The Women’s Safe House helped 117 women and children who were escaping violence in the first quarter of 2019. This number increased by 15% over last year’s totals. As we look to the spring, we anticipate that those seeking safety and shelter will continue to rise.

Also, please allow us to thank everyone who supported our 2019 Gala as an attendee, by donating, as a sponsor, or through volunteering. As our guests were “roaring into the ’20s,” the event raised $80,000 for the house. We couldn’t have done it without your support, THANK YOU!

See all the fun online.

Mark your calendars for next year’s Gala on Saturday March 7th, 2020.

The Women’s Safe House works even harder to stand up against Sexual Assault and Child Abuse every April. Check out these statistics and resources to see how you can help end the cycle of abuse.

Help spread awareness by participating in the following activities:

April 2nd is Wear Teal Day
Wear teal to take a stand against sexual violence.
Share your support by posting it on social media with #SAAM #TWSH

April 24th is Denim Day
Wear Denim to take a stand against sexual violence.
Learn the history behind denim day and why we wear denim to support survivors.
Understanding Child Abuse

Child abuse includes more than just physical abuse and it's often perpetrated by someone that the child knows.

If a child in your life tells you that he or she has been abused:
- Stay calm
- Listen carefully
- Never blame the child
- Thank your child for telling you
- Report the abuse right away

Learn more about child abuse and the warning signs that there may be abuse.

Missouri Child Abuse Hotline
Number
1-800-392-3738

A Friend In Need

Have you ever had a friend confide in you that they were a victim of sexual assault?

Did you know how to respond? Or were you worried you might say the wrong thing?

You are not alone.

In this blog post, we talk about ways to respond to a friend in need. As well as sharing community resources.

Read more here.
Volunteer Spotlight: Harris Stowe Students

Marionna Deloney answers the crisis hotline to help victims of domestic violence.

Interns from Harris-Stowe State University are learning so much as young professionals at The Women’s Safe House. They are getting an intense, unvarnished look at what it takes to succeed in their chosen field. These student volunteers are changing lives - their own and those they serve. Interested in exploring a non-profit career, contact Monica at mdubois@twsh.org or 314.772.4535 to learn more about intern and volunteer opportunities!

Ways to Donate

Our Wish List

Our current list of needed items are:

- Dish Towels (new or gently used)
- Face towels (New)
- Bath towels (New)
- Pillows (New)
- Blankets (New)
- Clothes for boys age 6 - 16 (new or gently used)
- Tennis shoes for both girls and boys of all ages and sizes (new or gently used)

If you have items on this list to donate please email Burgandy Fitzhenry at bfitzhenry@twsh.org

You can also shop our Amazon list and have it sent directly to us without any hassle of planning a time to meet.

Support the House Today

No woman or child should have to live in violence. That is why The Women’s Safe House is here.

In 2018, we provided 14,401 nights of shelter to women and children in our community. On average, it costs $69.30 per person each day for shelter, food, clothing, personal care items, and in-depth support services.

Please help us provide 14,000 more nights of shelter this year by making a financial gift today.

Any donation over $100 is eligible for a MO State tax credit at 50% of the donation.
Upcoming Events

TWSH Tennis Ball 3
Saturday April 6th
7 PM - 10 PM

If you like to have fun, this party is for you! Join us on April 6th for our 3rd Tennis Ball party at Creve Coeur Racquet Club. There will be food, live music, and fun games. You can also participate in the mystery raffle where you may win cardinals tickets or a bottle of wine!

Purchase tickets here.

Shop & Support
ZeeBee's Market Profit Share
May 7th - 10th

Mother's Day is around the corner and we are teaming up with ZeeBee's Market for a profit share week. From May 7th - May 10th shop in-store or online for the mother in your life and support the mothers in the shelter. 15% of the proceeds benefit The Women's Safe House.

ZeeBee's Market - 7270 Manchester Rd, Maplewood, MO 63143

TWSH Golf Tournament
Monday, August 19th
11 AM - 7 PM

Get your golf team together and swing into action by attending our 27th Annual Golf Tournament. Proceeds benefit woman and children fleeing domestic violence. Just by enjoying a beautiful day on the course you are helping those in need in our community.
Registration opens May 1st!