

Success Story

I have a French speaking mom on my caseload since last November who just recently moved to the US and moved into the House of Hope after removing her and her daughter out of an abusive household. Since living there, she said she wanted to go back to school and be self-sufficient for her and her daughter. Just recently, after many months in court, she got approved for child support, a work visa and citizenship. Her English had significantly improved to where she does not need an interpreter, and just got a job at Tyson's and is finishing up school at Hawkeye. This mom is crushing all her family goals and doing great!

A family I work with just received a Mattress through the Slumberland program and disability bed frame through the child at home program! We have been working very hard on this for over a month now, so the family is very happy!

I have a family that had set their family long term goal to move to Des Moines about two years ago. We decided to break this down into more manageable goals and over the last two years this family has worked to get themselves a reliable vehicle, insurance, identified available supports they could utilize in Des Moines to assist them with finding a safe place to live and finally were able to accomplish their dream and while this meant they were leaving our program, I also knew they had grown and was proud that they were able to accomplish that big dream of theirs to provide a better life for their 3 children.