



2018 Impact Report

Proudly Serving the Eight Towns of
the Lower Cape Since 1991



Two of our many Adopt-a-Family volunteers!

Mission Statement

Our mission is to provide
case management
solutions to support self-
sufficiency and stability in
our community of Lower
Cape Cod.

Our Impact

For thousands of residents on the Lower Cape, living here can be difficult. At HPC, we are confronting the housing crisis, and building a community where everyone can be given the support and opportunities to thrive.

Every day, HPC is on the frontline of assisting and empowering low to moderate income individuals and families. We help them to attain financial self-sufficiency, stay in their homes, or find stable, affordable housing.

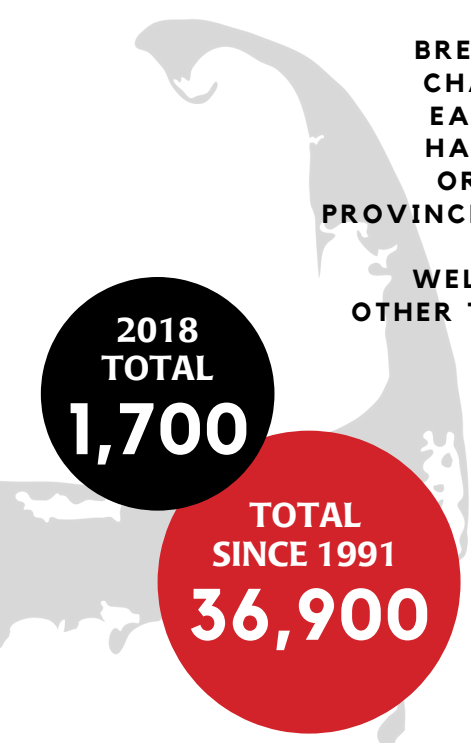
Our early intervention community outreach connects us with clients before they reach crisis situations, our ***Homeless Youth Outreach*** initiative assists youth and young adults struggling to find or maintain housing, and our new ***Let's Talk About Tomorrow*** community workshops bring awareness to issues around senior housing on the Lower Cape.

Through these programs, HPC continues to provide life-changing services to help our neighbors live stable, active, and productive lives in our community.



Clients Served

Serving the residents of the eight towns of the Lower & Outer Cape.



BREWSTER	272
CHATHAM	202
EASTHAM	188
HARWICH	342
ORLEANS	176
PROVINCETOWN	181
TRURO	60
WELLFLEET	98
OTHER TOWNS	181

2018
TOTAL
1,700

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SINCE 1991
36,900

In 2018, **730** children, **439** families and **970** adults, including **324** seniors, were served through our diverse case management programs.

**“ YOU ARE THE LIFE RAFT
THAT GIVES US ALL HOPE!**

— KATHERINE, LANDLORD OF HPC CLIENT

2018 Highlights



EXPANDED CASE MANAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

To meet the growing needs of our clients, a fourth case manager, fluent in Spanish, was hired. We expanded weekly community outreach in Harwich, Eastham and Provincetown.



CREATION OF NEW STRATEGIC ALLIANCE

With a shared vision to strengthen our community, HPC, Cape Cod Children's Place, and Community Development Partnership formed an alliance to improve the efficiency and accessibility of services to people in need on the Lower Cape.



LOYAL COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Our supporters, volunteers and community partners provided financial support and countless volunteer hours to ensure the continuation and expansion of our vital services. This support allowed the *Adopt-a-Family* and *Backpack-to-School* programs to serve 517 children from 224 families.



INVESTMENT IN TECHNOLOGY

Our new website provides accessible information to our clients and supporters. New technology systems help HPC better understand client needs and communicate with the Cape Cod community more effectively.



Kathleen's Story

At the age of 73, Kathleen realized that with the passing of her husband, she was in jeopardy of losing her home of 40 years. She could no longer afford the mortgage payments and unless she took immediate action to sell, she would lose it to foreclosure.

With prompting from her son, Kathleen agreed to meet with HPC's case manager Maureen Linehan. When Maureen told her the truth that she would now need to find an affordable housing option, Kathleen did not respond for a month. In her words, she needed time to "align her heart and her head" to accept the necessity of change, however unwelcome.

When Kathleen did return to HPC, she was all in. Together she and Maureen applied to senior housing across Cape Cod. Due to her late husband's veteran status and her seniority, she was placed on priority lists, shortening her wait-time considerably. Today, Kathleen is happily living at Tonset Woods in Orleans knowing that she is permanently and safely housed in a community she knows and loves.

Kathleen is so thankful for the sensitive and thoughtful approach our case managers use when working with clients. "If there's somebody else out there in my position, I want them to know that HPC can help."



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