

In 2017 we offered

**81,000 +**  
bed nights in  
Monterey County

### Homeward Bound Client

"The program (although it feels more like a family than a program) saved my family's life. We had been homeless for nearly two years after fleeing the situation where my teenage daughter and I were no longer safe.

We found new places every night to park our car. In the morning I'd get her to school and me to my part-time job. We were all each other had. And while we were no longer being abused, I felt like such a failure, almost numb. Fighting back tears, I would watch her sleep at night. Through it all my daughter remained positive. She became my rock and my reason to live. After nearly two years of this, I met someone who told me about Shelter Outreach Plus (now Community Homeless Solutions) and I applied to the single mom housing program for domestic abuse survivors. The day I received the call that I was accepted changed me.

Homeward Bound has returned my dignity to me, given me the ability to not fail my child any longer, and a platform from which to get a new, higher paying job. With great delight, at the end of the day I have a key that opens a front door rather than merely a car door."

*"Helping People  
Transition to a Better  
Tomorrow!"*



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# COMMUNITY HOMELESS SOLUTIONS

**Domestic Violence**

**Supportive Services**

**Homelessness**



## Our Vision Statement

To lead in ending the cycle of domestic violence and homelessness by providing safe housing, compassionate support, and opportunities for self-sufficiency through outreach, emergency shelter, transitional housing, permanent housing and supportive services throughout Monterey County.

# 70%

of Transitional Housing clients increased their income

## How We Help

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Providing two safe and secure emergency shelters for women and children of domestic violence abuse in Monterey County.

HOUSING and SHELTERS

Temporary and permanent housing for women, men and families in transition. Respite care and seasonal warming shelter.

SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

Case management, counseling, employment assistance, food pantry, transportation, clothes closet, day center, referral and social services.

## About Our Programs



Our four transitional housing programs offer 6 and 18-24 months of housing and support services to homeless families, men, and women. Two emergency shelters provide food and nightly shelter in downtown Salinas and a year-round shelter serves the homeless in San Benito County, our Central Coast Respite Care program provides homeless adults referred by participating hospitals, with housing, food, and time to recuperate.

1978 - 40 YEARS - 2018

Community Homeless Solutions is **Monterey County's largest** provider of homeless transitional housing and emergency shelter beds, including shelter for women and children fleeing domestic violence

# 62%

of Transitional Housing clients moved into stable living environments

## How You Can Help

We are the only agency in Monterey County to offer all levels of help by providing Emergency Shelters, Transitional Housing and Permanent Housing. Your tax-deductible donation supports our efforts to end the cycle of crisis. We are more than a shelter, we help people move forward to independence.

- Donate
- Volunteer
- Adopt a Program
- Donate Items
- Fundraise

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