



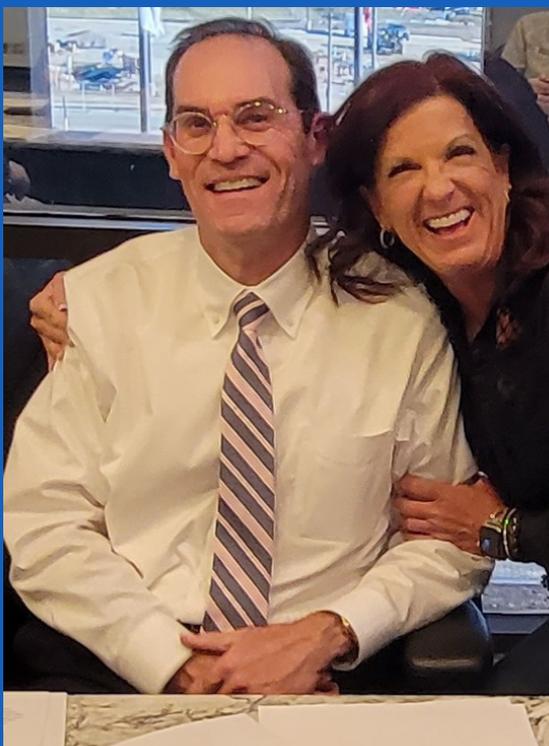
OASIS HOUSE

2023 ANNUAL REPORT

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OUR MISSION

Oasis House's mission is to provide hope and support to female survivors of sexual exploitation and trauma by promoting healing, restoration and empowerment through Christ's unconditional love, teaching practical life skills and advocating in a transformation process.



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Executive Director

Now in my fifth year as the executive director of Oasis House, I am honored to have the privilege of leading an organization founded by strong, Christian women unafraid to challenge a system that allows the harassment and sexual exploitation of women right here in our community.

I am proud to acknowledge the growth and success of the organization since its humble beginnings and, of course, the collaboration of dedicated partners, volunteers, and financial donors. We are grateful for their commitment to our mission to serve human trafficking survivors, whether they are in our residential safe home, inpatient treatment centers, on the streets, in jail, or elsewhere. It is incredibly rewarding to see firsthand how a person can be transformed from a place of darkness and vulnerability to a life full of hope and possibilities.

Oasis House presented the 2nd annual Southwest Ohio Human Trafficking Conference this year. It brought together individuals from around the state, along with respected professionals, to share their experiences and talents with an enthusiastic audience. By partnering with multiple businesses, organizations, and medical providers, it ignited the participants to recognize, respond to, and advocate for human trafficking survivors.

Furthermore, we were pleased to host the 8th annual golf outing at Pipestone. This event brings back many of the same golfers year after year, not only because they love the game but because they know events like this provide resources to help women in our community thrive after enduring years of abuse at the hands of sex buyers and traffickers.

As always, we are immensely grateful to the extraordinary volunteers and students who shared their time and talents with us this past year. We could not have come close to providing the support and quality of services without them. We know how blessed we are to be surrounded by so many good people!

We look forward to another amazing year of serving together to make our community stronger!





AN OASIS IN THE STORM

In 2023, Oasis House provided over 34,000 hours of safe housing.

Safe and peaceful housing has a profound and transformative impact on survivors of human trafficking. Safe housing provides survivors with a secure environment, offering a stable foundation for rebuilding their lives.

It offers a supportive atmosphere to engage in trauma recovery and a bridge to reintegrate into society. It gives survivors the time and space to work on essential life skills including education, vocational training, and assistance in navigating practical aspects of daily life, all of which enhance a survivor's ability to thrive independently.



"I was with Oasis House for about 2 years and over those 2 years I was able to heal parts of me I did not know were broken... I truly struggled in the beginning because I had never been able to trust anyone until I came to Oasis House. I am genuinely reentering society as a new person and I could never be more grateful for the opportunity to retake my life."

~Survivor

When I came to Oasis house I was exhausted by life and burnt all my bridges, I needed to. This program has given me the resources to not only find myself but heal things I didn't know was broken. I have been able to reach financial and personal goals I never knew possible. I have found a new sense of self and am finally free from the restraints of forced co-dependence.

PROGRAMMING

In 2023, we seized the incredible opportunity to deliver our Women of the Round Table Curriculum. It is a transformative initiative facilitated by our devoted staff and enthusiastic volunteers. Through more than 3,000 hours of impactful programming, we reached and served women from every corner of our community. Beyond equipping survivors with essential life skills to overcome the trauma of human trafficking, our programming catalyzes women, empowering them to make positive contributions to the community. Witnessing the profound healing, empowerment, and restoration our programming brings to their lives inspires us to persist in this vital work.





Hope



Heal Empower Restore



SURVIVOR ACHIEVEMENTS

Our survivors experience remarkable successes, as they heal, empower themselves, and restore their lives with resilience and determination. The following are some of their many accomplishments

- Women's Therapeutic Court Graduate**
- Granted Unsupervised Child Visits**
- Child Support Started & Continued**
- Anger Management Graduate(s)**
- Cosmetology School Graduate**
- Police Academy Graduate**
- Driver's License Obtained**
- Savings Account Growth Program Graduation(s)**
- Boundaries Graduate(s)**
- Credit Score Improved**
- Approved for Car Loan**
- Family Reconciliation**
- Emotional Regulation**
- Housekeeping Skills**
- Forklift Certification**
- Trauma Recovery**
- Purchased Vehicle**
- Learning to Drive**
- Employment**
- Fines Paid**
- Sobriety**
- GED**



2023

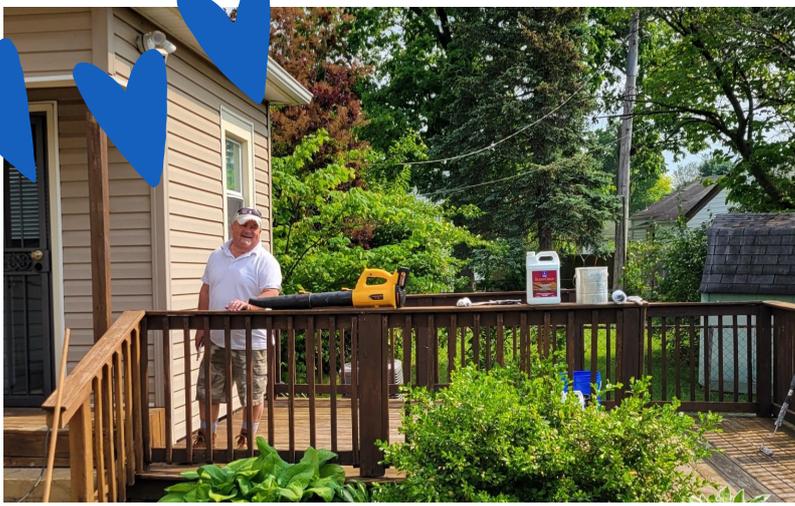
VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are a driving force behind the transformation of human trafficking survivors, serving as compassionate guides in their journey to recovery. Beyond practical assistance, volunteers embody genuine care, providing survivors with a sense of belonging and understanding. Their unwavering commitment becomes a beacon of emotional support, demonstrating that survivors are not alone. In the midst of darkness, our volunteers brought over 2,000 hours of light, empathy, and a dedicated commitment to rebuilding lives, showing survivors that their stories are heard and valued!



thank you







Over 2,000
Volunteer
Hours



COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

In 2023, Oasis House held the highly successful Second Annual Southwest Ohio Human Trafficking Conference, achieving a sold-out event that sparked a dynamic shift towards heightened community impact and increased awareness of human trafficking. Attracting stakeholders from every corner of the state and distinguished field experts, the conference served as a unique platform for survivors to share their invaluable perspectives with an eager audience. Through strategic partnerships with various organizations, the conference empowered participants to actively recognize, respond to, and advocate for the well-being of human trafficking survivors.





SOUTHWEST OHIO HUMAN TRAFFICKING CONFERENCE



Special Thanks to Our Sponsors

A heartfelt thank you to the sponsors of the 2023 Southwest Ohio Human Trafficking Conference. Your generous support played a pivotal role in making this event a resounding success, amplifying awareness, and fostering collaboration in the fight against human trafficking. We deeply appreciate your commitment to this critical cause.

Champion Sponsors

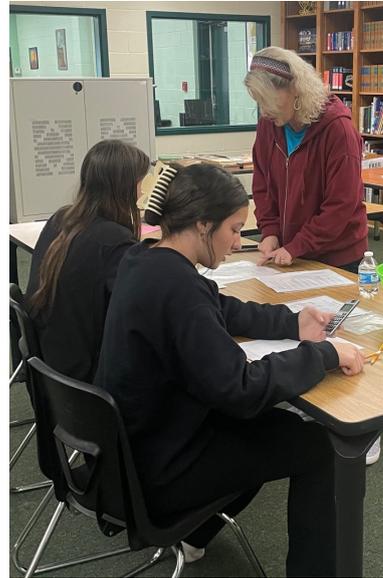


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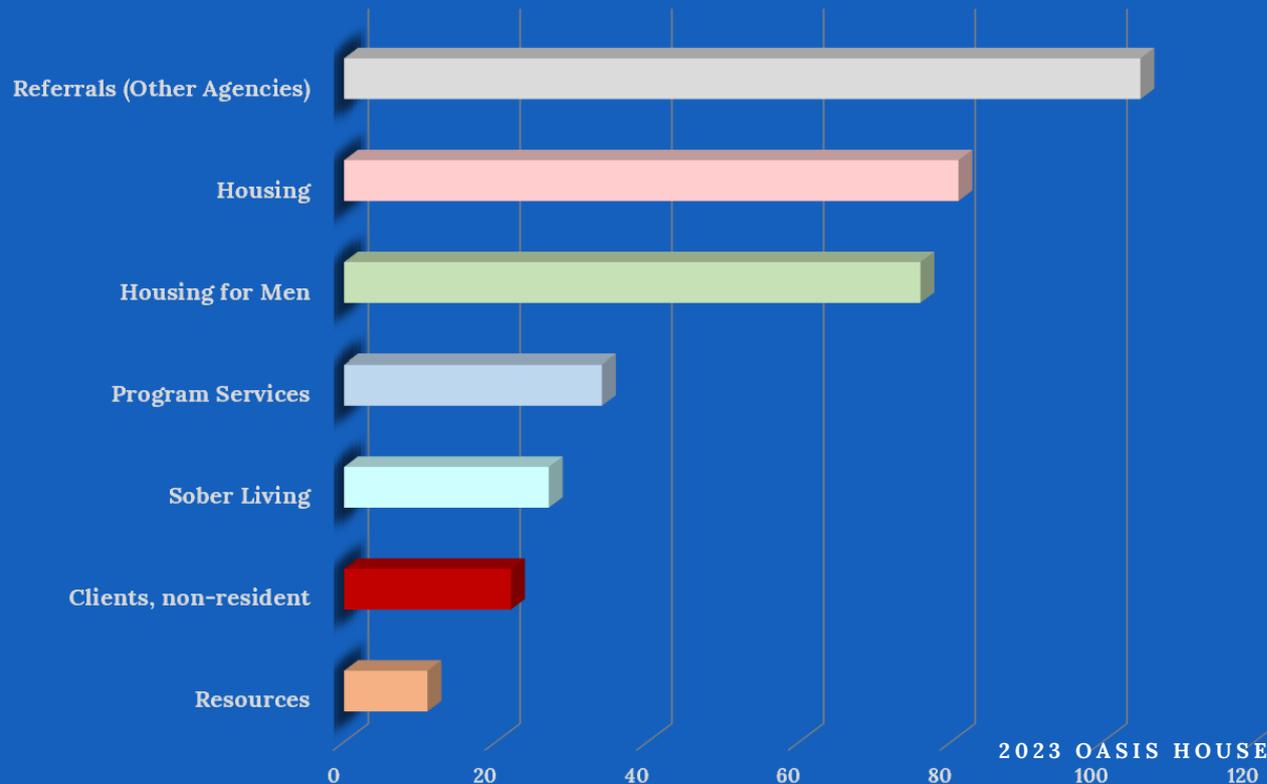


Our community regularly turns to us for diverse needs and resources. Through providing these resources and making referrals when necessary, we contribute to the development of a cohesive network of service organizations dedicated to combating human trafficking.



BUILDING COMMUNITY

Service Requests 2023





"This project will help me in my life because I learned how to control my anger and even recognize it before it happens. I learned to use my tools to breathe and how to communicate with people better.."

~Chicken Soup Graduate



EDUCATION & AWARENESS



Public education and awareness wield a profound impact on human trafficking by empowering communities to recognize and prevent potential cases, fostering an environment that supports victims. Informed individuals are more likely to report suspicious activities, leading to increased identification and rescue efforts. This heightened awareness also contributes to the advocacy for stronger anti-trafficking laws and policies, creating a comprehensive legal framework. By changing societal attitudes and targeting the demand for exploitative services, education plays a crucial role in creating a unified global response to combat trafficking. Ultimately, the impact of education extends beyond knowledge; it shapes a collective commitment to building resilience against human trafficking at both the community and international levels.



Oasis House is a safe and loving place. They genuinely care about us. I am so grateful to have them. I have been able to work on loving myself again, and been given a chance to start building a foundation I always needed and wanted. Thank You Oasis House! Its truly a miracle!

HER



Heal Empower Restore

IMPACT STATEMENT

Safe housing provides survivors with a secure environment where they can heal from trauma, rebuild their sense of safety and self-worth, and ultimately reclaim control over their lives to pursue a path toward restoration and independence.

34,848
Safe Housing
Hours

Oasis provided over 38,848 hours of safe, peaceful housing to survivors, offering them a sanctuary where they can heal and rebuild their lives free from fear and exploitation.

Specialized trauma-informed services address issues marginalized women face. Issues include: human trafficking, poverty, discrimination, violence, and limited access to education and resources.

15,052
Program
Hours

Oasis provided over 15,000 hours of program services in 2023 resulting in better health and wellness for marginalized women in our community.

The impact of traffickers is evident as they leverage technology and the internet to recruit and exploit victims, exploiting the vulnerabilities created by these digital platforms.

5,287
Women Served

In 2023, Oasis provided crucial resources, outreach, and direct services to 5,287 survivors and at-risk women, offering essential support and empowerment to those affected by human trafficking.

A community armed with knowledge and vigilance emerges as a formidable force, dismantling the networks and structures supporting human trafficking, thereby creating a significantly safer environment for all.

2,076
Trained

In 2023, Oasis House united communities as key partners in the fight against human trafficking, educating and empowering over 2,000 individuals on prevention, identification, and reporting.

Volunteering significantly enriches and fortifies communities, creating a profound impact on human trafficking survivors by fostering unity, empathy, and collective responsibility. This collective effort plays a pivotal role in making the community a better place for all its members.

505
Active
Volunteers

Oasis House volunteers empower the women we serve. We had over 2,000 volunteer hours in 2023. They serve and contribute to a stronger community by leveraging their unique backgrounds, skills, and unwavering dedication.



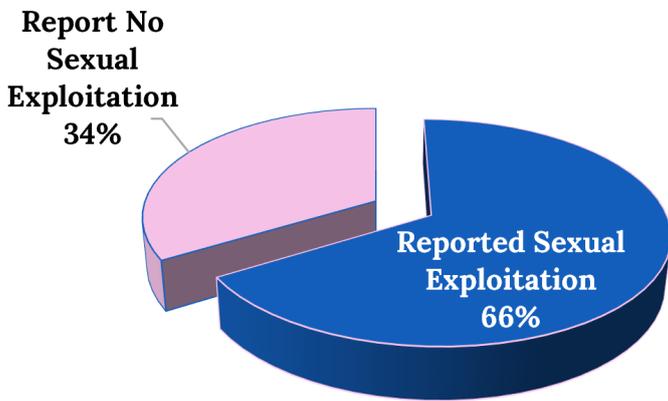
CYBER & STREET OUTREACH

In 2023, Oasis directly engaged and offered resources to over 1,400 women who were experiencing sexual exploitation online and within our community, utilizing both cyber and street outreach efforts.

"Oasis house I wanted to take a second to thank you for all you have taught me and the compassion and care you showed me in my most fragile stage of life."

~Survivor

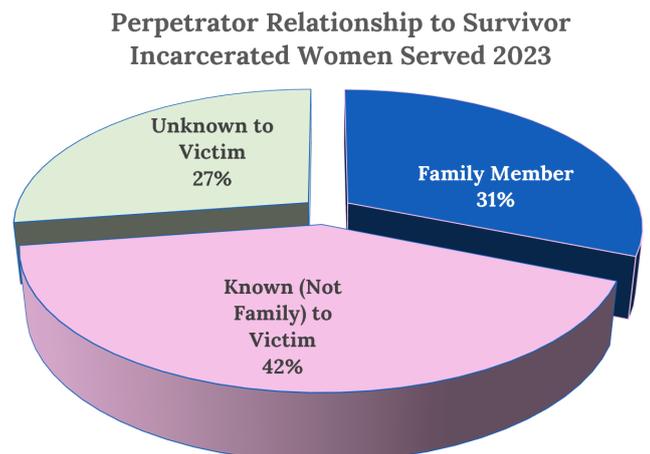
JAIL OUTREACH



Incarcerated Women Served 2023

Out of 238 incarcerated women surveyed by Oasis, 66% reported experiencing sexual harm. Among them, 31% identified a family member as the perpetrator, 42% reported the perpetrator was known to them, and 27% reported the perpetrator was a stranger.

Research indicates many incarcerated women have experienced sexual exploitation. Our jail outreach program aims to build relationships with these women, provide support and resources during their time in confinement and upon their release. In 2023, we served over 235 women in the Montgomery County Jail.



**Perpetrator Relationship to Survivor
Incarcerated Women Served 2023**



WAYS TO GIVE

MAJOR GIVING

Significant contributions of cash, securities, or real estate from private citizens help ensure Oasis House's sustainability.

ESTATE GIVING

Ensure the lasting impact of Oasis House by including a gift through your estate plans such as a will, trust, life income arrangement, or as a beneficiary of a retirement or life insurance plan.

RECURRING GIFT

Support Oasis House year-round by making a monthly gift to us via our website using a credit or debit card.

PARTNER GIVING

Make a gift to Oasis House by choosing us as your charity on Kroger & Dorothy Lane Market loyalty programs.

TRIBUTE GIFT

Make a gift to Oasis House in memory or honor of someone special or to celebrate an important occasion, such as a birthday, wedding, or holiday.

HOST GIVING

Host a fundraiser or birthday fundraiser on Facebook.

In this day and age, empowerment often requires personal transportation. Our survivors are often in need of good reliable vehicles. If you are in a position to donate, or sell at a reduced retail price, please contact our office.

“Oasis house helped me rekindle and improve the relationship with my kids, they became the family I never had.”

~Survivor

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

Revenue	2023
Contributions	68,493.30
Fundraising	73,270.70
Grants	96,535.75
Total Income	\$238,299.75
Expenses	2023
Management & Operations	102,080.26
Fundraising	14,055.70
Programs, Outreach Projects	69,115.61
Total Expenses	\$185,251.57



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