



## House of Hope, Inc.

A Community Resource for Alcohol/Drug Treatment & Education for men & women

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CHARITABLE-HALFWAY HOUSE

501 (c)(3) ORGANIZATION

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**MISSION:** To provide quality rehabilitation, education and support in a safe, drug-free environment, for adult men and women who desire, and are striving, to improve their lives from the problems that the abuse of alcohol and other drugs caused them.

**BRIEF OVERVIEW:** Since 1971 House of Hope has been assisting adult men in their recovery from alcoholism and drug dependency. It has grown from one house with 10 residents to a new building (2001) with room for 29 residents. In 2004 an outpatient program began within the walls. It is likely the only halfway house in Minnesota to have an outpatient program and halfway house beds housed under one roof. In 2006 a house was leased to provide 7 beds for women in recovery. In early 2007 an adjoining house at 1401 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue was purchased and remodeled and is serving as a "sober house" for those needing a sober atmosphere in which to live after being discharged from a treatment program.

### **WHO BENEFITS AND HOW:**

- Residents: find sobriety, get jobs, and rebuild their lives and self-esteem.
- Families: get their loved ones back, rebuild relationships,
- Businesses: get sober workers who are striving to become successful,
- Teachers/Students: get speakers and positive role models to talk about the destruction that alcohol/drugs had on their lives.
- Community: gets recovering chemically dependent men and women who become productive citizens by staying out of trouble, getting jobs and paying taxes.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** House of Hope has served upwards of 3600 men in its history. Currently, over 200 men and women per year get much needed support in their recovery to stay straight, get jobs and become productive citizens.

### **GOALS:**

- To provide a safe, secure, environment, free of chemicals, where the men and women begin experiencing the benefits of a "new and sober" life.
- Assist men and women who have experienced problems with alcohol, or other drugs, learn how to live a productive life without the use of these substances.
- Assist these men and women in developing job skills and educational opportunities, and to find gainful employment leading to a stable, productive, crime-free life.
- Provide staff members "who have been there" to serve as role models while offering empathy, compassion, understanding, and commitment to the men and women.

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