

# **OVERVIEW**

We assist families and individuals throughout Southern Nevada to overcome barriers and attain self-sufficiency through direct services, training and referral to community resources. Since 1970, we have helped Southern Nevada residents help themselves be successful, self-sufficient and less reliant on government programs. We pride ourselves on being 100% local and 100% accountable. Last year, we served over 100,000 unduplicated clients. We have nine programs that serve the Southern Nevada Community:

## Emergency Resource Services

The Emergency Resource Services Program includes Southwest Gas assistance, food vouchers, clothing vouchers, hygiene products, baby and infant needs, referrals to other services, and case management.

#### W.O.R.C./Displaced Homemaker

Work Opportunities Readiness Center (W.O.R.C.) provides preemployment services that empower participants to enter or re-enter the labor market through workshops, support groups and networking, one-toone personal or vocational counseling, job-seeking and job-keeping methods, leadership development and decision-making skills development.

## Shannon West Homeless Youth Center

The Shannon West Homeless Youth Center (SWHYC) is a residential facility that provides emergency shelter, transitional housing and permanent housing to homeless and at-risk youth ages 16 – 24.. The SWHYC motivates youth and young adults to work towards self-sufficiency by providing the training and skills to further their education, employment, social and life skills.

## Crisis Teams

Crisis Teams serve chronically homeless and homeless individuals and families living in places not meant for human habitation, such as homeless encampments, storm drains, tunnels, parks and streets.

#### Homeless Services

The Homeless Services Program is designed to prevent homelessness to those at risk of becoming homeless OR assist those who have been homeless over an extensive period of time, including the chronic homeless, those with mental illness and the disabled.

## **Holiday Assistance**

We offer 3 signature programs: Adopt-A-Family, Turkey-Thon and Toy Drive/Holiday Assistance. These programs allow HELP to assist over 1,000 families to receive a turkey and fixings for Thanksgiving; and to assist over 3,000 households with Holiday gifts, who otherwise would go without. We also assist over 50 local agencies with toy assistance.

#### Framing Hope Warehouse

The Framing Hope Warehouse receives donated retail merchandise and building supplies from 13 Home Depot stores in Southern Nevada and redistributes these products to local Southern Nevada nonprofits and their clients at an affordable administrative fee.

## Weatherization

Weatherization offers assistance to low-income families (the elderly, people with disabilities, and families with children) who lack resources to invest in energy efficiency, thereby reducing the export of local energy dollars and keeping more money in the community; improving energy affordability, making housing more affordable.

#### Behavioral Health Services

The Behavioral Health Services program offers comprehensive behavior health services utilizing Solution Focused, Client Centered Treatment to assure success. We offer individualized treatment for addictive and mental health disorders in outpatient and residential settings.

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