



# BRIGID'S HOUSE OF HOPE

— Safe to be Strong. —

## ANNUAL REPORT

2024

This year has been one of change. And if there's one thing I know about change, it's this: it is *full* of feeling. With change comes loss, discomfort, challenges, and grief. Yet, it also comes with healing, opportunity, creativity, and hope.

Brigid's House has had a transformational year. Our founder passed the baton and welcomed me as Brigid's House's first full-time Executive Director - a perfect example of challenges and opportunities existing side by side. We built new partnerships with local foundations and service providers, while reimagining our program after the loss of a key federal grant - a difficult transition that ultimately fostered new energy and creativity in designing our future. Most importantly, we housed, fed, clothed, and supported 9 survivors of human trafficking - including welcoming 1 beautiful baby! And this is pure HOPE.

As we move forward into this next year, we carry with us many lessons. We remain committed to serving survivors in our state, even when the path looks different than we expected. We are restructuring our programs with renewed focus, deepening our dedication to radically trauma-informed care, and centering the voices of survivors - even (especially) when the system doesn't.

Change is coming in the year ahead, and we're stepping into it with purpose. Join us - walk beside us, lift us up, and believe with us - as we create a future where every survivor is **safe to be strong.**

Dr. Miranda Lane

Executive Director

### We have a new look!

In 2024, we underwent a rebrand, recreating our logo, mission, and values statements.

## About Us

### Our Mission

*To deliver safe housing and holistic support services, enabling survivors of human trafficking and exploitation to reclaim hope, pursue healing, and empower themselves to build secure and thriving lives.*

### Our Values

**Compassion** *We approach every individual with empathy, understanding, and a commitment to providing a safe and supportive environment for healing and growth.*

**Empowerment** *We believe in fostering empowerment by equipping survivors with the necessary skills, resources, and support to rebuild their lives and achieve independence.*

**Integrity** *We uphold the highest standards of honesty, transparency, and accountability in all our actions and interactions, ensuring trust and reliability in our services.*

**Collaboration** *We value and actively seek partnerships with other organizations, community members, and stakeholders to create a comprehensive network of support and resources for those affected by human trafficking and exploitation.*

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They understand the complexities of trauma and power-dynamics, respect our needs, and foster an environment of collaboration, trust, and empowerment.

Their approach acknowledges our humanity and replaces the punitive, authoritarian dynamics with encouragement, understanding, and support.

~ 2024 Survivor Client

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## The Data

In 2023 alone, the National Human Trafficking Hotline (NHTH) identified

**9,619 cases & 16,999 victims**

of human trafficking in the United States.

[humantraffickinghotline.org](http://humantraffickinghotline.org)

In 2023, the NHTH identified

**29 cases & 51 victims**

of human trafficking in NH.

Types of trafficking in New Hampshire:

- 60% Sex
- 22% Labor
- 18% Sex & Labor

[humantraffickinghotline.org](http://humantraffickinghotline.org)

Number of referrals to Brigid's House in 2024 alone:

**80+**

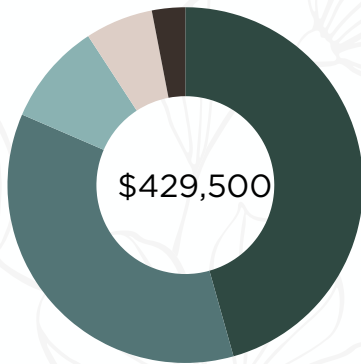
Total survivors served since opening in 2022:

**20+**

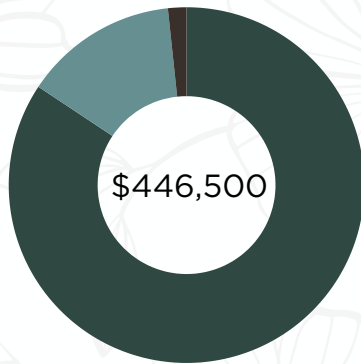
## Our Costs

*84 cents of every dollar went to survivor care*

Income\*



Expenses\*



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|----------------------|---------|-------------------|----------|
| ■ Federal Grant:     | \$196K  | ■ Programs:       | \$376.5K |
| ■ State Grant:       | \$154K  | ■ Administration: | \$62.5K  |
| ■ Foundations & GOC: | \$40K   | ■ Fundraising:    | \$7.5K   |
| ■ Donations:         | \$26.5K |                   |          |
| ■ Events:            | \$13K   |                   |          |
- \*approximate values, see 990 for full values

## Our Work

### Safe Housing



In 2024, our safe house and rental assistance programs provided a safe and secure home for

**9 survivors**  
**1 infant**  
**9 pets**

### Case Management



In 2024, our team provided

**over 2,300 hours of trauma-informed care**

to survivors, connecting them to community resources.

### Survivor-Led Recovery



In 2024, our team collaborated with

**over 20 community partners**

to support survivors in accessing the mental health, medical, and other specialized care they requested.

### Critical Needs Assistance



In 2024, our partners, donors, and granters helped us provide

**over \$10,000 in supplies**

like groceries, hygiene products, dental care, and clothing directly to survivors.

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We're so grateful for the Brigid's House staff and their commitment to fostering healing and resilience among our clients.

This work is challenging, so it's wonderful to have partners like Brigid's House who truly understand and strive for excellence in care.

~ Thrive New England  
2024 Community Partner

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