To eliminate youth homelessness in the Miami Valley through comprehensive and results-oriented programs that provide safety and stability for runaway, troubled, and homeless youth.
# Daybreak Services

## Residential Programs
- Minor Youth Shelter
- Transition Age Youth Shelter
- Facility Based Housing
- Scattered Site Housing

## Non-Residential Services
- Street Outreach and Drop-In
- Mental Health Services
- Supportive Employment
- Educational Support
- Violence Prevention
- Substance Abuse Prevention
March 2008

- Centrally located
- Highly visible
- Major bus route
Desired Outcomes

1. Maintain Stable Housing
2. Maintain Physical & Mental Health
3. Increase Life Skills
4. Increase Education
5. Increase Income and Employment
- Trauma Informed Care
- Cognitive Behavioral Therapy
- Positive Youth Development
- Motivational Interviewing
- Supportive Employment
  - Individual Placement Services (IPS)
  - Paid Transitional Jobs
Who Are Our Youth?

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Homeless Experience

- 64% couch-hopped in past year
- 51% slept on the streets in past year
- 84% stayed in a homeless shelter
- 52% were homeless 1-6 months prior to moving into housing
Housing For TAY With SPMI

July 2012: Alma’s Place Hot Spot
For youth living with severe and persistent mental illness

July 2015: Alma’s Place Closed

Sept. 2015: Integrated Youth Into Transitional Housing
What’s Next?
Disturbing Trends

- More youth with more severe SPMI
- Increased and more severe ATOD
- Greater levels of violence
- More developmental and cognitive delays
- No high school diploma
- Legal histories
- Less eligibility for community programs