



Turning Point

Domestic Violence Services

IMPACT REPORT 2018

FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Friends,

As we look back on the highlights of 2018, everything that the Agency was able to accomplish would not have been possible without your amazing support. Thank you for being with us every step of the way.

This past year, we fostered collaborations to expand programming and services in all of our service areas. Shelter nights provided to adults and their dependent children hit an all-time high, highlighting violence is a still a grave need in our service areas. This also indicates that those in need are aware and seeking services. Clients are staying in our programs longer allowing us to increase case management, setting clients up for success and transition to self-sufficiency.

The expanded transitional housing program allowed us to provide support and resources to over 24 families as they move to new homes. This program is possible because of the strong partnerships with Thrive Alliance for housing, Family Service for mental health services and Su Casa for referrals and translation services.

Turning Point's Prevention Team worked tirelessly throughout the year to educate families, children, and young adults on healthy relationship skills through presentations and events. The focus has been on incorporating Developmental Assets into all of our work, reducing risk factors and promoting protective factors. This past year the Team introduced *Family Game Night* as a fun, engaging and instructional way to promote healthy relationships.

In planning for the future, our Board of Directors formed a long term facilities committee to explore the Agency's facility needs over the next decades. As we continue to focus on the concept of comprehensive advocacy, where all our services are closely woven together, the need for an expanded and different facility has become critical. You will be hearing more about this as the process progresses.

In 2019, we continue to reach more partner stakeholders through programs, presentations, and events, as we work together to create a healthy and safe community for everyone.

We hope you enjoy reviewing all that we have accomplished together. Thank you again for your continued confidence in Turning Point's mission as we work together to prevent and eliminate domestic and dating violence!

Sincerely,



Lisa Shafran,
President

P.S. If you need us: **24 Hour Toll-free Help/Crisis Line - 800-221-6311**
www.TurningPointDV.org

1,247 CRISIS CALLS
ANSWERED
THROUGH THE 24/7
CRISIS HELPLINE



PROVIDED
7,139
NIGHTS IN OUR
EMERGENCY
SHELTER



951 FAMILIES
SERVED IN
COMMUNITY OUTREACH



PROVIDED
21 PROFESSIONAL
TRAININGS



PROVIDED
1,436 PREVENTION
PRESENTATIONS



SERVED
6
INDIANA
COUNTIES

BARTHOLOMEW
BROWN
DECATUR
JACKSON
JOHNSON
SHELBY



24
FAMILIES
PLACED IN
TRANSITIONAL
HOUSING

CLIENT SERVICES

You help survivors of domestic violence find safety and vital support on the road to self-sufficiency

After leaving an abusive relationship, and continuously receiving threatening voicemails, a police officer advised them to go to Turning Point.

"It was a life or death situation."
The family entered Turning Point's Emergency Shelter, leaving everything behind.

"I truly only felt safe those first few weeks when I was in Shelter or when I was at work."

Turning Point taught this survivor about the cycle of violence, the red flags of domestic violence, how to be in control of life, and how to improve self-esteem.

"I wasn't alone. I am not the only one this has happened to. Everyone deserves to feel safe."

After 6 weeks, the family was able to move out of Shelter to their own place, and create a safe and stable life.

"I am happy to be able to model a healthy relationship to my children."



YOUR SUPPORT IN ACTION

AGENCY WIDE

Families Served in Non-Residential Services **951** Adults Served in Shelter **183**
Total Nights in Shelter **7,139** Children Served in Shelter **144**

BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY

Families Served in Non-Residential Services **352** Adults Served in Shelter **107**
Total Nights in Shelter **3,466** Children Served in Shelter **65**

BROWN COUNTY

Families Served in Non-Residential Services **48** Adults Served in Shelter **4**
Total Nights in Shelter **270** Children Served in Shelter **5**

DECATUR COUNTY

Families Served in Non-Residential Services **2** Adults Served in Shelter **6**
Total Nights in Shelter **393** Children Served in Shelter **7**

JACKSON COUNTY

Families Served in Non-Residential Services **117** Adults Served in Shelter **20**
Total Nights in Shelter **736** Children Served in Shelter **27**

JOHNSON COUNTY

Families Served in Non-Residential Services **236** Adults Served in Shelter **16**
Total Nights in Shelter **1,085** Children Served in Shelter **19**

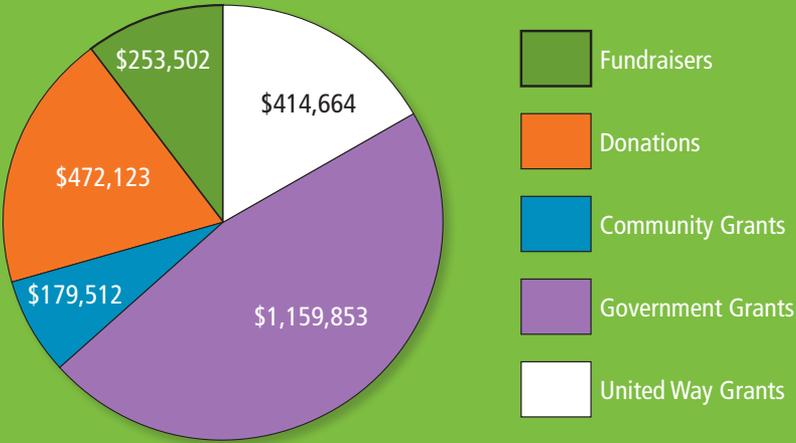
SHELBY COUNTY

Families Served in Non-Residential Services **190** Adults Served in Shelter **6**
Total Nights in Shelter **140** Children Served in Shelter **3**

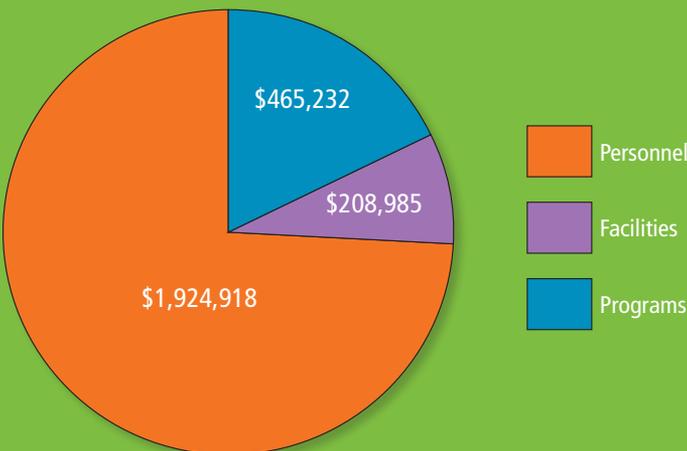
2018 FINANCIALS*

Here's how we raise our funds, and how we put your gifts into action.

TOTAL INCOME \$2,481,681



TOTAL EXPENSES \$2,599,135



*Unaudited

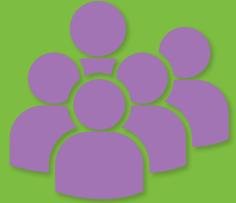


**TOTAL GIFTS
RECEIVED TO
THE ANNUAL
CAMPAIGN**

\$549,972

**NUMBER OF
DONORS**

1,026



You brightened every single day for us in 2018! With your generosity you gave a family a safe place to escape a dangerous situation. You provided a survivor the tools and resources they need to create safe and stable life. Your gift helped answer the crisis call line for those who need immediate assistance for domestic violence or sexual assault. Your kindness taught a class of young adults about healthy relationships and how to recognize the signs of abuse. Without you we could not do what we do!

THANK YOU!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF OUR CAUSE.

You will find a complete list of our 2018 donors and funders online at <https://www.turningpointdv.org/annual-reports> under 2018 Donor Listing. Every single gift we receive makes an impact and your continued support matters. Please use the enclosed envelope to make a financial gift or donate securely on our website: www.turningpointdv.org

PREVENTION & TRAINING SERVICES

You help teens learn about the difference between healthy and unhealthy relationships.

PREVENTION PRESENTATIONS & PROFESSIONAL TRAININGS



AGENCY	1,436
BARTHOLOMEW	548
BROWN	66
JACKSON	256
JOHNSON	322
SHELBY	140



Many Moons Ago
2019 was the 20th anniversary of Dance Marathon. Dance Marathon raises awareness and funds to help prevent and eliminate dating and domestic violence. In 2019, a record number of high school students (130) planned and participated in the event.

"I am part of a great cause raising awareness of dating violence in a fun, cool environment put together by teens. This has a big impact in the community! It is a great way to help out, create friends and learn a lot." -Sophomore at CSA New Tech

CREATING A HEALTHY COMMUNITY

The Search Institute's

Developmental Assets

Internal		External	
 <p>Support Ask about their day Be a trusted adult- give advice when they ask for it</p>	 <p>Commitment to Learning Become an after-school tutor Go to the library together</p>		
 <p>Empowerment Invite them to help with the community garden Start a family Youtube channel</p>	 <p>Positive Values Volunteer at a hot meal site Tell the truth around them, even when it is difficult</p>		
 <p>Boundaries & Expectations Set high expectations for them Model responsible behavior</p>	 <p>Social Competencies Make a family schedule Play a game as a family</p>		
 <p>Constructive Use of Time Attend their extracurricular activities Be a mentor in an after-school activity</p>	 <p>Positive Identity Build their self-esteem by complimenting them Work on setting future goals with them</p>		

Developing a Healthy Community

In 2018, Turning Point joined with the Council for Youth Development and the Search Institute to bring Developmental Assets® to our community. The Developmental Assets® brighten the future of children and teenagers in our community by empowering them to become successful members of the community.



Family Game Night is a community initiative to support the integration of the 40 Developmental Assets throughout our neighborhoods. As families play old fashion board games, the Turning Point prevention team members model conversations that build protective factors. Thank you to the Mark and Wendy Elwood Substance Abuse Prevention Fund, Heritage Fund, and Project Prevent (ASAP).



Men Move to End Violence.
Nick Grams, Managing Partner of Amazing Joe's held a roof sit-in as a call to action for men to be role models as we move to end violence in our community.

2019 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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PAULA WATSON



NOT PICTURED: DOUGLAS ROESE AND FELIPE MARTINEZ





863 INDIVIDUALS
VOLUNTEERED
MORE THAN
7,400 HOURS OF
SUPPORT



The 2018 Turning Point Volunteer of the Year was Greg Lewis



Happy Retirement to Anne Courtney and Rhea Murray for your many years of service to Turning Point! We wish you a fun and happy retirement!



We highlighted all the hard work of our volunteers with an Appreciation Lunch. If you would like to volunteer for Turning Point contact Dede Parker (812) 657-1304 or deidre@turningpointdv.com



Congratulations to Suzanne and Chuck Wells, the 2018 Not-So Newlywed winning couple! Thank you to all who supported this annual event showcasing healthy relationships and raising funds for our prevention programs.



Save the Date! for Turning Point's 5th Not-So Newlywed Game & Annual Report to the Community on October 3, 2019 at The Commons!



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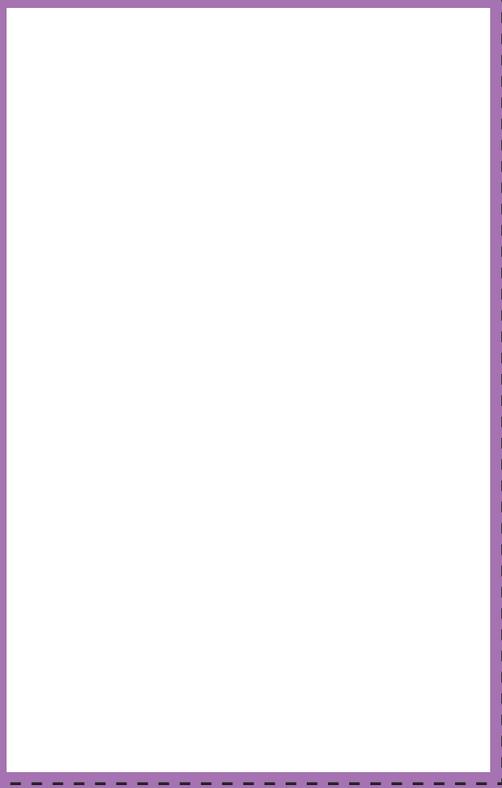
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