

# MAKING AN IMPACT

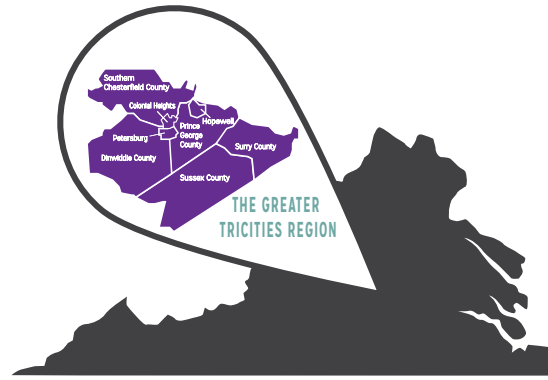
It has been two years since James House's 25th anniversary and the 26th Story Youtube Project. Our journey continues as James House expands-increasing our staff, service area, and available services. The passionate team who dreamed of saving more lives and creating more hope is now working on maintaining resources to support this growth. Your support has helped make this possible and will be even more crucial now.

JAMES HOUSE PROVIDES

SUPPORT · ADVOCACY · EDUCATION

FOR PEOPLE IN THE GREATER TRI-CITIES AREA OF VIRGINIA AFFECTED BY SEXUAL VIOLENCE, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, AND STALKING TO EMPOWER THEM TO BECOME

HEALTHY · SAFE · SELF-SUFFICIENT



James House serves the Cities of Colonial Heights, Hopewell, and Petersburg and the Counties of Dinwiddie, Prince George, Sussex, Surry and Southern Chesterfield.

## JENNIFER'S\* STORY

*“Have the strength to break the silence.”*

“James House saves lives.

I felt alone and powerless. They helped me find my voice-the knowledge, the support, and the courage I needed to protect my children, to save myself.”

“As I walked into the ER, I could feel my face swelling and tasted blood in my mouth... John\* was waiting in the car with our 2 daughters, and I just knew he was going to kill me.

While the nurse tended to my face, she told me about James House and handed me a small card...I called the hotline and James House answered that call.

They helped me get my own place and made us feel safe. I felt broken and ashamed but I started individual counseling while the girls were in a support group. I'm not all the way there yet but I know with the support of James House I will heal, and my daughters will be ok.”

\*Jennifer and John are pseudonyms used to protect the client's identity.

# OUR COMMUNITY IMPACT PARTNERS



COUNTIES AND CITIES



LOCAL BUSINESSES AND ORGANIZATIONS



FOUNDATIONS AND PRIVATE DONORS

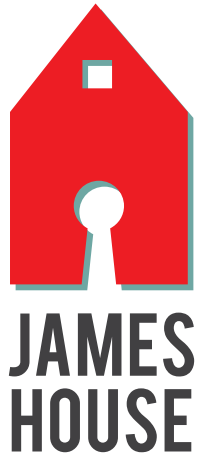


FAITH, CULTURAL, CIVIC AND OUTREACH GROUPS



PAIR-O-DICE ALLEY CASINO NIGHT PARTNERS IN CRIME

2016



IMPACT REPORT



27 YEARS SERVING THE TRI-CITIES AREA

[thejameshouse.org](http://thejameshouse.org)

24 hour crisis hotline 804.458.2840

ACCREDITED · FREE · CONFIDENTIAL

offering help for people affected by sexual violence, domestic violence, & stalking

# HOW WE HELP

*In this past year, we provided one or more of the following services to 1,600 people overcoming trauma:*

- 24-hour crisis hotline & community referrals
- counseling & support groups
- emergency shelter & transportation
- food pantry & transitional services
- case management
- hospital & court accompaniment
- bilingual staff for all services



**“Tracy was stalked for three years..”**

On Tracy’s wedding day, she wore bruises under her dress. After he beat her, she felt shock, disbelief and fear. Despite his promises to change, he never did, leaving Tracy with a permanent brain injury. Her experience galvanized her parents to help victims of abuse in the Tri-Cities. Her mom, Mary Ann Ingram, was a founding board member of James House. Her dad, Delegate Riley Ingram, helped pass a law that redefined stalking and increased penalties for abusers.

# SAVING LIVES IN YOUR COMMUNITY

**1,420**

hotline calls answered

**1,600**

people helped through James House services

**3,350**

nights of shelter

**\$633,000**  
annual expenses  
FY 2015-2016

**135,000**  
reached with  
social media

**135**  
active  
volunteers

**375** outreach programs

**32** Hispanic outreach programs

**88** rural outreach programs

## VOLUNTEER



*Volunteers donate their time and talents to help fill roles at our outreach and fundraiser events.*

Last year, our volunteers gave a total of 6,000 hours, helping with projects like answering our 24-hour hotline, facilitating support groups, tabling at festivals, and planning events like our Big Raffle and Casino Night that require a diversity of volunteer roles to succeed.

## EDUCATE



*Volunteers helped set up our new children's resource room used for counseling and classes.*

There are lots of ways you can make a difference.

- Refer victims to our 24 hour crisis hotline.
- Share posts and videos from our YouTube Channel, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.
- Sign up for Denim Day.
- Display our “Go Figure”s.

## DONATE

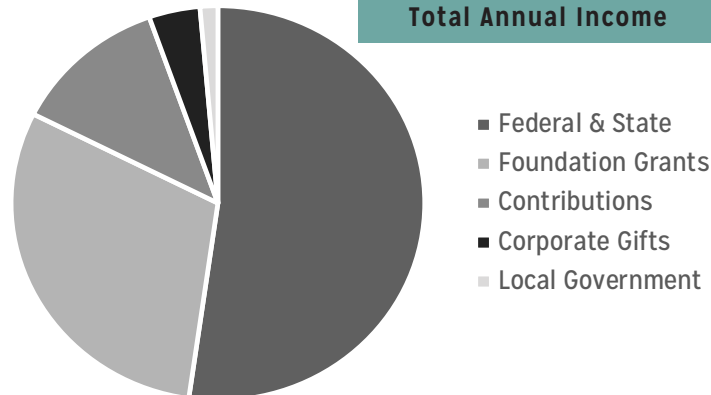


*Donations are needed year round to provide resources for clients.*

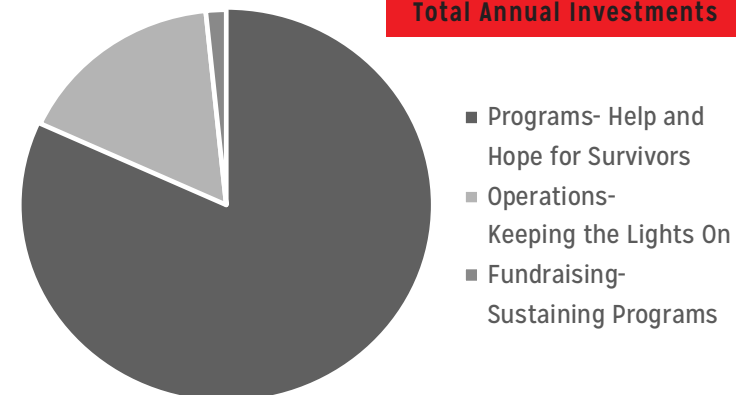
Our donors are our heroes. They give through United Way, at church, at work, online with Paypal, and at our events, and we are so grateful that they trust us to do the most good with their dollars.

# FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY

**Total Annual Income**



**Total Annual Investments**



## Your investment in our work made a real impact:

- **\$8** educated a teen about healthy relationships
- **\$350** ran our hotline for 2 weeks
- **\$1,000** sheltered/clothed/fed 1 family for 1 week
- **\$3,240** healed 50 traumatized children

**THANK YOU** to our generous supporters, volunteers, and Community Impact Partners. Your investment in our organization saves lives and creates safer, healthier futures for women, men, and children. We couldn't do it without you!