

LEGACY OF CARE

More than 150 years ago, The Bowery Mission opened its doors to anyone in need of hospitality, comfort, and the promise of a new life. And still today, we believe in the dignity and flourishing of every individual.





Homelessness in NYC

- More than 100,000 New Yorkers sleep in public shelters each night.
- An estimated 4,000 people are living unsheltered in the subways, on the streets of Manhattan, or in one of the other boroughs.
- More than 1.2 million New Yorkers are food insecure. That's about one in every seven.

While no two stories are the same, each person experiencing homelessness is facing the same reality: they have nowhere left to turn. When crisis hit, they found themselves without a safe place or supportive community to turn to for help.

Sources — City of New York (data as of August 2023), NYC HOPE Count 2023, Mayor's Office of Food Policy

1. Compassionate Care

Compassionate Care invites guests to Choose Help. Through hospitality, food, safe shelter, clothing, showers and medical care — tangible expressions of God's love — we meet the immediate needs of each person who walks through our Red Doors.

Last year, we provided:

- **320,000** meals
- 66,000 nights of shelter
- 32,000 articles of clothing
- 45,000 emergency showers





2. Residential & **Community Programs**

Residential & Community Programs help clients Make Progress, Clients access comprehensive services for physical, emotional, psychological and spiritual healing — all in the context of a safe, supportive community.

Last year, we served:



124 adults with vocational support

214 adults in residential programs

47 adults who exited residential programs with employment



54 adults who exited residential programs with secure housing

3. Transitional Housing & Alumni Programs

Transitional Housing & Alumni Programs inspire graduates to Sustain & Grow. Through transitional housing and ongoing access to services, graduates are equipped to find success beyond the walls of our programs.

Alumni continue to engage with The Bowery Mission community through reunion events and volunteer opportunities. They also have ongoing access to vocational services, and provide support and encouragement to others through sharing their own stories at chapel services, graduation ceremonies, events and more.



4. Children's Programs

Children's Programs empower children to Thrive & Succeed. Year-round opportunities for enrichment culminate in an unforgettable weeklong experience at our 200-acre camp in the Poconos Region of Pennsylvania, where they build lasting, healthy relationships with counselors and peers.

Last year, we served:

- 203 children & youth in year-round enrichment programs
- 300 children & youth at summer camp
 - 49 children & youth who participated in 1:1 tutoring

training

44 youth active in formal leadership

JOIN US

Join more than 10,000 volunteers who enable us to rebuild hope in the lives of homeless and hungry neighbors in our community.

Get Involved

Serve a meal, lead a workshop or help in our clothing room. Visit bowery.org/ volunteer or email volunteer@bowery.org.

Donate

Make a monetary gift or donate clothing, food or other goods. Visit bowery.org/ donate or email donategoods@bowery.org.

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