

Our Mission and Goals

Unique People Services (UPS), a minority not for profit 501(c) 3 agency, was formed in 1991 by a group of concerned and experienced social service specialists with the intent to serve those individuals that "fall through the cracks of our society".

Our specific goals are:

1. To provide housing and comprehensive support services designed to meet the physical, social and emotional needs of each individual.
2. To help those whose needs have been neglected or whose circumstances have prevented use of existing services.
3. To promote greater public understanding of the unmet needs of individuals with disabilities.

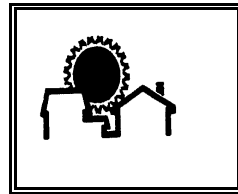
UPS seeks to accomplish these goals by addressing the total needs of our clients, with emphasis on individuality of services, the creation of homelink and caring environments and by maximizing each individual's strengths and assets.

UPS has a commitment to revitalize the communities in which our programs are located through renovation of housing stock and the provision of job opportunities.

UPS also provides residential and support services for:
Mentally Disabled Individuals Persons

Located in:

Manhattan
Bronx
Queens

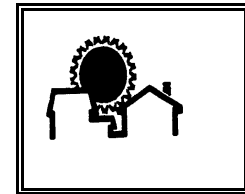


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Supported Housing II, III & IV Programs

The aim of the Supported Housing Program is to provide a goal directed array of services designed to develop, maintain, increase and maximize the independent functioning and self sufficiency of the residents in their home and in the community.

The primary goal of the Supported Housing II Program is to assist our residents to live in the community with as little stress as possible while they increase their self - esteem and learn new ways.

The primary goal of the Supported Housing III is the same as SH II however the SHIII is made up of 15 Families and 15 Singles.

Supported Housing Program provides permanent housing to individuals who are diagnosed with Serious Persistent Mental Illness.

All resident's referrals comes from TLC'S, CR/SRO, Apartment treatment Program, Hospitals and Long Term MICA Residential Programs through the Human Resource Administration (OMH).

The Primary goal of the SH IV is to provide Needed Supports as they become oriented to their new environment Increase their independence and learn new skills that will lead to a more independent lifestyle

Services Include:

Case Management

Symptom Management

Medication Management

Substance Abuse Services where necessary

Daily Living Skills

Money Management amongst others

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