

hen my Mom and I got into the Shelter, I didn't want to go to school. I was scared; I was angry and I had a hard time paying

attention to the teachers. I was sad and mad all at the same time because we didn't have a safe home of our own to live in. But the people at Hope Alliance helped me and my Mom. We worked really hard in counseling. Because of that hard work, I like going to school now and I finally feel safe staying at home too.



Family and Sexual violence are two topics that are not comfortable to talk about, but the problems are real and pervasive throughout our community. One of the best ways to solve problems is to shine light on them; bring the problems out into the open so they can be addressed.

Use your voice to inform your friends and family about the number of family and sexual violence victims in Williamson County. Encourage others to learn more about the issues and how Hope Alliance deals with them!

Schedule Hope Alliance to speak to your group, workplace, church, etc. so we can prevent these horrific crimes from happening in the first place!

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Williamson County Crisis Center dba Hope Alliance is the county's <u>ONLY</u> resource center and emergency shelter for those affected by Family and Sexual Violence.

HOPE ALLIANCE HELPED ME CHANGE MY LIFE!

I was a 32 year old Mom of a 3 year-old little girl when I entered the shelter at Hope Alliance, which provides nights of safety for the person I was at the time. Three nights earlier, before entering the shelter my husband had chased me down the street with a butcher knife. It is hard to admit, but this was not the first time he had threatened to kill me, nor was it the first time he left me bloody and beaten.

Going to Hope Alliance wasn't the scariest thing I've ever done, but it took more courage than I thought I



had because it meant leaving everything behind and starting my life over. Yet, once there, I found that I was surrounded by people whose only purpose was to help me.

They never forced me to make decisions based on what others perceived to be the "right decision." They persistently encouraged me to set and reach goals that they helped me set to recover from my experiences. I was able to live in the safety of the shelter while my Hope Alliance legal advocate helped me obtain an Emergency Protective Order. Hope Alliance's trauma-informed care allowed my daughter and me to safely return to my own home.

I continued to go to counseling offered at Hope Alliance after moving back into my home. Now, because I have met many of my goals, I can actually have hopes and dreams for the future which had been previously beaten out of me. One of those hopes and dreams is that the cycle of violence I experienced ended with me and that my daughter will be able to live a life of love without violence. The help I received at Hope Alliance changed my life and I believe my dream for my daughter will become a reality.



SUPPORT OUR MISSION AND HELP OUR CLIENTS BY DONATING!

A gift of \$50 pays for a potentially life -saving Hotline Call.

A gift of \$125 pays for one Night of Safety at our shelter.

A gift of \$250 pays for a Legal Advocacy session or a school-based, classroom Prevention Education session.

A gift of \$750 pays for a client / family Counseling Session.

A gift of \$2,500 pays for 20 nights and days of safety at our shelter for a Mom and her children.

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Legal Advocacy
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Prevention Education
Community Education
Professional Training



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