

ABOUT ROSIE'S PLACE

Thanks to you, the doors of Rosie's Place have remained open, providing unconditional support to poor and homeless women who need us now, more than ever. Over the past year:

FOOD PROGRAMS

Close to **70,000 nutritionally balanced meals** were served in our Dining Room, and **since the pandemic, we serve 170 meals each day** for guests to enjoy at a social distance or take-to-go. Groceries are provided to **250 women** each day through our Food Pantry, twice the number served before the pandemic.



OVERNIGHT SHELTER

More than **200 women** stayed in our Overnight Shelter, and since March, we extended indefinitely the stays of the 20 women sheltering with us to ensure their health and safety.



ADVOCACY

14,000 appointments in-person prior to the pandemic and now by phone to help guests with housing and job search, wellness care, funds for back rent and utilities, and transportation.



COMMUNITY COLLABORATIVES

2,200 appointments were provided on-site by our **School Collaborative** to help mothers with children in Boston Public Schools with housing search and support, food resources, and wraparound services. **1,000 appointments** were made by our **Court Collaborative** at local trial courts to assist guests with eviction prevention, public benefit eligibility, and food and utility assistance. Since the onset of the pandemic, School Collaborative advocacy is being conducted remotely via the Advocacy Helpline.



LEGAL PROGRAM

More than **1,000 consultations** with guests prior to the coronavirus outbreak on housing, family, immigration, employment, debt, and benefit matters. Since then, we have made more than **200 appointments** by phone.



WOMEN'S EDUCATION CENTER

375 women improved their skills through English, literacy, and computer classes. We are now teaching remotely, utilizing phone calls, Zoom classes, and low-barrier remote learning software.



EMPLOYMENT SPECIALIST

700 sessions assisting guests with job searches and applications, resume writing, and building interview skills. And now, we are also helping guests to navigate unemployment benefits and seek work in new fields.



HOUSING STABILIZATION

100% of the 58 guests remained housed and stable this year and **60 women** received regular visits through our Friendly Visitor program.



WELLNESS CENTER

2,500 guest visits in our Wellness Center for health and medical assistance. We now screen each guest who visits us for COVID-19 symptoms, performing an average of **90 medical screenings daily**.



PUBLIC POLICY

300 women were empowered to learn more about their rights and take actions that foster change on issues that affect poor and homeless women.



Rosie's Place relies solely on the generous support of individuals, foundations, and corporations and does not accept any city, state, or federal funding. We are proud to ensure that 86 cents of every dollar raised goes directly to essential services for our guests.

