

# 200 Homes in 100 Days Campaign

Working together to house 200 chronic and vulnerable homeless people in New Orleans and Jefferson Parish by September 1, 2013

June 10, 2013 -- Day 18

26 people housed

## We Want You!

Every day agencies across New Orleans and Jefferson Parish work tirelessly to serve and house chronically homeless and vulnerable people – often with very little recognition. The leadership team of the 200 in 100 Campaign is extremely grateful for all the hard work that case managers, outreach workers, administrators, and other employees and

volunteers do every day to help end homelessness in our area and we want to make sure it's counted. When one of your chronically homeless clients is housed, please let us know by Friday of that week so we can include it in the next Monday's newsletter!



Since May 24, the following agencies have helped permanently house chronically homeless people

Covenant House • HANO • HUD  
LA Department of Health and Hospitals  
LA Housing Authority • NAMI  
Ozanam Inn • UNITY • VA • Volunteers of America • Womanspace

\*\*Contact Emily Danielson at (504) 821-4496 x115 to get your agency's name on this list!\*\*

**WE WANT YOU  
TO REPORT HOUSING  
PLACEMENTS**

### Frequently Asked Questions about Chronic Homelessness

*Chronically homeless people are people with disabilities who have been staying in emergency shelters, safe havens, or places*

*not meant for human habitation for 1 year or more, or four episodes in the last three years.* **1.** Can a family be chronically homeless? *Yes, a family can be chronically homeless if the head of household meets the chronic homeless definition.* **2.** If an individual was chronically homeless prior to entering prison, a hospital, or other institutional care facility, are they still considered chronically homeless upon discharge? *Yes, as long as their stay in the facility was 90 days or less.*

## New Hope for Family of Three

Grace and her two children had been living in an abandoned house in the 7<sup>th</sup> Ward for over a year – a year too long. Concerned about the family's well-being Grace's neighbors contacted Volunteers of America. VoA outreach workers helped Grace's family move to Covenant House temporarily, and to get the family the key to their own apartment last week. **Congratulations, Grace!**

Please contact Emily Danielson at [edanielson@unitygno.org](mailto:edanielson@unitygno.org) or (504) 821-4496 x115 to report your agency's housing openings, housing placements, and success stories in placing chronically homeless people in permanent housing.

