

# Sybil Smith Family Village

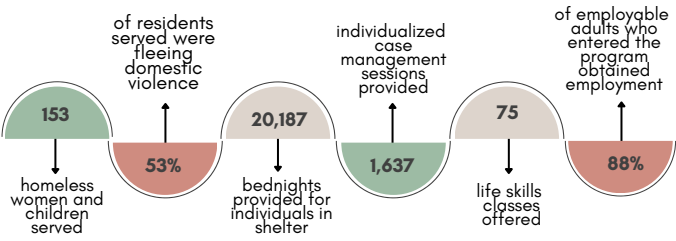


Dumas Wesley Community Center's transitional housing program, Sybil Smith Family Village (SSFV), was founded to break the cycle of homelessness through supportive housing, case management, life skills, and behavior modification. Residents must be: homeless, 24 years of age or older, able to work or enroll in school, willing to live in a drug-and alcohol-free environment and participate in a case management plan.

## 2023 FAST FACTS

87%

success rate among residents who completed the program and moved into permanent housing



"After being in an unhealthy relationship for nearly a decade, I gradually lost everything - my family, friends, my home. I even lost the one thing that meant everything to me - my beautiful girls. When I moved into Sybil Smith Family Village, I became someone I never thought I'd see again. I went from barely making ends meet to having a career with benefits. I've got good credit. I've rebuilt relationships, and I've finally been reunited with my kids! Without Sybil Smith Family Village, I'd be lost - they showed me that people still have compassion. Thank you for all you have done!"

**Billie and Family,  
Sybil Smith Family Village residents**



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# Baldwin Family Village



## THE PROGRAM *Opened May, 2023!*

The Dumas Wesley Community Center's transitional housing program, the Baldwin Family Village (BFV), is modeled after Dumas Wesley's highly successful transitional housing program, the Sybil Smith Family Village. BFV is Baldwin County's first transitional housing program, and provides 12 months of housing and wrap-around services for up to 100 homeless women and children annually.

BFV's mission is to provide immediate supportive housing, individualized case management, life skills classes, employment opportunities and wrap-around services for homeless women and children in Baldwin County. Residents must be: homeless, 24 years of age or older, able to work or enroll in school, willing to live in a drug-and alcohol-free environment and participate in a case management plan.

## SUCCESSES

108

women and children served since opening in May 2023

63

families successfully transitioned from homelessness to permanent housing



## SERVICES (2023)



4,338 bednights provided for 60 homeless women and children in shelter

731 individualized case management sessions conducted

55 life skills classes offered to residents

## TESTIMONIAL

We are so grateful this program exists because our needs are pretty extensive. I'm looking forward to gaining financial stability as well as many other great opportunities this program offers. We would be homeless if this great place didn't exist. Thank you so much.



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