

Washington Families Fund Public-Private Partnership

“*Building Changes has become a critical partner in the important goal of ending family homelessness in Washington state. Their passion for the work, their willingness to tackle challenging and complex social issues, and their skill at identifying and communicating effective interventions and responses have created a high level of trust from both the public and private sector funding partners who are supporting their efforts.*”

David Wertheimer
Senior Program Officer, Pacific Northwest Programs
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

The Washington Families Fund is a public-private partnership that expands the availability of supportive housing for families in need by providing stable, long-term funding to agencies with the best models for ending family homelessness and strengthening communities throughout Washington state.

The Fund, totaling \$26 million to date, has awarded nearly \$16 million to 43 nonprofit programs in 15 counties across Washington state. It supports 618 service-enriched housing units, which serve 1,009 families, consisting of 1,860 children and 1,181 adults.

We thank our public and philanthropic partners, who provide critical leadership and generous support for the Washington Families Fund:

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