



DAY BY DAY warming shelter

449 HIGH AVE • OSHKOSH, WI • 54901

OUR MISSION

Day by Day Warming Shelter collaboratively provides temporary shelter, individualized services, and opportunities for self-sufficiency to empower the most vulnerable adults in our community.

THANK YOU TO OUR SEASON 10 BED SPONSORS



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DAY BY DAY WELCOMES

ST. ANNE'S CLINIC TO 449 HIGH AVE.

A charitable clinic for the uninsured and underinsured

- Primary Care
- Health Promotion
- Disease Prevention
- Chronic Disease Management
- Acute Illness Management
- Care Coordination
- Mental Health Care (On-site Counseling)
- Hosting Weekly AA Meetings

OPENING FALL 2020

Tuesdays 12 - 4PM

Saturdays 10AM - 2PM

Specials thanks to Most Blessed Sacrament Parish for helping to make this happen!



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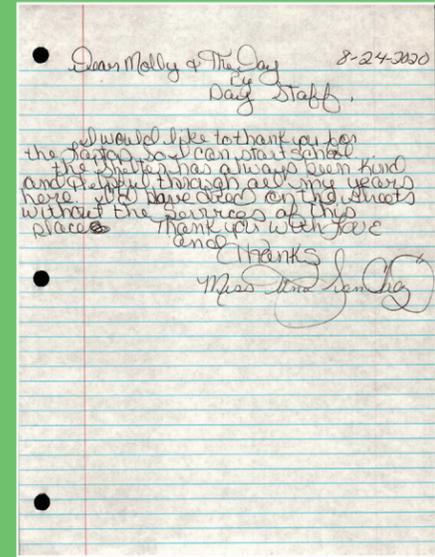
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CHANGING LIVES DAY BY DAY



INSIDE

Read about Tina's Story + How DBD helped get her back on a track to success



DBD IMPLEMENTS NEW "GATEWAYS TO GOALS" FOR ALL GUESTS IN SEASON 10

New to Day by Day for Season 10, these nine Gateways to Goals include: Basic Needs, Housing, Health & Wellness, Employment, Financial Stability, Sobriety, Social Connectedness, Transportation, and Education. Each gateway has anywhere from four to eleven steps in order to reach that goal. The Program Coordinator works alongside guests in determining the guests' definition of self-sufficiency by meeting them where they're at, and guiding them to where they want to be. By meeting regularly with guests, the Program Coordinator provides support and encouragement for guests to take the steps through their Gateways to reach their individualized goals. Once a shelter guest reaches their goal, they will receive an incentive that correlates to the Gateways to Goals that was achieved.

BASIC NEEDS

All guests will receive their Basic Needs Gateway incentive on the first night they seek shelter. Having a safe place to sleep, food in their stomachs, access to a shower/laundry and a connection to further assistance is a major step to self-sufficiency.

EMPLOYMENT

Guides a guest through employment opportunities considering their interests, job hunting and creating a resume. Ensuring they have their documents for an employer and practicing interview/job skills is crucial to their success.

EDUCATION

Is set up to aid those seeking a GED or higher education by helping guests identify their interests, assisting with the application process, providing a quiet place for testing/entrance exams, as well as assistance with financial aid paperwork.

HOUSING

Is designed to assist guests through the process of finding and maintaining stable long-term housing.

TRANSPORTATION

Is designed to provide guests with transportation options to suit them and their budgets.

SOBRIETY

Gives those struggling with addiction concerns a connection to resources via on/off-site meetings, treatment referrals, and options for sober living.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Assists guests with obtaining insurance, providing referrals for appointments at free/low cost clinics, refilling prescriptions and finding transportation to medical appointments.

FINANCIAL STABILITY

Aids guests with accessing income and enrolling in supplemental programs. By providing enrollment assistance, budget/savings plans, tax preparation and resources to building credit, Day by Day assists guests in becoming financially stable.

SOCIAL CONNECTEDNESS

Provides opportunities for guests to have meaningful social interactions by providing support groups, meetings, and volunteer opportunities in the community.

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 DENISE HOLZ, *Program Coordinator*
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Are you interested in volunteering at Day by Day Warming Shelter for Season 10?

Email volunteers@warmingshelter.com or call 920-203-4536 ext. 107 with any questions or visit www.warmingshelter.com and check out the volunteer tab. We look forward to growing our volunteer team!



DEAR FRIENDS OF DAY BY DAY

It is with great excitement I write this letter as we open the Shelter for its TENTH season! Wow, for 10 years, Day by Day has been providing extraordinary services to the people in our community who need us so badly. The most

vulnerable adults in Oshkosh know Day by Day may be their last resort for a warm meal, a bed, a shower, and helpful people. I'm proud of the work Day by Day does, but especially this year, in a time of great fear and extreme need, we are HERE, providing emergency services to those who would otherwise have nothing.

We ask for your continued support as we navigate an incredibly difficult 2020-2021 season. This year has brought its challenges, and we are not expecting them to go away. We are without our major fundraiser for both 2020 and 2021, so it's most important those who gave at our previous Mile of Style fundraisers consider doing so through our "Sponsor a Guest/Bed" campaign. We rely heavily on the generosity of our community, through private donations, to continue doing the work we do.

I encourage you to read about the good work we are doing in our community – life changing work. Read Tina's story and how the Shelter has given her a place to go, people who show care and concern, and now assistance to her very own place and education. Learn how staff participated in over 30 hours of training in the past few weeks getting ready to open shelter. We welcome FIVE new members to our board of directors who will attend their first meeting on Monday, October 26. Take a look at the great work St. Anne's clinic will be doing to provide health care needs to those who are underinsured and uninsured. And, check out our NEW "Gateways to Goals" programming model being implemented this season. We can't wait to share more stories with you this year.

As always, please feel free to reach out to me with any feedback or suggestions you may have. I look forward to seeing you at the Shelter.

In good health,
Molly Yatso Butz

DAY BY DAY STAFF TRAINS FOR SEASON 10

All paid frontline staff, lead staff and administrative staff took part in mandatory training sessions in September and October to prepare for a healthy and safe reopening of the Shelter on October 15. Staff completed over 30 hours of training to prepare for the upcoming season. Day by Day Warming Shelter staff training included:

- Day by Day Orientation & Tour
- Oshkosh Fire Department Trainings:
 - Fire Extinguisher Safety, Infectious Diseases, Air-Borne Diseases
 - CPR/AED Basics Training
 - Emergency vs. Non-Emergency Training
- The Art of De-escalation Training
 - Body Awareness/Centering Skills Training
 - Boundary Skill Building
 - De-escalation Strategies
- Trauma Informed Care & Crisis Intervention Training
- The Culture of Poverty Training
- Drug Recognition and Understanding
- Personal Safety & Awareness Training
- Crisis/Stress Response Training
- Background Check Training / Search Process and Training
- Proper Documentation Skills for Staff Logs/Incident Reports/Complaints
- Day by Day Volunteer Overview Training
- Policy and Procedure Trainings
- Intake Paperwork & Process Training
- Question, Persuade, Refer (Suicide Awareness and Prevention) Training
- Adult Mental Health First Aid Training



SHELTER SUCCESS STORY

WRITTEN BY: DBD GUEST TINA S.
(guest gave permission to use her first name and last initial)



"Well, what's next? I'm not sure. Hopefully I'll do well in school, get a degree and make good money so I never have to go back to the streets again. The streets are hard to do school on. The danger of violence is always around. Drug and alcohol temptation exist every day. It's so miserable out there that you want to do anything to forget you're cold, wet, hungry and uncomfortable from sleeping on the hard ground or concrete. The elements are hard on your equipment (i.e. computers, notebooks etc.). You have to worry about someone stealing it or it being destroyed. If that's not bad enough, the weather is your enemy. You have to worry about your equipment getting wet or too hot almost daily and to find somewhere quiet to study is impossible without the library.

It's dangerous on the street, you can be sexually assaulted, robbed or attacked. If the people don't get you, the elements will. Between getting frostbite to getting third degree burns on top of burns, because you can't find shade. I was more fortunate, I had a locking bathroom to sleep in if the cops didn't kick me out or ticket me for having a sleeping bag, my only comfort in a park.

That's why it was so important for me to get off the streets. I can shower when I want and sleep when I want.

Student life is quiet. Animal House is definitely misleading- no keggers or hootin' nannies. It's peaceful. I was able to complete an assignment for the first time in two weeks. I wouldn't have been able to do that on the streets with all the chaos.

Day by Day Warming Shelter has been my stronghold for years. They even helped me get a computer for school. Amanda and the girls have been my support for years. I could have moved in on a Friday but I didn't want to move in without them. They have been fighting for me for all these years, it's their success story too. They have helped a lot of people get off of the streets.

Thank you Day by Day. You have always given me hope and the ability to believe in myself and others; anyone can make a better life if you should choose to.

Dare to dream!"

Tina S.

SUMMER OF 2020 SHELTER STATS:

JUNE 1ST, 2020 – SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2020

Summer Outreach Program Data:

- Served 62 total homeless individuals
 - 17 new homeless individuals (not prior DBD clients)
- Provided 2,976 hours of summer outreach programming at DBD

JULY 17TH, 2020 – SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2020

Street Outreach Program Data:

- 36 contacts
 - (Total for summer = 131 contacts with homeless individuals on the streets of Oshkosh)
- Provided \$360 worth of meal gift cards
 - (Total for summer = \$1,310 worth of meal gift cards handed out to homeless individuals with no sheltering options)



*Day by Day was able to provide support and assistance for Tina S. on her journey by aiding her in filling out and sending in financial aid paper work, providing her a laptop, Wi-Fi, and a quiet place to take her placement tests, and ultimately by packing up a care package and moving her and her belongings into student housing in Appleton. Tina was one of five students to receive a student housing scholarship, a life changing opportunity for her.

SUMMER PHOTO GALLERY 2020



Program Coordinator, Denise Holz, works with a Day by Day guest to find adequate housing this summer.



FVSB – Matt Baklaras, VP Business Banking for Fox Valley Savings Bank presents Executive Director Molly Butz with a check for \$1000 to "Sponsor a Guest".



Day by Day Warming Shelter had six staff and volunteers conducting the Point in Time count this summer.



Day by Day received \$10,675 from St. Jude the Apostle Parish.



Through their Thrivent Action Team funds, Emily and Joe Schwartz donated much needed food and snack items.



Please accept my gift to Sponsor a Guest in Shelter for Season 10!

- \$50.00 – one night for one guest
- \$150.00 – three nights for one guest
- \$500.00 – two weeks for one guest
- \$1000.00 – one month for one guest
- \$5000.00 – sponsor a bed for the entire season 10.
- Other \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

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I would like my gift to be recurring.

Please charge \$ _____ monthly

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