



CENTER FOR FAMILY SERVICES PRESENTS:

A SUCCESS STORY STARRING ... *Jenny*



In April 2023, Jenny became homeless with her two daughters. She had no family support and no friends to rely on, and had left her abusive relationship to provide a better environment for her daughters. Thankfully, the Mother-Child Residential (MCR) Program at Center for Family Services was a place where help was available for them. When Jenny arrived at MCR, she was encouraged to stay positive and was immediately provided resources and referrals to work on her homelessness. Jenny received information about maintaining healthy relationships, safety planning, and other domestic services. She was provided case management, advocacy, and a stable living situation, which gave her the support, confidence and guidance she needed to overcome her circumstances. During her stay at MCR, Jenny attended workshops that helped her with parenting, budgeting, preparing for job interviews, and navigating the housing market. Jenny worked on her housing stability plan and her goals in her service plan, and achieved multiple objectives in the program. She has a full-time job, both of her daughters are in school and receiving care for their behavioral disorder, and Jenny secured permanent housing through a housing voucher. Early in the new year, Jenny and her daughters moved into their new home thanks to the support she received at MCR.

