PROGRAM

ANNA'S HOUSE

CATHOLIC CHARITIES IN ACTION

SUMMARY

With the goal of reducing the number of people in Harford County that return to homelessness, Anna's House serves families and chronically homeless adults through a continuum of services. The purpose of the program is to support some of the most vulnerable people in achieving permanent housing, increasing life skills geared toward self-sufficiency, and reducing barriers that may have contributed to periods of homelessness.

In FY25, Anna's House provided services to 83 of some of the most vulnerable individuals in Harford County, 41 of them being children. The program provided intensive case management services, individualized goal setting, and targeted life skills education that resulted in increased income, benefit procurement, financial literacy, and employment acquisition. We were able to rapidly rehouse 28 individuals and provide housing stability for 30 chronically homeless individuals.

KEY OUTCOMES



Percentage of Emergency Shelter participants who exited to permanent housing

81%



Percentage of Transitional Housing participants who exited to permanent housing

85%



Number of individuals supported in obtaining employment making an average of \$18.15 an hour



Percentage of Rapid Rehousing participants who remained stably housed

100%



Percentage of Permanent Supportive Housing participants who remained stably housed

97%

SERVICES PROVIDED

- Emergency shelter for families experiencing homelessness
- Transitional housing for women and children fleeing domestic violence
- Rapid Re-housing

- Permanent Supportive Housing for individuals with disabilities who are chronically homeless
- Comprehensive case management and goal setting for all participants
- Lifeskills classes

KEY GOVERNMENT FUNDERS

- Emergency Food and Shelter Program (EFSP)
- U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)—Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH)
- State of Maryland, Department of Human Services (DHS)
- Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention (GOCCP)
- State of Maryland, Department of Housing & Community Development—Homeless Solutions Program (HSP)
- Harford County, Maryland—Grant in Aid (GIA), Child Development Block Grant (CDBG)



In addition to the grant support from key government funders, we extend our deepest gratitude to the individuals, corporations, community partners, and foundations that support our work. Their generosity provides life-changing opportunities for families and individuals in need.

PROGRAM NEEDS

Each of our programs has specific in-kind donation needs, from school supplies to food and more. Anna's House specifically and consistantly needs the following items:

- Nonperishable food items (unexpired)
- General hygiene products including toilet paper, paper towels, laundry detergent (no pods), dish soap
- Gift Cards: Uber/Lyft, grocery stores, gas
- Amazon Wish List items
- Ongoing volunteer support with grounds upkeep, maintenance, painting

If you would like to support Anna's House or any of our programs with additional in-kind donations, please visit cc-md.org/ways-to-give/in-kind-donations-guide/.

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