

HOMELESS TO HOME
HOPELESS TO HOPE



EUMA

Helping those who are homeless – one heart at a time.



WHO WE ARE

Rooted in God's love and care, EUMA provides life-changing opportunities for those who live at the margins of homelessness to become vital members of our community.

***"We had
somewhere to go,
together!"***



David and Dawnee, and their five daughters, stayed at The Refuge a few years ago after losing their home.

"We lost everything," Dawnee said.

They were so distraught . . . had nowhere to go . . . but then, they received the call they were praying for from The Refuge - "We have a room available!"

***"Homelessness can
happen to anybody. It
doesn't discriminate."***



John and Mary became homeless after John lost his benefits and they couldn't afford to live on Mary's salary alone. They found out about Our Neighbors' Place Seasonal Shelter.

During their stay, the couple connected with community resources and moved into a home of their own - thanks to ONP volunteers and EUMA's Rapid Re-Housing program.

***"I believe Liberty House
was sent straight
from heaven."***



Years ago, Carlos - a U.S. Veteran dealing with a drug addiction - was lost, homeless and in need of help. He came to Liberty House - joining other homeless Veterans - to be among his brothers and confront his reasons for homelessness.

Today, Carlos is clean and sober. He's a great single Dad and an enormous asset to the community.

Programs

The Refuge



Ending homelessness for families with children

The Refuge is a 32-bed emergency shelter for families experiencing a housing crisis. It is the only local emergency shelter that can shelter a dad with his family.

Liberty House



Ending Veteran homelessness

Liberty House is a 10-bed transitional housing program for homeless Veteran men. It is the only transitional program in Erie County specifically for homeless Veterans.

Rapid Re-Housing



Helping families and individuals move from homeless to home

Rapid Re-Housing assists those in a housing crisis to find a home and wraps them with supportive services to keep them there.

Our Neighbors' Place



Ensuring everyone has a warm, safe place to sleep during Erie's winter season

A community effort run primarily through a volunteers, this seasonal shelter operates on a rotating basis among several Erie churches every two weeks during the winter season.

Healthcare for the Homeless



Ensuring homeless individuals and families receive appropriate wholistic health services

Centered on collaboration with community providers, HC4HP offers healthcare and social services to individuals who are homeless or impacted by poverty.

Permanent Housing



Providing low-income permanent housing units to those who are formerly homeless

Recognizing that affordable housing is an issue, EUMA is committed to providing low-income living space for those who have experienced a housing crisis.

Rainbow Connection



Supporting EUMA's mission through the sale of gently-used, low-cost clothing, furniture, and household items

Our thrift store also operates a Voucher Assistance Program that provides free clothing and necessities to those in need.



By the way you pray, give and engage with your EUMA – together, we really are changing the lives of those impacted by a housing crisis!

At EUMA, we believe a permanent place to live – a home – is central to healthy individuals, families and neighborhoods.

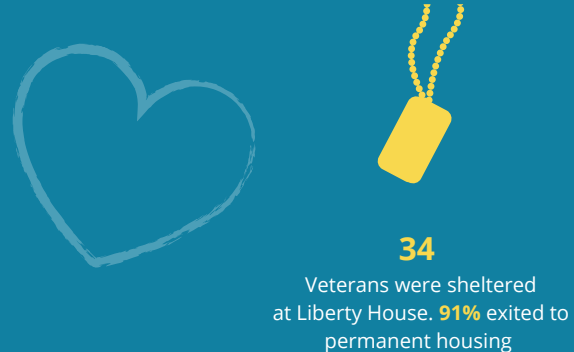
Through emergency, seasonal and transitional shelters, permanent housing programs, housing case management, the integration of housing and healthcare, vouchers that release clothing and household items to those in need, we are moving our neighbors experiencing a housing crisis from homeless to home – from hopeless to hope for a brighter tomorrow.

Because of you, this young man, his four siblings and grandmother who is caring for them, are home. The kids are all on the honor roll. They have a place to call home and neighbors – you – who they can thank for loving their neighbor.

For more information including how you can help our neighbors experiencing a housing crisis, please visit us online at: EUMA-Erie.org.

Kurt B. Crays, MDiv.
EUMA Executive Director

Because of you, EUMA provided the following services last year:



Statistics reflect data from fiscal year July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

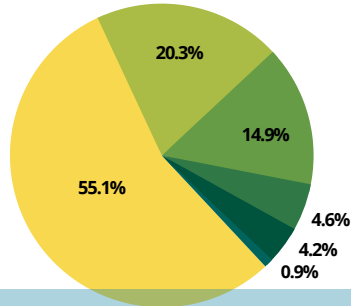
EUMA Fiscal Year in Review

OUR REPORT TO YOU

Data based on fiscal year July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020

Revenue

\$1,577,287

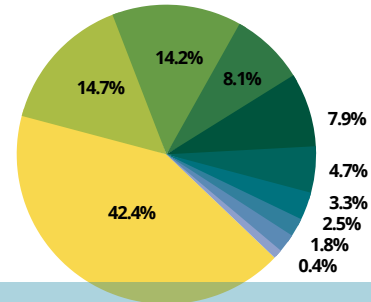


Grants	\$869,129
Individuals, Churches, Businesses	\$234,500
Events	\$320,917
Rainbow Connection	\$66,812
Rental Income	\$72,496
Misc.	\$13,433

In-Kind Donations: \$214,533

Expenses

\$1,438,806



Rapid Re-Housing	\$610,729
Liberty House	\$211,686
The Refuge	\$204,007
Administration	\$67,166
Fundraising	\$113,650
Rainbow Connection	\$116,340
Rental Properties	\$48,144
Capital Improvements	\$35,803
Our Neighbors' Place	\$26,189
Healthcare for the Homeless	\$5,091



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