



MISSION

Sanctuary for Families is dedicated to the safety, healing and self-determination of victims of domestic violence and related forms of gender violence. Through comprehensive services for our clients and their children, and through outreach, education and advocacy, we strive to create a world in which freedom from gender violence is a basic human right.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In FY 2018-2019, we served nearly 10,500 adults and children. Over 200 full-time staff communicated with clients in more than 30 languages. We provided services in 11 locations throughout New York City, and engaged nearly 3,500 volunteers.

COUNSELING SERVICES

Our 70 masters-level social workers and additional staff support nearly 4,900 adult and child survivors yearly through crisis intervention, referrals and a range of supportive services designed to help survivors find safety and access the resources they need to rebuild their lives. Our clinicians also provide 1,000 adult and child survivors with long-term individual, group, and family counseling to counteract the deep emotional effects of abuse and help our clients thrive.

SHELTER SERVICES

Sanctuary's five shelter locations offer confidential housing and supportive services to nearly 450 adults and children annually. Among these, Sarah Burke House is the largest transitional shelter for domestic violence survivors in New York State, providing residents with a safe environment to build lives free from violence.

OUTREACH & TRAINING

Sanctuary provides outreach, education and trainings to approximately 20,000 concerned community members yearly, including potential victims, families, teachers, clergy, judges, law enforcement and service providers. These public efforts increase awareness about gender violence and improve prevention efforts in our communities.

SYSTEMS-CHANGE ADVOCACY

We successfully advocated for improved policies and legislation around issues affecting survivors of domestic violence, sex trafficking, and related forms of gender violence including the criminalization of cyber sexual abuse in New York City and passage of the Protect Child Victims of Sex Trafficking Act which eliminated the requirement that prosecutors in New York State prove "force, fraud, or coercion" in cases involving a trafficked minor.

LEGAL SERVICES

Our 75 staff attorneys and support staff comprise the largest legal center in the country dedicated exclusively to survivors of domestic violence, sex trafficking and related forms of gender violence. Working with nearly 1,000 pro bono attorneys, we provide legal representation, advocacy and related services to around 6,200 clients each year, with positive outcomes in family and matrimonial law, immigration, public benefits, and other specialty areas.

ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT

Sanctuary provides economic empowerment services to nearly 400 adults and teens each year, including career readiness and hard skills training, financial literacy, employment referrals and education to help survivors achieve economic stability. We founded New York's first career services training center designed to support the unique needs of survivors of gender violence.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019

REVENUE AND OTHER SUPPORT

Government Contracts:	\$15,814,907
Contributions:	\$5,348,831
Special Events:	\$2,363,871
Pro Bono Legal Services:	\$38,806,936
Donated Goods:	\$93,540
Investment Income:	\$35,247
Other Income:	\$143,631

Total Revenue & Other Support: \$62,606,963

EXPENSES

Transitional Shelter:	\$3,159,694
Clinical Services:	\$5,866,524
Legal Services:	\$47,595,298
Economic Empowerment Program:	\$2,262,866
Management & General:	\$2,534,085
Fundraising:	\$1,918,584

Total Expenses: \$63,337,051

Change in Unrestricted Net Assets: \$257,376
Unrestricted Net Assets - End of Year: \$8,839,848

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