requires a wide range of permanent solutions. Our mission has evolved from offering a short-term fix, to creating a network of problem-solvers to offer an ongoing, systemic approach aimed at providing what each person needs in order to succeed.

“We are here for support so they can continue to be successful.”

Tiffani, Davitta’s case manager
The Wheaton Franciscan Sisters live the Gospel following the spirit of St. Francis and St. Clare of Assisi, and their foundress Mother M. Clara Pfaender. Through loving presence and service, they foster personal and community growth while responding to the needs of the church and the times.

While planning Sojourner House, we found the perfect partner in the Wheaton Franciscan Sisters. This bold venture strongly aligns with the Order’s mission focus of innovation and risk-taking. The interim housing model is a creative solution to long-standing issues that all involved parties grapple with: the participants’ immediate need for stable, accessible housing; our health system partners like MacNeal Hospital/Loyola Medicine who focus on ensuring discharged patients achieve a full recovery and prevent readmissions; Housing Forward’s resolve to provide alternative options for vulnerable populations that cannot navigate emergency shelters.

The Wheaton Franciscan Sisters have committed to supporting Housing Forward for a three-year period starting in 2019. We are grateful for the commitment to creating participant-centered solutions and appreciate their generosity.
In Gratitude

We gratefully acknowledge all of the funders and donors who made the work of Housing Forward possible in fiscal year 2019. This list includes all donors who made contributions between January 1 – December 31, 2019.

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- Government Agencies: $6,106,524
- Contributions & Private Foundations: $1,142,775
- Special Events: $261,112
- Program Rent & Other: $253,458
- In-kind Contributions: $604,845
- **Total Public Support**: $8,368,714

**Expenses**
- Coordinated Entry: $867,264
- Outreach & Engagement: $279,820
- Emergency Overnight Shelter: $760,269
- Emergency Assistance: $358,777
- Housing Programs: $4,393,755
- Support Center: $345,848
- Employment Readiness: $144,105
- Management & General: $824,733
- Development & Communications: $365,808
- **Total Expenses**: $8,340,379

**Change in Net Assets**: $28,335

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Through generous support and dedicated community partnerships, we launched Sojourner House—the first interim housing program of its kind in Suburban Cook County—in September 2019.

Pictured at left; The community gathering for the building dedication. Inset: Sallie Smylie, former Board President, and Jim Heininger, current President.
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