



**United Way  
of Palm Beach County**

“Families First program staff stood beside me as I cleared the wreckage that I had caused. They showed up at my court appearances for moral support and advocated for me.”

- Families First client

## HOUSING & HOMELESSNESS

### GOAL

Individuals and families achieve housing stability.

INVESTMENT

**\$592,842**

in 9 programs

# We SEE a Place to Call Home.

United Way of Palm Beach County funds local programs that make an impact on:

- **Housing stabilization**
- **Transitional Housing for Domestic Violence**
- **Permanent Supportive Housing**



**2,936**  
Clients  
Served



**20**  
Volunteers

## MARCELLA'S story...



Marcella, a single mother of one, was referred to Bridges to Success (BTS) due to chronic homelessness and drug addiction. Unfortunately, she continued to struggle with the devastating cycle of addiction and damaged her relationship with her son.

BTS staff encouraged her to receive substance abuse treatment. Now, Marcella has been sober for over five years and started a career as an addiction therapist at a detox center. She has improved her relationship with her son, has a savings account, and is taking steps to become a homeowner.

### **UNITED WAY FUNDED PROGRAM:**

Bridges to Success  
Families First of Palm Beach County

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