

PROGRAM DELIVERY FLOW OF COMMUNITY HOUSE DAMARIS

NOTE: The SA Franchise Model is provided to individuals ready and willing to implement it in their community. The SA Foundation trains & mentors these leaders and these programs are set up to be autonomous.

INITIAL DESIRE

Referrals come from street-level organizations, the police, social workers, probation officers, jails, and from word on the street.



Young women reach out and join the SA program.

FRONT-LINE HOUSING

New participants are placed in one of the front-line homes (as the organization grows one house can be for participants who are pregnant and/or have children, one house can be for participants with severe drug & alcohol addictions and a third house if their addictions aren't as severe).

A unique aspect of SA front-line housing is that it is run by voluntary live-in servants, rather than by paid staff.



TREATMENT CENTRE

When participants are struggling with addiction(s), they are referred to outside treatment centres for their initial recovery phase. Unique to the SA program is that while they are attending treatment, their bedroom is held for them so that when they complete the treatment phase, they can rejoin the SA program and continue their recovery process.

ASK LEARNING CENTRE

Once secure in their front-line house, participants join the ASK Learning Centre right away for 1/2 days where they will be equipped with life skills, deal with their recovery issues while being involved the other 1/2 of their day in the job shadowing program.

This program phase lasts anywhere from six months to one year, depending on the level of development.

A unique component of the program is that every 5th week graduation ceremonies are held to celebrate the success of participants, host graduations and celebrate birthdays!

While participants are in this phase of their programming, they remain in the front-line housing.



INDEPENDENCE

Although it may take up to seven years to reach complete independence, the wait is worth it! Participants enter mainstream society with their heads held high, grounded in recovery and ready to meet life on life's terms!

It is not uncommon at this level for participants to desire to 'give back' and that can take the form of volunteering or working within the SA program. The vision is that one day the SA program will be run by graduates that have moved from the Followcare level and become Honourary Servants.



TRANSITIONAL HOUSING & JOB TRAINING

After graduating from the ASK Learning Centre & Job Shadowing programs, participants enter Transitional Housing, which gives them an increased level of independence while still providing some supervision and ongoing guidance.

They are then ready for job training full time within the organization's related business venture, which can last for up to 2 years. During this time participants are guided to find entry-level jobs within the community at large or inspired to return to school to further their education and skills in the career of their choosing.



LONG-TERM AFFORDABLE HOUSING

After demonstrating that they have the skills to live independently while in transitional housing, participants are encouraged to apply for a scholarship if they return to school, and for financial support to subsidize their rent.

Participants remain in the program on the 'Followcare' phase and are kept in touch with, invited to special celebrations, etc.

This phase can last between one and five years.



5 SERVICES THAT MAKE THE SA FRANCHISE MODEL UNIQUE

1. It is designed to meet the *specific recovery needs* of sexually exploited/trafficked youth and women.
2. It is designed to offer *long-term* services to this population (upwards of 7 years).
3. It provides *space for children* to come into the program with their mothers.
4. It offers an 'Advanced' program for *trafficked, terminally ill and learning disabled youth and women*, with program delivery tailored to meet their recovery needs.
5. It provides a home-like environment where live-in volunteers *share their lives* with participants of the program.

