2025-2026

IMPACT REPORT

REBUILDING HOPE

SEXUAL ASSAULT CENTER

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Programs

Advocacy

- Confidential support through a 24/7 Helpline with dispatch to regional hospitals, plus support with reporting to law enforcement, legal proceedings, and case management. Walk-in support available Monday-Friday in our Tacoma office.

Therapy

- Specialized trauma therapy available in English and Spanish, with interpretation for global languages.
- Sliding fee scale greatly reduces appointment cost for those without applicable insurance coverage or with burdensome copays. Free treatment available for youth in need.

Education

- Age-appropriate presentations given to K-College students about topics including consent, boundaries, harassment, and more.
- Training and technical assistance provided to Community Sexual Assault Providers statewide.

Sex Trafficking and Exploitation Program (STEP)

- Wrap-around case management for youth and adults including transportation, navigating resources, access to basic needs, and harm reduction.
- Short-term rental assistance enabling victim-survivors of human trafficking across Washington State to find and/or maintain safe, stable, and permanent housing.

"**I could not have done it without this agency.** My advocate has been there for me in ways I never thought possible. She was with me. I felt safe, I felt heard, and I knew that she had my back. My case is a pretty complex one, but no matter what she was there."

– Rebuilding Hope Client

Mission

PROVIDE SUPPORT.

PROMOTE HEALING.

PARTNER TO END SEXUAL VIOLENCE.

Vision

We aspire to build communities that do not tolerate oppressive social norms, behaviors, or systems that promote sexual violence or exploitation. Communities where those who have been harmed are believed and supported in pursuit of their individual paths of healing. Communities where sexual violence does not exist, and their people are educated and empowered to center full choice, consent, and safety.

Our Impact

4,185 participants reached with education activities.

2,011 victim-survivors served with 5,970 sessions of support.

861 caring adults received education on how to protect youth.

362 real-time responses to local emergency departments.

2,296 hours of trauma therapy treatment delivered to 140 clients.

$134,434 in rental assistance provided to 84 victim-survivors of sex trafficking statewide.

138 professionals certified to deliver support services to victim-survivors.

$5 median fee per session for trauma therapy.

1,394 sex trafficking and exploitation support sessions delivered to 77 victim-survivors.

21 participants in Sexual Assault Support Group.

Demographics

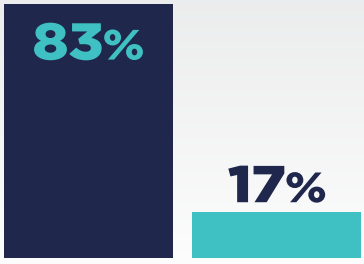
Clients by Region

- **70%** Pierce County
- **18%** Kitsap County
- **12%** Statewide

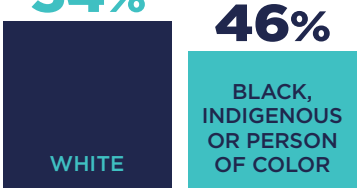
Clients by Gender

- **83%** Female
- **15%** Male
- **2%** Nonbinary

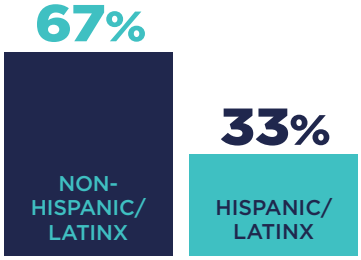
Clients by Age



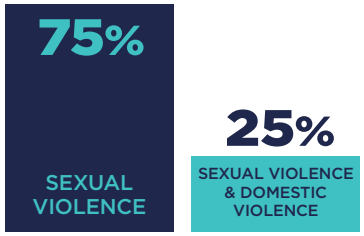
Clients by Race



Clients by Ethnicity



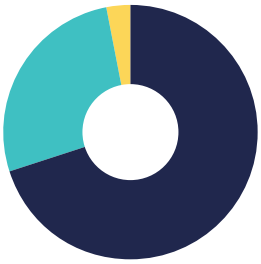
Clients by Experience



All demographic figures reported are where known.
Rebuilding Hope clients are never required to share information when they reach out for support.

"When I'm in classrooms discussing healthy relationships, boundaries, and consent, youth show such remarkable insight and resilience. I am so proud of the awareness and skills we build together, especially as they face the vulnerabilities of the online world. **Working with these kids makes me hopeful for a safer, brighter world.**"

– Rebuilding Hope Prevention Advocate



Financial Summary

Income

Government Grants	70%
Individual, Corporate, & Foundation Contributions	27%
Therapy & Education Programs	3%

Expenses

Advocacy	37%
Therapy	21%
Education	19%
Administration & Fundraising	18%

Financial data reflects general operating activities.

"I connected with a client to provide support in reporting to law enforcement. Their case was difficult, involving multiple jurisdictions as well as loved ones who were still at risk of being abused. There were many conversations to help them understand the system and how to navigate it while protecting their own wellbeing. Over time, the client's confidence grew so much that they would come to our office just to have a safe space to work on their case — without an Advocate present. **It's such a privilege to watch clients rebuild their confidence as they walk the difficult paths towards healing.**"

– Rebuilding Hope Advocate

Thank You!

205 families and individuals gave the gift of hope with a financial contribution this year, including 32 Teal Team members who made monthly donations. Thank you!

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Expanding Access to Hope with Walk-in Services

For the first time since 2019, Rebuilding Hope opened its doors to walk-ins this year! With expanded capacity thanks to our new headquarters in Tacoma's Hilltop District, our team served victim-survivors with on-the-spot support Monday–Friday. Whether they were looking for help with a protection order, safety planning, or just someone to talk to, community members could walk through our doors and have access to an Advocate, no appointment needed.

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Thank you to every staff member, past and present, for their role in supporting victim-survivors and ending sexual violence.

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