Domestic Violence Housing First: A Game-Changer for Survivors and Their Families

“DVHF saved my life. I was suicidal at the time. I was thinking, ‘Should I give my children up?’ ... [The DVHF advocate] assured me that things will get better, and things did get better.”

—Domestic Violence Survivor

A new service model, Domestic Violence Housing First (DVHF), is helping families escape abuse by focusing on quickly stabilizing housing, then providing flexible advocacy to recover and rebuild lives.

Originally funded as a two-year pilot that expanded to five years due to its promising results, DVHF was designed to eliminate housing as a reason for people to stay in abusive relationships. The model is unique in that it takes a personalized approach – offering survivors the freedom to choose their own path – and works to improve the way communities respond to domestic violence.

The Washington State Coalition Against Domestic Violence (WSCADV), which led the charge and served as the coordinator of the pilot, is now working in partnership with multiple direct service providers and funders to expand the model. A research and demonstration project will bring the model to scale and track its outcomes. The data is expected to have significant policy and practice implications in both the domestic violence and homelessness fields.

NW Children’s Fund is proud to be part of the collaboration, investing $75k over three years – NWCF’s first “Venture Grant” – in this important endeavor.

Cornerstones of the Program

Here’s how the DVHF model works:

1 **Survivor-Driven Mobile Advocacy:** Instead of saying “These are the services we can offer you,” DVHF advocates ask “What do you need?” The survivors are offered support when and where they need it, with a focus on their individual situations.

2 **Housing Stability:** DVHF agencies have access to a spectrum of safe, stable housing options; they might accompany survivors to housing appointments, negotiate lease agreements or act as a liaison between survivors and landlords. They help survivors face the significant barriers that make it difficult to obtain or retain housing.

3 **Community Engagement:** DVHF agencies help communities more deeply understand domestic violence, and change housing agencies’ and private landlords’ understanding of survivors’ experiences.

4 **Flexible Financial Assistance:** DVHF advocates work collaboratively with survivors to determine what financial
Children were able to experience normalcy and routine – living in their own homes, having friends over and eating home-cooked meals.

Changing the Future

DVHF recognizes the multi-generational impacts of adversity. As parents’ housing stability and well-being increase, so too will children’s positive outcomes. With safe housing and advocacy, families are able to live without paralyzing fear and start recovering from trauma. Permanent housing is just the beginning of a brighter future.

Domestic Violence Housing First

Supporting survivors as they gain stability and rebuild their lives

Promising Early Findings

Evaluation data from the DVHF pilot demonstrated extremely promising outcomes:

**Housing Stability:** 96% of domestic violence survivors retained their housing 18 months after entering the program. Stable housing enabled survivors to focus on their goals beyond housing, such as keeping jobs, enrolling in school and improving parenting skills.

**Safety and Independence:** 84% of survivors strongly agreed that DVHF increased their safety and the safety of their children.

**Nurturing Environments for Children:** Survivors reiterated that the most valued impact of the program was its ability to provide their children with a supportive environment to recover from trauma.

When survivors were asked where they would be if it weren't for the DVHF program, the five most common responses were (1) with the abuser, (2) relapsed to alcohol, (3) without custody of children, (4) homeless, or (5) dead.

Visit wscadv.org/dvhf to learn more.

Quotes and statistics for this story were drawn from Washington State Coalition Against Domestic Violence’s report “The Washington State Domestic Violence Housing First Program: Cohort 2 Final Evaluation” (Feb. 2015). Author: Lyungai Mbilinyi, PhD.
NW Children’s Fund 2016 Grantmaking

Healing Abused Children

NW Children’s Fund provides grants that help child victims of abuse and neglect heal from their traumatic experiences and find permanency and stability in their lives. We prioritize programs that target long-term benefits that build resiliency in this fragile population, which serves also to prevent these survivors from growing up to become another generation of abusers themselves.

Agency Spotlight | Secret Harbor

NWCF proudly supports Secret Harbor, a community agency that offers therapeutic foster care, in-home support and residential treatment services for young people who have experienced significant trauma due to abuse and neglect.

Rosita came to Secret Harbor angry and constantly in crisis after having suffered physical abuse. She was placed in a therapeutic foster home. In the beginning, Rosita was hopeless and depressed. Eventually she discovered an interest in dance. Secret Harbor staff ensured she had everything she needed to pursue her interest. Rosita, like many trauma survivors, used rhythmic, physical activity to help work through her trauma.

After getting into her groove and excelling in dance, Rosita's life began to change. She began to develop a healthy relationship with her foster mother. Instances of crisis began to diminish. Her grades improved and her overall demeanor changed. Secret Harbor's willingness to experiment with different types of therapies and activities reduced the chance of Rosita being moved out of foster care and the subsequent traumatization that comes along with each new placement.

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Jumping Mouse Children’s Center | 16,000
Kindering Center: CHERISH Program | 12,000
Lutheran Community Services Northwest: Permanency Planning Foster Adopt Program | 12,400
Mockingbird Society | 12,000
King County Sexual Assault Resource Center | 10,500
Northwest Immigrant Rights Project: Immigrant Child Advocacy Project | 13,000
Olive Crest: Foster Care Program | 12,000
Pediatric Interim Care Center | 10,900
Ryther Child Center | 16,000
Secret Harbor | 13,400
Sound Mental Health: Children’s Domestic Response Team | 14,000
Treehouse: Graduation Success Program | 9,000
World Association for Children and Parents: US Kids Adoption Program | 7,000

Amara: Foster-Adoption Program | Parenting and adoption services to create safety and permanence for at-risk and special-needs children. 12,000
Birth to Three Developmental Center: CHERISH Program | Expansion of early intervention service addressing trauma-exposed foster children's attachment and adjustment needs. 14,700
Brigid Collins Family Support Center | Evidence-based services including therapy, case management and parenting education for at-risk families with children birth to 12 years old. 30,000
Dawson Place | Coordinated medical, mental health, advocacy, protection and law-enforcement services for abused children in Snohomish County. 13,000

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Strengthening Fragile Families

NW Children's Fund provides grants to prevent child abuse and neglect for families at the greatest risk, and to support healing and stability for families impacted by domestic violence and homelessness. We prioritize programs that use integrated services to help build protective factors, redirecting at-risk children and families before they become entrenched in damaging behaviors.

Agency Spotlight | New Phoebe House Association

NWCF proudly supports the New Phoebe House Association, which offers a comprehensive recovery and reunification program for families who face multiple challenges and are involved with the child welfare system.

When Lea moved into New Phoebe House, she had been living in a car with a significant other who was severely abusive. She struggled with addiction for 25 years after experiencing unimaginable childhood trauma and domestic violence. Her Post Traumatic Stress Disorder was compromising her daily and she was living in fear.

Lea’s children were not in her custody at that time. She began utilizing all of the services at New Phoebe House and entered into a mental health and chemical dependency treatment program. As she thrived, she was able to gain custody of two of her children. New Phoebe staff helped transition her to a community apartment, where the three of them happily reside today. She is two-years sober, self-sufficient and is in the process of opening her own business making custom cakes.

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<td>Compass Housing Alliance: Compass on Dexter / Affordable housing, case management and life-skills training for formerly homeless families.</td>
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<td>Denise Louie Education Center: Circle of Security Parenting Groups / Research-based early intervention to enhance attachment between Early Start children and their parents.</td>
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<td>Domestic Abuse Women’s Network / Comprehensive, empowerment-based programs and services to help survivors and their children attain and maintain violence-free lives.</td>
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<td>Domestic Violence Services of Snohomish County / Shelter, case management and integrated support for victims of domestic abuse and their children in Snohomish County.</td>
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<td>Encompass: Family Support Services / Wraparound services for vulnerable families including home visitation, family counseling, parent education and parent-child training.</td>
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<td>HopeSparks / Specialized counseling for children who have been abused or traumatized, family/kinship support and parent education.</td>
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<td>Interfaith Association of Northwest Washington: Case Management Services / Referral, support and advocacy services for families during and after their stay in emergency shelter.</td>
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<td>Lydia Place: Parent Support and Family Services Programs / Support services for homeless families, including parent education, children’s therapy and case management.</td>
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<td>Mary’s Place / Emergency shelter and support services for homeless families to minimize trauma and assist them in moving quickly to safe, longer-term housing.</td>
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<td>Navos: Infant &amp; Early Childhood Mental Health / Early intervention program to help young children and their caregivers form secure attachments and break cycles of abuse/neglect.</td>
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<td>New Phoebe House Association / Comprehensive recovery and reunification program for families who face multiple challenges and are involved with the child welfare system.</td>
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<td>Parent Trust for Washington Children / Support and education services for at-risk families through every stage of a child’s life.</td>
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<td>Solid Ground: Children’s Program at Broadview / Programs and support for children who have experienced homelessness and domestic violence.</td>
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<td>Thrive Washington: Home Visiting Services / Support and resources for home-visitation programs to interrupt negative patterns and strengthen the parent-child bond in at-risk families.</td>
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<td>Vashon YOUTH &amp; Family Services: Birth to Six Program / Comprehensive programs to promote healthy physical, social and emotional development in infancy and early childhood.</td>
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<td>Vine Maple Place / Comprehensive housing and support services for single parents and their children to build stability and self-sufficiency.</td>
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<td>Vision House / Transitional housing and integrated support services for homeless mothers and their children.</td>
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<td>Washington Association for Infant Mental Health: Child-Parent Psychotherapy Learning Collaborative / Training in CPR, an evidence-based treatment for trauma-exposed children.</td>
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<td>Wellspring Family Services: Homeless Parent/Child Program / Therapeutic services to help homeless children and their parents mitigate the traumatic impacts of homelessness.</td>
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<td>YMCA of Greater Seattle: Family Support Specialist / Supportive coaching for parents reunited with their children after residential or foster care placement.</td>
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<td>Youth Eastside Services: Early Childhood Mental Health / Research-based mental health interventions for very young children with risk factors for poor early brain development.</td>
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<td>YWCA Pierce County: Children’s Program / Therapeutic and support services to mitigate the negative effects of domestic violence for children living in shelters and in the larger community.</td>
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Helping At-Risk Youth

NW Children's Fund provides grants to ensure that kids can fulfill their potential, so they can make good life decisions and break the generational cycle of abuse. We prioritize programs that focus on instilling at-risk youth with necessary "assets" to grow into strong, responsible adults.

Agency Spotlight | Friends of the Children

NWCF proudly supports Friends of the Children, which provides long-term professional mentoring to guide children with significant challenges to their greatest potential.

“When I first met Ava*, she asked me when I would leave. That question caused me to catch my breath,” said Alicia, a professional mentor at Friends of the Children. Although Ava was only 5 years old at the time, a long list of people had walked in and out of her life. Alicia told her, “I won't leave you.”

Ava lived with her mom and had assumed responsibility of taking care of her 2-year-old sister. She missed a lot of school and started to fall behind academically. Ava went to live with her great grandparents, who provided her with a stable environment. That, combined with the relentless support of Alicia, helped Ava develop the resiliency to overcome and achieve. She discovered writing and sports, and just started at Edmonds Community College with a basketball scholarship.

* Name changed to protect the identity of the youth

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<td>Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwest Washington / Mentoring for children who are at risk for dropping out, violence, substance abuse and other juvenile problem behaviors.</td>
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<td>Cocoon House: Transitional Housing Program / Quality, safe and stable housing and wraparound support services for homeless youth and teen mothers for up to 18 months.</td>
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<td>Communities In Schools of Lakewood / Mentoring, tutoring and emergency services for underprivileged children provided through a network of community volunteers.</td>
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<td>Communities In Schools of Renton / Mentoring and wraparound academic and support services for at-risk students.</td>
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<td>FareStart / Job-training programs for homeless, at-risk and disconnected youth, providing job readiness and life skills while connecting them with comprehensive support services.</td>
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<td>Friends of the Children / Long-term professional mentoring to guide children with significant challenges to their greatest potential.</td>
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<td>Friends of Youth: Youth Haven / Crisis shelter, therapeutic case management and trauma-informed services for foster children and homeless and runaway youth.</td>
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<td>LifeWire: Children &amp; Teen Programs / Support groups, advocacy assistance and one-on-one counseling for children and youth who have experienced violence or abuse in their homes.</td>
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Dear Friends,

This past year, our foundation set out to increase our impact in the lives of high-risk children, youth and families in our region in two distinct ways:

1. By increasing our investment in grants to direct service organizations working to improve young lives; and
2. By stepping up our leadership role in convening diverse stakeholders in the community to improve solutions in child welfare.

As a crucial supporter of our work, we are excited to share our progress with you. Below are some of the highlights from this fiscal year, which ended July 31, 2016.

- **Our 2016 Forum, Childhood Trauma and Toxic Stress: Effective Brain-Based Strategies to Build Resiliency, brought together 400 people** (nearly double the previous year’s attendance) to learn together and engage in collaborative community problem-solving.

- NWCF distributed $875k in grants to 69 carefully reviewed agencies providing critical services for at-risk children and their families. This was NWCF’s second highest grantmaking year ever, exceeding the previous year by $25k and **pushing our lifetime total grants over the $15M mark**.

- Full of energy and heart, the 31st NWCF Gala & Auction brought together a host of people enthusiastic to connect with our work. **The lively bidding and heartfelt giving raised $650,000 in support of our collective effort to end the cycle of child abuse and neglect.**

NW Children’s Fund’s trajectory and progress is possible because of you – your passionate belief that all children and families deserve to thrive, and your trust in NW Children’s Fund to help make that happen.

With deepest gratitude,

Victoria Peattie Helm
Executive Director
NW Children’s Fund

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**NW Children’s Fund’s Sources and Uses of Funds**

*Fiscal Year Ending July 31, 2016*

**Sources**

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* The Mary Ketcham Kerr Endowment for NWCF operations had reached a value of $1,057,336 at the end of the fiscal year.

** NWCF maintains reserves equivalent to approximately three to six months of its operating expenses.

For the fiscal year ending July 31, 2016, NWCF’s total revenue was $1,439,716, program expenses were $1,105,228, and ending net assets were $1,267,325.
NW Children’s Fund gratefully acknowledges the generosity of all our donors – individuals, foundations and corporations – for gifts made during the fiscal year ending July 31, 2016.

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