WE BELIEVE

IF we provide homeless families with 24-hour shelter, food, and intensive case management services

THEN they will improve their income, find stable housing and increase their self-sufficiency to break the cycle of homelessness.

OUTCOMES

81% of clients maintained or obtained employment during the program

92% of clients found housing that maintained or improved their stability

Outputs

89 Clients Served

4 Average Length of Stay (Months)

3 Average Household Size

33 Average Age of Adult Clients

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These results are based on the self-sufficiency matrix assessment tool completed for the head of household.
ABOUT

Catholic Charities St. Joseph’s Family Center is dedicated to improving the lives of families in the midst of personal struggle. St. Joseph’s Family Center is one of four emergency housing facilities offering shelter to San Francisco families. Our staff works with clients through the transition from homelessness into long-term or supportive housing.

Through St. Joseph’s Family Center programs, families receive three to six months emergency shelter, three meals daily, on-site case management, counseling, and crisis intervention. With assistance from staff, families are assessed and referred to housing options. In addition, St. Joseph’s Family Center offers money management and job search support, parenting workshops and activity programs geared to assist families in maintaining healthy relationships.

SERVICES

• Emergency shelter and three meals a day for 10 families
• On-site case management, counseling, and crisis intervention
• Housing referrals
• Marriage and family therapy assessments and referrals
• Children’s individualized assessments and referrals
• Money management and job search support
• Weekly house meetings
• Children’s activity programs
• Parenting and interpersonal skills workshops
• Employment and job-readiness services

CHANGE MODEL

The Need
Families and children are experiencing:
• Homelessness
• Inability to use resources efficiently
• Poor school attendance
• Poverty

Our Response
• Housing
• Meals
• One-on-one support
• Goal setting
• Money management
• Community building activities

Client Outcomes
• Increased housing stability
• Increased income and savings
• Improved child school attendance through access to benefits
• Increased employment

Community Impact
• Stronger families
• Schools experience more students prepared to succeed
• City resources are available to meet other needs

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