

2026

MID-YEAR GRATITUDE REPORT

Dear Friends,

As I reflect on the first half of 2026, I am humbled by the impact each of you has made through your investment in our mission. In the past six months, your support has made a substantial difference in our community.

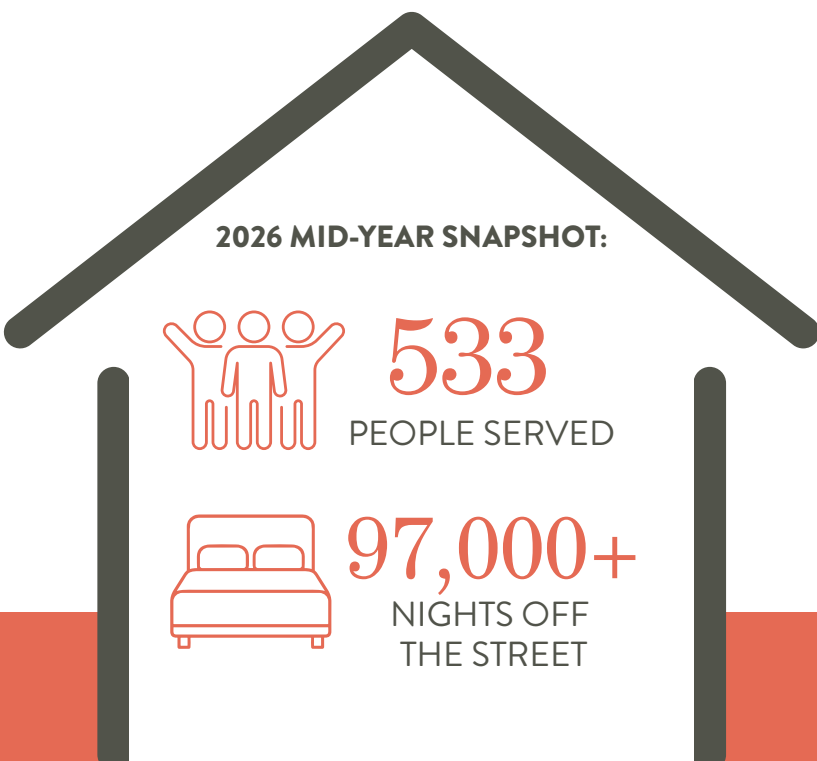
Our work at CaringWorks is not accomplished alone but through the collaboration of donors who believe in our mission, and the daily work of our program staff - one is not done without the other.

Whether you are a monthly donor, an institutional donor, an annual donor, or a new donor to CaringWorks this year, you are an important part of the CaringWorks story.

Sincerely,



Carol S. Collard, PhD, LMSW
President & CEO



2026 MID-YEAR SNAPSHOT:



533

PEOPLE SERVED



97,000+

NIGHTS OFF
THE STREET

Investing in Lasting Change

Foundations, corporations, faith communities, and other organizations play a vital role in advancing CaringWorks' mission. We are grateful for their partnership and the investments they have made in 2026 to help individuals and families overcome homelessness and achieve lasting stability.

- Capek Family Foundation
- Central Presbyterian Church
- Community Foundation for Greater Atlanta
- Jesse Parker Williams Foundation
- McCleod Media
- Thomas H. Pitts Trust
- TJX Foundation
- Trinity Presbyterian Church
- Tull Charitable Fund
- William Josef Foundation

A Partnership in Hope

This year, CaringWorks was honored to receive a generous gift from Trinity Presbyterian in support of Hope House. Their investment helps men experiencing homelessness access housing, recovery support, and renewed hope.



“*Trinity Presbyterian Church is proud to support your mission.
Thank you for your good work!*”

—Rev. Lucy C. Strong, Associate Pastor for Mission & Engagement

The Power of Monthly Giving

The steady support of our Circle of Care members helps create lasting change. Through their monthly gifts, CaringWorks can provide ongoing services and resources that help individuals build stability, achieve their goals, and move toward greater independence.



- Jacinda Adams
- James Barrow
- Mark Canup
- Carol Collard
- Michael Coughlin
- Colin Edelstein
- Lawrence Elder
- Jessica Fox
- Hershell
- Rhonda Hight
- Edwin Kelly
- James Maroney
- Jason Peavey
- Tolecia Stanley
- Ashlee Starr
- Mark Trowbridge
- Aisha Tucker-Brown



CaringWorks gave my father his life back. After his passing, I wanted to continue supporting the organization that meant so much to our family. Giving each month is my way of honoring his memory and helping other families have the chance to be reunited with their loved ones.”

—Jacinda Adams



I love the mission of CaringWorks and have seen firsthand the positive effects of the work they do for their clients. I want to support that mission through monthly donations so they can continue to help the Deaf community, address behavioral health and substance use disorders, while ending homelessness, one person and one family at a time.”

—Rhonda Hight



You are local, support the local unhoused community, support those who have mental health issues, have great transparency on Charity Navigator, and these causes are close to my heart.”

—Jason Peavey

After experiencing homelessness for nearly 13 years, Tracey S. is finally home. With support from CaringWorks, she secured stable housing, rebuilt important connections with family, and transitioned into her own independent housing.

“I just want to thank CaringWorks for always being supportive and helping me get to where I am today.”



Support Beyond Housing

Throughout the year, CaringWorks highlighted issues, people, and programs that reflect the many ways we support individuals and families on their path to stability. Here are a few examples from 2026.

EXPANDING ACCESS TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

CaringWorks became a Medicare-certified provider of behavioral health services. This milestone expands access for current and prospective clients who rely on Medicare coverage, allowing more individuals — specifically seniors — to receive critical mental health and recovery support.

BUILDING A VISION FOR SUCCESS



CaringWorks hosted a 2026 Vision Board Workshop to support client growth. The session focused on helping clients reflect on their goals and intentions for the year ahead, helping them visualize progress, stability, and future aspirations.



GROWING THE NEXT GENERATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

CaringWorks was recognized by Herzing University as an Outstanding Practicum Agency for helping prepare future social workers to serve their communities.

COMMUNITY IN ACTION

Monthly community meetings bring clients and staff together to share information, celebrate progress, and strengthen connections. They provide opportunities for clients to stay informed, offer feedback, and be recognized for the steps they are taking toward their goals.



As he worked to rebuild his life, Frederick E. found support and encouragement through CaringWorks' community meetings. The meetings connected him with resources that helped him move forward—including employment assistance.

“They have a job program; they helped me get a job.”

