

## Stable housing has always been the goal.

The paths people take to get there continue to evolve.

We have come a long way, together. In our early years as PADS, our programs focused on responding to the immediate symptoms of homelessness. Today, our work is about helping people move from housing crisis to lasting housing stability.

As our programs have evolved, so have the images and words we use to describe them. That is why we are introducing a new look, designed to make it easier for anyone who needs us to find the right resources and understand what we offer. Whether you are a client seeking services, an organization looking to partner, or a donor ready to make a difference, we want it to be simple to connect with Housing Forward.



# HOUSING FORWORD



Ending homelessness means addressing it at all levels, from the possibility of a housing crisis to its permanent resolution. Our programs are tailored to meet the immediate needs of each person we assist.

#### **OUR APPROACH**



### **PREVENT**

The most humane, costeffective solution to homelessness is stopping it before it happens. We do this through diversion case management and financial assistance.



#### **RESPOND**

We identify and connect people experiencing homelessness with basic needs like shelter, safety and food. Then we link them to services to begin resolving their crisis immediately.



#### **STABILIZE**

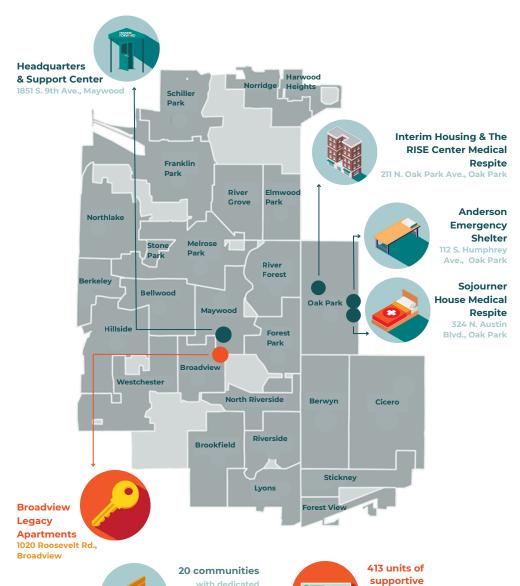
Safe, stable housing is the foundation on which people become self-sufficient and rebuild their confidence so they can live, and thrive, in their community.





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