



We know the way home.

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To whom it may concern,

Housing Works administers approximately 80 Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH) vouchers in Central Oregon. Veterans on the VASH program have the option to join the Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) program at Housing Works. Those who chose to join receive support services as they work toward their goals and self-sufficiency. The FSS program provides one-on-one coaching and refers clients directly to quality community resources as needed.

THE SHIELD is considered a valued partner and referral resource to the Family Self-Sufficiency program. Our experience has shown that being able to refer a Veteran directly to a Veteran based mental health provider has made it easier for them to seek help. We have also received positive feedback from the clients we have referred.

THE SHEILD has been available and responsive to our referrals and has provided the appropriate mental health services. I look forward to continuing to partner with them as they develop and grow this important service in Central Oregon.

Take care,  
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