

Annual Impact Report

Texoma Family Shelter, Inc. January 1 - December 31, 2021

2021 Statistics



children, families, and individuals provided with emergency shelter



non residents provided with food, store vouchers, and resources



food boxes distributed



transportation services provided for job interviews, medical appointments, social service meetings, etc.











2021 Recap

By the grace of God, the help of Denison Mayor Janet Gott, and insurance payments for storm damage, we completed much needed renovations on about 90% of the shelter's interior. Resident dorms were renovated by generous community members and businesses as part of Mayor Gott's *Adopt a Room* program. We upgraded our electrical system to current code standards, purchased a "new to us" van to transport our residents, and new windows and glass are on order to replace the circa 1950 ones we have now. In conjunction with the City of Denison and using CDBG-CV funding, we are adding a new pantry and laundry facility onto the back of the shelter and constructing a ramp that will make us handicapped accessible.

Looking Ahead to 2022

Plans for 2022 include working with Grayson College, Center for Workforce Learning to obtain grant-funded GED courses and workforce training for residents who qualify. We are also planning to expand our on-site class offerings, bring in special speakers and develop a schedule of community outings for residents to provide them with varied experiences of such things as art, music, museums, church programs, etc. Once it is safe to do so, we look forward to returning to full capacity in our resident rooms, as there are always more people in need of shelter than we can accommodate.

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