



CHALLENGE

Affordable housing residents, many of whom have experienced homelessness, face critical barriers to accessing available community services. This leads to housing instability and homelessness, isolation and loneliness, chronic health conditions, and preventable emergency room visits. Additionally, many residents who enter permanent housing after experiencing homelessness need support to build the skills needed to stay housed, including paying rent and maintaining a safe and habitable apartment.

SOLUTION

SASH for All offers concrete and consistent support for individuals and families to meet their self-directed goals for a secure and healthy life.



OUR PARTNERS:



PROGRAM STRUCTURE

Housing-based Staff: The team includes a full-time Community Health Worker, a part-time Wellness Nurse, and an Emotional Wellness Clinician who are embedded where people live. They build relationships to provide consistent access for residents.

FOCUS AREAS

Preventing Homelessness

Support for Stability: The SFA team supports residents' goals for a stable and secure home, helping them maintain their housing, pay rent on time, and build positive relationships with neighbors.

Breaking Down Barriers

Coordinated Care: SFA team meets monthly with a network of service providers through a cooperative memorandum of understanding. During crises, this established network of providers reduces the burden of service navigation for individuals and can respond quickly before an issue gets out of control and puts housing or health at risk.

Direct Referrals: The SFA team provides direct referrals to services, acting as liaisons to advocate and ensure timely support for participants. Examples include school-based programs, employment services, financial assistance, food programs, legal services, mental health treatment, and substance use programs.



Access to Health Care

Health Services: The SFA team connects residents with health care providers. The team also provides health screenings, coaching, and evidence-based programs to shift utilization away from emergency services and toward preventive care. The emotional wellness clinician works with participants on urgent mental health needs and long-term goals, offering one-on-one coaching and group sessions.

Healthy Neighbor Relations

Community Building: The SFA team, in collaboration with residents, organizes regular events to combat social isolation and foster community connections. Conflict between neighbors can put safety at risk and drive overutilization of police and other public safety services, whereas healthy neighbor relations help people remain stable in their homes.

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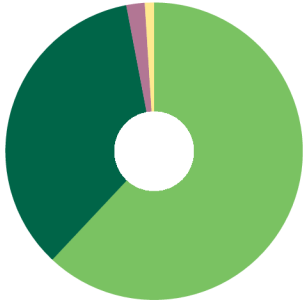
2025 SASH for All Outcomes

DEMOGRAPHICS & PARTICIPANT ENGAGEMENT

Median adult age: **41**
Age range: **18-92**

354

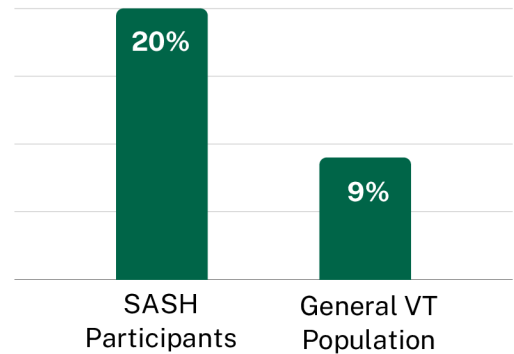
PARTICIPATING
(including 168 children)



Gender Demographics

- Female 62%
- Male 35%
- Transgender 2%
- Another gender 1%

% SASH Participants Identifying as BIPOC Compared to VT Population



Staff Interactions:

- 184 adults received an average of **37 staff interactions each**
- 104 fully enrolled adults received an average of **59 staff interactions each**



Top Five Referrals:

1. Mental Health
2. Financial Assistance
3. Housing Assistance
4. Dental Health
5. Employment & Food Assistance

184

REFERRALS

HOUSING STABILITY

64

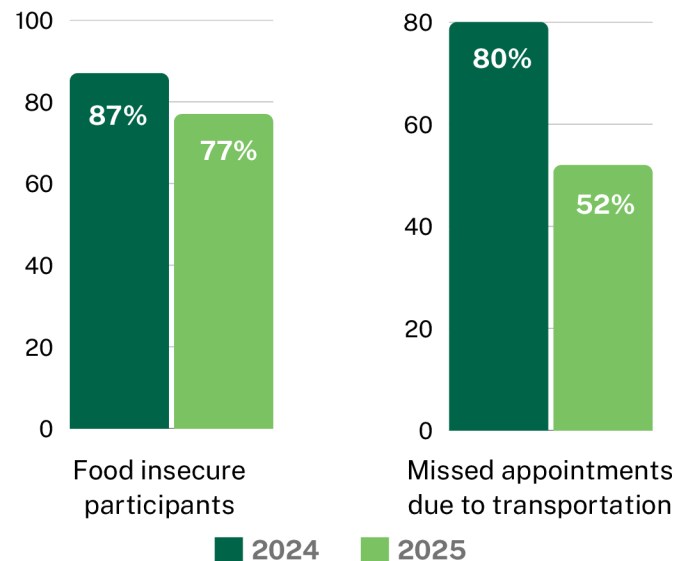
TOTAL EVICTIONS PREVENTED
August 2022 - June 2025

Top Four SFA Interventions:

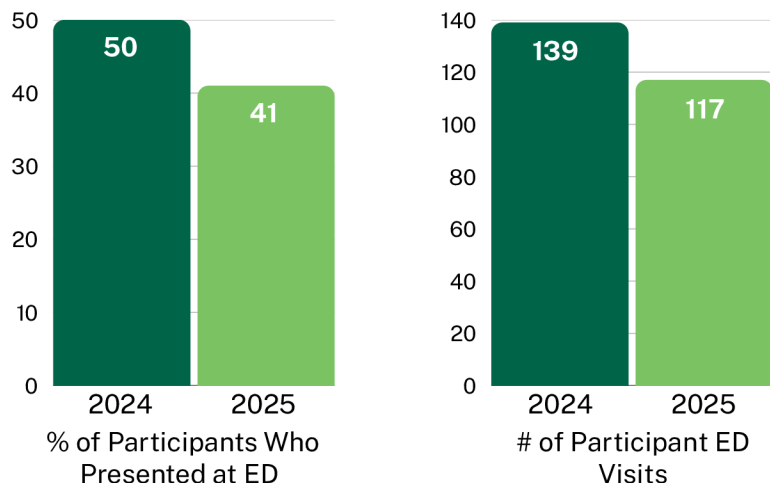
1. Rental Arrears Assistance
2. Mental Health Support
3. Conflict Resolution
4. Medical Support

Since the program began, 64 evictions have been prevented thanks to SASH for All intervention with support to help residents remain stably housed.

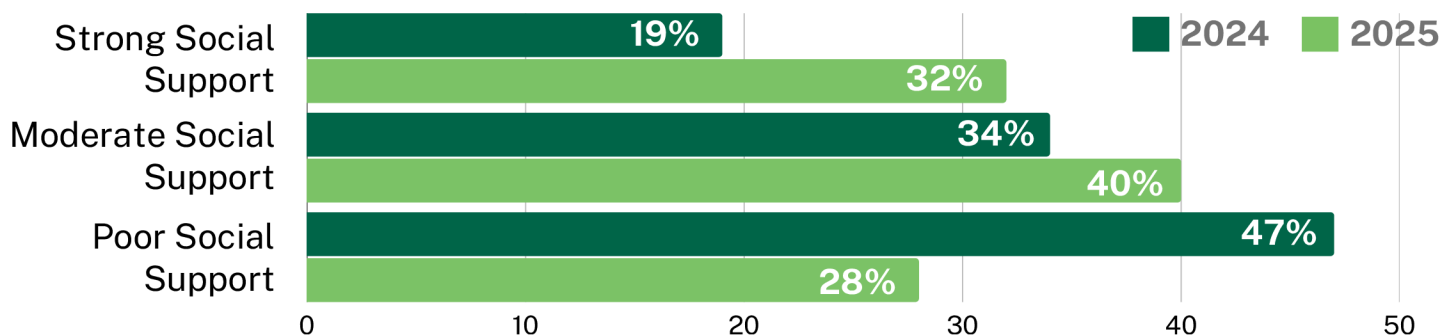
BREAKING DOWN BARRIERS TO FOOD & TRANSPORTATION



REDUCTION IN EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT UTILIZATION



Improving Social Support



Improving How Participants Rate Their Health

