



ALASKA

FY08 AT A GLANCE

Over the past 20 years, Covenant House Alaska has grown from an emergency shelter for kids in crisis to a multitude of services that assist and help our youth to self-sufficiency.

On the streets, homeless youth have few choices-- hopelessness, jail, or Covenant House. When everyone and everything else in their young lives fails them, we are there to save them from the streets, with unconditional love and a door that's open 24/7. Covenant House provides the food, shelter, and care they desperately need right now, as well as the support and life skills they need to put their lives on the right track down the road.

Crisis Center: 609 F Street

- A residential facility providing short-term shelter, food, clothing, case management, family mediation, health care services, and employment and educational assistance. Serves youth ages 13-20
Open 24 hours a day, seven days a week

Community Services Center: 750 W. 5th Ave.

- A resource center that provides case management, employment assistance, educational tutoring, on-site health care, testing and referrals, counseling and substance abuse referrals, life skills training, relationship groups, transportation assistance, and phone and mail services. Serves youth 13-20

Transitional Living Programs:

- A 24 bed, long term residential care program designed to help youth transition to independent living and self-sufficiency. Youth can participate in either program for 18 months with up to 12 months of additional aftercare.

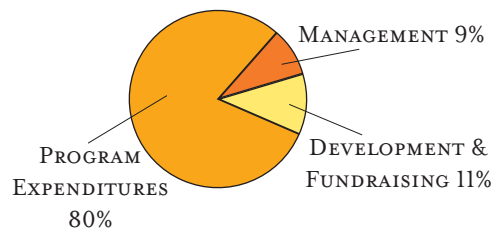
Rights of Passage: 750 W. 5th Ave.

A 14 bed residential program for homeless youth ages 18-20.

Passage House:

A 10 bed residential program providing services to pregnant and parenting women ages 17-20, and their children.

FY 09 BUDGET: \$3,797,778



Number of youth served 3,066

CRISIS CENTER

YOUTH SERVED	1,332
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	12 DAYS
YOUTH SERVED UNDER 18	32%
YOUTH SERVED 18 AND OVER	68%
NUMBER OF MEALS SERVED	20,011

RIGHTS OF PASSAGE

YOUTH SERVED	40
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	188 DAYS
RATE OF EMPLOYMENT	93%

PASSAGE HOUSE

NUMBER OF MOMS/MOMS-TO-BE	13
NUMBER OF BABIES	10
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	169 DAYS
RATE OF EMPLOYMENT	80%

COMMUNITY SERVICES CENTER

1,671 YOUTH RECEIVED A TOTAL OF 21,535 SERVICES.
AVERAGE 36 YOUTH PER DAY

ETHNICITY PERCENTAGES (FOR ALL PROGRAMS)

AK NATIVE/AMERICAN INDIAN	39%
CAUCASIAN	29%
AFRICAN-AMERICAN	11%
HISPANIC	7%
ASIAN	2%
OTHER	12%

EMPLOYMENT/EDUCATION ASSISTANCE – We help youth find jobs, maintain employment, and attain their educational and professional goals.

HOUSING SERVICES – We help the youth find affordable housing, and assist them with the transition into independent living.

MENTORS / VOLUNTEER SERVICES – We try to match each transitional living program resident with an adult mentor and we utilize volunteers throughout all our programs.

HEALTH CARE SERVICES – All youth have access to our health care services. Medical consultation and community referrals are provided to address the physical needs of our youth.

YOUTH ENRICHMENT – We promote the positive development of youth by engaging them in civic involvement, youth leadership, community volunteer and internship opportunities.

ADVOCACY – We are committed to raising the awareness of legislators and the public at large and seek to improve the lives of families and young people.

PASTORAL SERVICES – Pastoral Ministry aims to help youth find answers to faith questions through education, listening, discussion of values, guidance and patience.