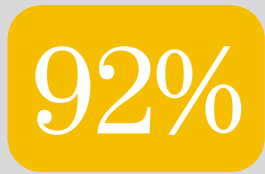
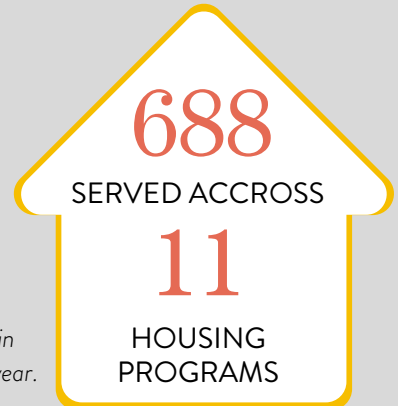


# 2025 IMPACT REPORT



MAINTAINED  
STABLE HOUSING\*

*\*Defined as people remaining stably housed in permanent supportive housing units after a year.*



**250,000+**  
NIGHTS OFF THE STREETS IN  
SAFE, STABLE HOUSING—MADE  
POSSIBLE BY **CARINGWORKS**



OF CARINGWORKS  
CLIENTS WERE ENGAGED  
IN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH  
SERVICES, EITHER  
THROUGH CARINGWORKS'  
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH  
PROGRAM OR WITH  
ANOTHER PROVIDER



MAINTAINED OR  
SHOWED IMPROVEMENTS  
IN MENTAL HEALTH\*

*\*Of 236 residents assessed.*



“They give you a chance to be more responsible, paying for things on your own, getting back on track.”

*—Roxsand B., CaringWorks client and single mom who, at 37 years old, earned her high school diploma with honors*

**MISSION:** To reduce homelessness and empower the marginalized by providing access to housing and services that foster dignity, self-sufficiency, and wellbeing.



**Erica Wallace, MSW**  
Program Director

“You get clients who go out there and they get a job, or they get their savings account or reach other goals. It really is a rewarding feeling.

They sometimes say, ‘I couldn’t have done it without you.’ But I take no credit, I’m just giving them the nudge in the right direction.”

**97%**

OF CLIENTS REPORTED THAT OUR SERVICES HELPED THEM BETTER MANAGE THEIR CHALLENGES

**72%**

OF CLIENTS WHO EXITED THE PROGRAM MAINTAINED OR IMPROVED THEIR INCOME

## CLIENT SNAPSHOT

**100%**

OF CLIENTS ACCEPTED INTO OUR PERMANENT SUPPORTIVE HOUSING (PSH) PROGRAMS HAVE EXPERIENCED CHRONIC HOMELESSNESS AND HAVE AT LEAST ONE DISABLING CONDITION

**58%**  
MALE

**42%**  
FEMALE

**56%**  
AGE 46 AND OLDER

**74**  
FAMILIES

**65**  
VETERANS

**25**  
LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS

**11**  
DEAF/  
HARD OF HEARING\*

*\*Through our Deaf Bridges to Recovery (DBR) program, we provide residential treatment and recovery services at Hope House for homeless men who are deaf, hard of hearing, deaf-blind, deaf-plus or late-deafened.*

# SUPPORTERS

We extend our deepest gratitude to the members of our donors at \$1,000 and above whose commitment and compassion are bringing the CaringWorks vision to life. The partnership of these donors strengthens the journey for countless individuals and reinforces our unwavering commitment to ending chronic homelessness. Your support is the foundation of every success story shared in this report.

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## OF CARINGWORKS' REVENUE IMPACTS CLIENT CARE

*By keeping our overhead costs low, every donation makes a significant impact.*

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## Public Investment

Public funding at the federal, state, and local levels helps make housing and critical services accessible to those who need them most.

- ▶ Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities (DBHDD)
- ▶ Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)
- ▶ Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)
- ▶ Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)
- ▶ City of Atlanta
- ▶ Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA)
- ▶ Fulton County
- ▶ DeKalb County
- ▶ United Way

# PARTNERS

CaringWorks partners with a network of organizations that help connect clients to care and support them along the way. These partners play a critical role in ensuring people can access the services they need and move toward stability. Some of our key partners include:



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## Delivered Through Partnership

Access to the right support is key to building independence. Through our partnerships, we are helping clients achieve long-term self-sufficiency. Support and services may include:

- ▶ Access to Mainstream Benefits
- ▶ Childcare
- ▶ Credit Counseling
- ▶ Job Preparation, Search, and Placement
- ▶ Legal Assistance
- ▶ Medical Care
- ▶ Mental Healthcare
- ▶ Procurement of Identification/Documents
- ▶ Reunification with Family
- ▶ Substance Abuse Treatment
- ▶ Transportation
- ▶ Vocational Rehabilitation
- ▶ Volunteer Opportunities/Community Engagement

# CELEBRATING 20 YEARS OF HOPE

Last year, CaringWorks partners, supporters, clients, alumni, friends, and staff gathered for an event to celebrate Hope House's 20th anniversary, which was a powerful way to commemorate what has become a trusted refuge and life-changing stepping stone for so many in our community. Since its inception in 2005, Hope House has given thousands of men another chance at hope; it's a place for them to heal, and to gain the support and tools that empower them to thrive, despite their challenges.



## Championing Hope & Recovery in the Deaf Community

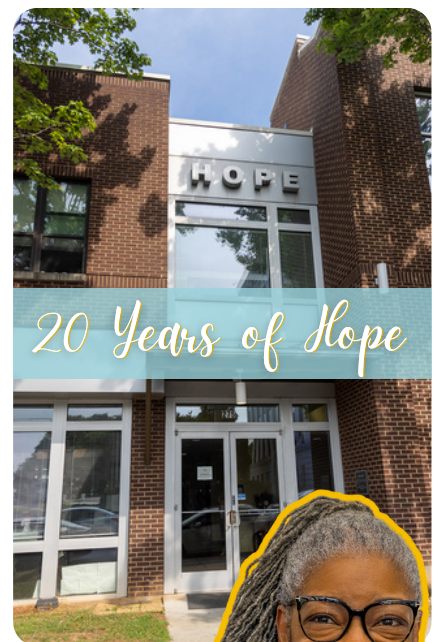
At Hope House, Care Coordinator Eric Smart used his own experience as a Deaf individual navigating recovery to support Brandon Cobb's journey through the Deaf Bridges to Recovery program. Today, Brandon is also part of the CaringWorks team, helping others do the same.



“My most rewarding moments are when I advocate for my Deaf peers – when I see hope in their eyes, when they start using affirmations, and when they finally open up about things they’ve carried inside for too long.”

-Eric

“Hope House is more than just a building or a program. It is a vital solution to ending homelessness, and it proves that when we invest in people—especially those often overlooked—we don’t just transform individual lives; we build stronger, healthier communities.”



# THE ALL STAR JAM HIT ALL THE RIGHT NOTES

The 3rd Annual All-Star Jam to End Homelessness in November brought together supporters for an evening of music, community, and shared purpose. Thanks to the generosity of many friends and sponsors, the event helped raise critical funds for housing, recovery, and the services that support long-term progress.

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