SUPPORTING PEOPLE IN NEED

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MISSION STATEMENT OF SPIN

The mission of this agency is to provide permanent supportive housing and services to individuals and families in need, especially those with disabilities, particularly mental illness

MISSION STATEMENT OF TRANSITIONAL HOUSING

To empower men in need, especially those coming from incarceration to achieve healthy, fulfilling lives for themselves by providing a safe and healthy living

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WE HAVE MOVED!!!!

SPIN has moved to its new location at 1307 N Swan Street, Silver City NM 88061

UPCOMING EVENTS

OPEN HOUSE

Sunday May 5, 2019 from 1pm-4pm

Come and see our new location for our Sober Living Supportive Transitional Housing Unit

GIVE GRANDLY 2019

Saturday May 11, 2019

Join us for 24 hours of giving to benefit our local nonprofits and make a difference.

Give Grandly brings the region together as one community, raising money and awareness for our local nonprofits during the 24-hour online giving challenge. We inspire people to give generously to nonprofits making our region stronger, creating a thriving community for all.



"Solution-minded homelessness ends with a simple straight-forward plan... Housing"

THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS AND SUPPORTERS

BlueLine Development

United Way of Southwest NM

Blue Cross / Blue Shield of NM

Single Socks

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KISS - Kids in Need of Support Services

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SPIN news update:

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> Recipient Name Street Address City, ST ZIP Code

Welcome interested friends and community members!

As many of you know, SPIN: supporting people in need, is a barely two-year old non-profit agency in Silver City, New Mexico, working towards our goal of housing those most in need and alleviating suffering for our most vulnerable community members.

We are in the process of our biggest project, an affordable housing unit that will provide Permanent Supportive Housing for those who are unable to access housing and remain in houses without ongoing support. This is in development stages still; we are working towards acquiring a parcel of land in order to move to the next phase. We anticipate that project to still be a few years away before completion.

Our current smaller project is in operation: Transitional Housing. For one year now we have been housing single men coming from difficult circumstances including incarceration, who would without this supportive care, be homeless. Our clients, up to four at a time, are housed together, sharing the full accommodations we all enjoy from our housing: bedrooms, shared living room, bathroom, kitchen, laundry. Our office in onsite, providing guidance, classes, social worker support to help each client transition towards independent living again, with dignity and hope. This is a sober living environment, and clients are held to a standard of acceptable behavior. Each client is also accepted to the program by recommendation from those familiar with the client. The goal is that each client be ready to move out of the program in about 6 months. We have had some definite successes.

Good news.... we will be moving our Transitional Housing and SPIN office to a new location very soon. This will be a larger facility, at a very good location.

In addition to Transitional Housing management, our director Christie Wolford and staff, provide services to other clients in need: (Christie, please fill in here)

Current needs:

- 1. volunteers with various talents, such as Tech support, communications, organizing volunteers, participating in upcoming activities.
- 2. donating useful items for our clients: often hygiene items, those items that cannot be purchased with food stamps, winter and summer clothing for both men and women.
- 3. Food! While we are fortunate to have received a grant from Single Socks helping us provide adequate food, other clients come by and are thrilled to have some food ready, such as sandwiches, burritos, homemade goodies....
- 4. your time and presence: just dropping in, getting to know some of our clients, listening to their stories is appreciated. Many are coming from harsh experiences and are grateful for every kindness.

We will be having an open house for the community to see our new location, learn more about supportive housing, on May 5, Sunday, from 1:00-3:00 PM. Please come by and see us and invite friends.

Sincerely,

Barbara Mora MD board member SPIN spinhousingnm@gmail.com