



Bay Area Community Services

SHARE Center



Agenda & Welcome



1. Introduction to BACS
2. General Operations
3. Service Connections
4. Community Support
5. Questions

Who We Are



In 1953, 12 Oakland churches came together to wrap around their community. Over the last 68 years, BACS has provided supportive services to more than 100,000 people.

Our Mission

uplift under-served individuals & their families by doing whatever it takes.



Our Vision

a world where all people are healthy, safe, and engaged in community wellness, with access to quality housing.

Deeply Rooted in Social Justice

In 1953, BACS became one of the very first community-based nonprofits in the Bay Area.

Our founders were ahead of their time, with a mission to keep people out of institutions and connected to their communities.

As the agency grew in size and expertise, we focused on the connections between mental health and socioeconomic disparities.

Today, BACS is on the forefront of services that reach people in need of support and give them a community to count on.

We do 'whatever it takes' to address the pressing issues of our time.



Census (as of 1/21): 100 individuals

Men: 32

Women: 21

Families: 47

Pet Census: 16 animals total

Dogs: 14

Cats: 1

Snakes: 1

Staff Census: 20 staff

Residential Counselor: 11

Housing Locator: 1

Property Supervisor: 1

Care Coordinator: 5

Employment Coordinator: 1

Program Manager: 1

Referrals/Wait List: 200 (approx.)

Permanent Housing Placements: 22 individuals

Men: 6

Women: 5

Families: 3 (couple, family of 3, family of 6)

Employment Placements: 23

Employment Rate: 64%

Participating Employers include (but not limited to)

Organic Girl

Macy's

Select Staffing

Olive Garden

Taco Bell

Motel 6

PROJECTED Housing Placements in January/February: 23 individuals

Families: 4

Men: 2

Women: 4

After-School Tutoring with Mr. Romero

Partnership with the MCOE and Dr. Donna Smith

Tutoring for kids/teens/young adults, activities for kids, English tutoring for adults

Animal Services

Partnership with BirchBark Foundation, SPCA Monterey County and Peace of Mind Dog Rescue

welcome bags/kits, spay/neuter appointments, vaccinations, grooming, behavior training, kennel training, financial assistance, transportation assistance

UPCOMING Service Connections

Natividad Medical Center – clinic operations

Young People in Recovery – weekly/monthly Zoom meetings

Blue Strike Environmental – Monterey County organic food waste recycling

MVAO – Veteran support

Community Support



Victory Mission

BirchBark Foundation with Peace of Mind Dog Rescue and SPCA Monterey County

Monterey County Office of Education

American Beverage Association

Food Bank

They Are One

Comcast, General Motors

Cheesecake Dreamations

First Presbyterian Church

Hawaiian Women's Group

Northminster Church

Sturdy Oil

Chick Fil A, Safeway, Costco

Monterey County Community Members/Private Citizens

Encounter Church

Borchard Farms, Bay Boi Fitness



SHARE Center Christmas 2021