

## **SAFE SUPPORT**

## **NEW BEGINNINGS**

#### THERAPEUTIC SERVICES

- Art and Music Therapy
- Fitness and Nutrition support
- Off-site NA and AA groups
- Addiction Counseling
- · Off-site Psychiatric Therapy
- Trauma-informed Therapy
- Occupational and Recreational Therapy
- Community Meetings and Meals
- Life-skills Coaching
- · Access to health and dental care
- Legal Assistance



#### **EDUCATIONAL SERVICES**

- GED Tutoring
- Connections with classes and courses in English as a second language and community college courses
- Sessions on topics of health issues, violence, abuse and coping skills
- Career training
- Personal goal setting

#### **JOB TRAINING**

- · Development of skills for employment
- Assistance in searching for a job
- · Resume and Interview skills

#### **AFTERCARE SERVICES**

- Transitional housing after completing program
- Help finding permanent housing
- Moving assistance
- Post-program support and encouragement

#### **OUR MISSION**

Dawn's Place proactively supports women affected by commercial sexual exploitation (CSE) and sex trafficking by providing services to women, raising awareness through education, and generating prevention, public policy reform and community collaborations. We are a 501(c)3 non-profit organization.



#### **OUR RESIDENTS**

During the program our residents work with staff to develop a plan for recovery, moving in phases designed to methodically and simultaneously increase responsibility for themselves, their future and the community and to build a sense of freedon and empowerment. This phase approach assists women in building a stable foundation on which to create a new life and provides a sense of accomplishment when they complete goals.

#### **OUR STAFF**

Our unique staff is comprised of professionals and graduate survivors.

The professionals bring years of combined experience in the complexities of care based on trauma from CSE. They have utilized survivor input to develop a program that incorporates current recommendation for best practices. We have an executive director, a clinical social worker/trauma specialist, and a day residential coordinator

**Survivor graduates** are key staff members who have given input to develop a comprehensive program which is designed for survivors of CSE. Our full-time, peer specialist is a survivor graduate and another is a week-end/evening supervisor.

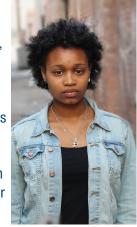
#### **HUMAN TRAFFICKING FACTS**

- Within the United States, women, children and men are trafficked daily for commercial sex and forced labor.
- Victims may be rich, poor, foreign nationals, US citizens, adults, or children under 18 years.
- Traffickers may be be individuals, small families, businesses, or criminal networks, or organized criminal syndicates.
- Thirty million people are held in modern-day slavery around the world.
- The average age of children entering prostitution is 11-14.
- Eighty percent of all transnational victims are women and girls.
- Homicide is the number one cause of death among prostituted women.
- 75-90% report they were sexually abused as children.

# NATIONAL HOTLINE FOR REPORTING AND GETTING HELP **1-888-3737-888**

### WHAT YOU CAN DO NOW

- Be alert for signs that may indicate trafficking such as the presence of a controlling person, inability to come and go at will, no identification, no control over earnings.
- Remember as many details as possible, and call hotline Immediately.
- If possible, give the person the 24/7 National Hotline number for help:1-888-3737-888



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