

## IMPACT! Your investment in TAY is changing lives through



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the housing, employment training, and supportive services of <u>Daniel's Places.</u>

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## PERMANENT SUPPORTIVE HOUSING For TAY - because of you...

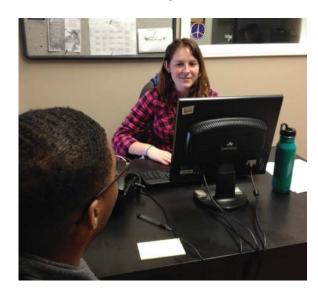
Daniel's Village is the first PSH community in LA County specifically for Transitional Age Youth (TAY), providing 7 young adults with the stability of quality housing and support services such as life skills training, education, employment training & placement, and services coordination to help them achieve their selfdetermined goals. A diagnosis is not a destiny!



As part of Daniel's Places, Step Up designates permanent supportive housing units for TAY in each Step Up community - Step Up on Second, Step Up on Fifth, Step Up on Vine, Michael's Village, Step Up on Bromont, The Tammy, and soon, Step Up on Colorado.

Additionally, Daniel's Places serves TAY through *TAY Project 40* and *Home Again*, both outreach and engagement programs for the most at-risk young adults on the streets of Hollywood focusing on providing permanent supportive housing in Step Up communities and at various scattered sites across the city. Watch for more Daniel's Places in 2015!

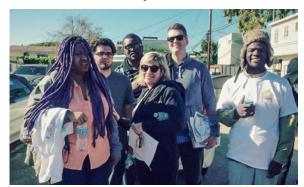
## VOCATIONAL TRAINING & PLACEMENT For TAY - because of you...



Meet Gaura, a former Daniel's Place member who received supportive employment training and placement through Step Up's Vocational Training Program. Gaura first started her training in the kitchen at Step Up on Second. She soon graduated to a Cashier/Customer Service position in the Fresh Start Café & Market. Next, Gaura trained and worked as a Receptionist at Step Up on Second. Last year, she completed the Westside Center for Independent Living Peer Training Course. Gaura is now a part-time Peer Advocate for young adults served through Daniel's Place Drop-In Center! Congratulations to you, Gaura! You are an inspiration!

## MEMBER-DRIVEN SUPPORTIVE SERVICES For TAY - because of you...

Daniel's Place staff and members participated in the 2015 Homeless Youth Count - an estimate of how many unaccompanied minor and Transition Age Youth are experiencing homelessness on any given night in Greater Los Angeles. Participation gave Daniel's Place members a chance to talk about their experiences with homelessness, make suggestions on places to look for homeless youth, and be a part of the solution to youth homelessness. Thank you, one and all!



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