

LIVING THE DREAM...

Sojourner House MOMS enables women to live independently with their children in a home of their own while they receive support to continue their recovery. MOMS offers families a three- or four-bedroom apartment where they receive:

- help to develop a plan to achieve personal and family goals
- assistance to find and access needed resources
- in-home services including parent education and other on-site support



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Offering compassionate, faith-based recovery services to mothers and their children.

The official registration and financial information of Sojourner House MOMS may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling toll free, within Pennsylvania, 1-800-732-0299. Registration does not imply endorsement. Sojourner House is a 501(c) (3) organization effective November 7, 2002.



Opening doors to a new life



HOME

FAMILY

RECOVERY

NEW LIFE

JOBS

SUPPORT

EDUCATION

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Making dreams come true for families takes compassion and faith.

Sojourner House MOMS – motivation, opportunities, mentoring, and spirituality – brings compassionate, faith-based recovery services to mothers and their children.



CORPORATE GIFTS

Grants and funding are dependent on matching gifts from corporations and businesses throughout the community. Sponsors are vital to Sojourner House.

VOLUNTEERS

People like you give hours of their time to prepare food, care for children, do yard work, stuff envelopes, and many other things. Call to find out how.

INDIVIDUAL DONORS

No amount is too small to make a difference in the life of a Sojourner House mom and her family. Your contribution is important.

THE NEXT STEP: A PLACE TO CALL HOME

Home. Family. Independence. Support. A new start. These words describe what the award-winning Sojourner House MOMS Program means to so many women trying to rebuild their lives, raise their children, and continue their recovery. The experienced MOMS staff offers a holistic mind-body-spirit approach to help families leave their darkest days behind and become whole again.

The MOMS approach begins by giving families permanent supportive housing. For most, it may be the first home they've ever known. While women and their dependent children live in MOMS apartments, they receive services vital to continuing their recovery, reuniting their family, and moving toward self-sufficiency.

- single mothers age 18 or older who can provide proof of child custody or a current reunification plan if children are housed with someone other than the applicant
- dually diagnosed with drug or alcohol addiction and a mental health disorder
- at least 90 days clean
- able to provide documentation of 90 days treatment attendance or successful completion of a treatment program

In addition, applicants for Sojourner House MOMS must be willing to meet program expectations and work toward:

- drug and/or alcohol recovery
- mental health recovery
- employment and training
- self-sufficiency

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Families are referred from many agencies throughout the Pittsburgh region. Women accepted into Sojourner House MOMS program are:

- homeless and referred by a homeless transitional, drug and alcohol residential, or mental health residential treatment program

BECOME A FRIEND OF SOJOURNER HOUSE MOMS

To learn more about the work of Sojourner House MOMS, please visit our Web site at www.sojournerhousepa.org. You can register there to receive our newsletter and all the latest updates about our people and activities.

FAMILY-FOCUSED, WOMEN-CENTERED, COMMUNITY-BASED

Sojourner House MOMS is a faith-based recovery program that accepts women of all denominations. This successful program is based on the philosophy that women can break the chains of addiction and hopelessness when surrounded by what means the most to them—their children.

MOMS is a partnership of Sojourner House, East Liberty Development, Inc. and the Negley Place Neighborhood Alliance. These community partners recognized a critical housing need for families headed by women with dual diagnosis.

The Sojourner House MOMS residence is an integral part of the fabric of the neighborhood that surrounds it. MOMS uses many community-based resources to help families and, in turn, the families of MOMS give back to the community through volunteering and participating in neighborhood activities.

