

## Shared Housing

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Homelessness is a growing issue in our communities, but shared housing offers a promising solution by providing affordable, stable living environments for vulnerable populations.

### Intro

Shared housing is when two or more unrelated individuals share a single housing unit, splitting costs such as rent, utilities, and household responsibilities.

Rent is shared among multiple occupants, making it more affordable than traditional housing.

Shared housing utilizes available units more efficiently, increasing housing options in tight markets and supports those in need of affordable housing by pooling resources.





### 01.

Shared Housing reduces homelessness and provides long-term stability for individuals.

### 02.

Shared housing offers a quicker housing solution for those in crisis, especially in areas where housing supply is limited.

### 03.

Living with others can provide emotional and social support, creating a stronger sense of stability and reducing isolation.

### 04.

It offers a built-in support system where housemates can assist each other, reducing the likelihood of returning to homelessness.

### 05.

Co-living spaces provide safe and affordable housing for young adults exiting homelessness.



# Why is Shared Housing vital?

# exiting chronic homelessness

### Courtyard clients

John came to us through the courtyard. We were able to get him placed with his service dog the next day.

Most units are furnished, and we provide free groceries upon move-in to stock their fridge, so they won't go hungry or have to worry about where to eat next.

When we receive in-kind donations of laundry detergent, and other household hygiene products, we provide those as well.







### Young Adults

Young adults aging out of foster care do really well in shared housing. Kayla and Monique were referred to us by DFS when they turned 18. They are both working part-time and receive their stipends. We helped get them into a lowincome 2-bedroom apartment. They each pay \$450/month for rent.



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