

Family homelessness is a growing problem in Los Angeles County. According to the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority's (LAHSA) 2017 Greater Los Angeles Homeless Count Report 8,529 family members are homeless in Los Angeles County on any given night – a staggering 29% increase from the previous year.

## Long Term Stability for Homeless Families

Our programs are designed to empower homeless parents and their children to obtain housing stability, build healthy relationships and enjoy emotional and financial well-being. A team of professional staff offers an array of services in housing, employment and evidence-based trauma-informed care. Families receive after-care services for up to one year once they move into their own homes.

Through our **Emergency Shelter**, we provide short term housing for families in crisis. Families receive **case management services** focused on addressing their barriers to permanent housing, as well as housing assistance.

In **Bridge Housing**, we provide medium term housing for families in transition to permanent housing. Families work with case managers, housing locators and employment specialists and focus on **increasing their income, securing employment and achieving independent living**.

**Rapid Rehousing** aims to reduce the duration of time that families experience homelessness. This program helps families move into permanent housing as quickly as possible through relationship-building with landlords, payment of move-in costs such as security and utility deposits and short-medium term declining rental subsidies. Families also receive wrap-around services to help them retain their housing long-term.



**Jonathan's Family**

~ I'm an Army veteran, and I was working in the film industry when I was still unable to pay my rent and became homeless. Upward Bound House provided my family and me with a comfortable, stable place to live while I saved money and searched for permanent housing. My kids loved the food at UBH and were excited to receive Christmas gifts through their Adopt-a-Family program. My partner and I both advanced in our careers and with the help of employment specialists and Life Skills Workshops. Thanks to UBH's friendly staff, my family successfully graduated from the program. Now we're living on our own! With newfound stability and success in my career, I hope to create a program similar to UBH so I can help out people in need. I would love to donate to UBH to support their ongoing efforts with homeless families!

## 2016 in Numbers

In 2016, our programs served **193 homeless families** (610 individuals).

These families were comprised of 265 adults and **345 children**.

Children made up over **56%** of our client population in 2016.

**77%** of the families we served were headed by single mothers.

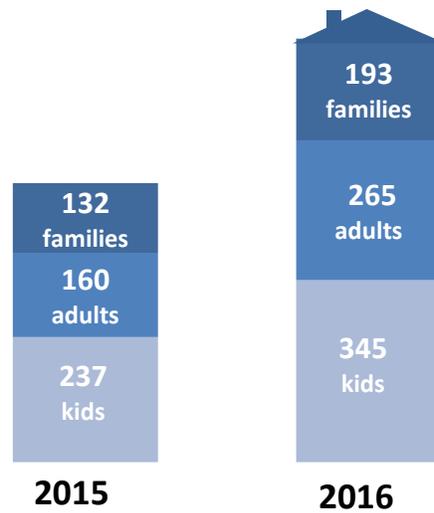
**33%** of the mothers in our programs had experienced domestic violence.

**71** of our adult family members were able to increase their income through employment.

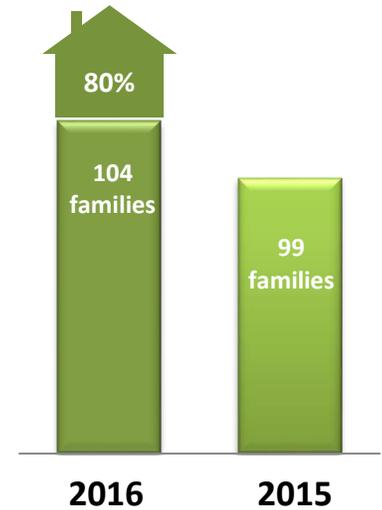
Of the families who exited during the year, over **80%** (104 families) obtained permanent housing.

A full **96%** of the families placed in permanent housing were still in their homes a year or more after graduating from UBH.

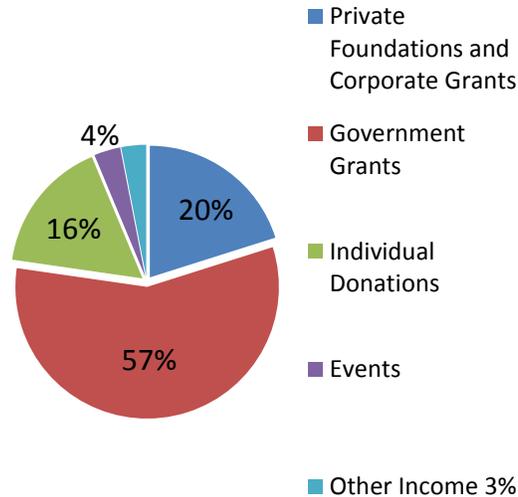
### Total Families Served at UBH



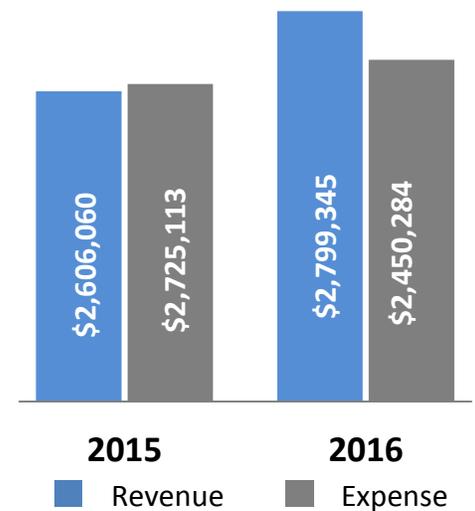
### Families Placed in Permanent Housing



### 2016 Revenue Breakdown



### Revenue and Expense Trend



The mission of Upward Bound House is to eliminate homelessness among families with children by providing housing, supportive services and advocacy. We are a federally recognized 501c(3) non-profit organization. TAX ID: 95-4288926