

# Transition House

*Building Strong Foundations*

**November 22, 2022**

## **Transition House would like to acknowledge funding and support from 100+ Women Who Care Northumberland Grant.**

Transition House Coalition of Northumberland is pleased to announce that we have been selected as the recipient of the latest grant from the 100+ Women Who Care Northumberland, receiving \$7,171 to improve the front door of Transition House. The grant was presented to Transition House on November 22nd, 2022 at the 100+ Women Who Care Northumberland's November meeting.

As Northumberland County's only homeless shelter, Transition House provides safe, dignified and supportive temporary emergency housing to all individuals and families experiencing homelessness in Northumberland County. All services are provided within a Housing First Framework, Trauma-informed, Anti-oppressive practice, with a harm reduction lens.

Transition House will be using the generous grant from the 100+ Women Who Care Northumberland to improve the state of the front door of Transition House. Repairs to the front door will include adding in additional security features to the existing FOB System, ensuring the door is resized to prevent sticking, replace the damaged screen door, weather strip the door and put a fresh coat of paint on both the front door and screen door. All of these upgrades to the front door increase security, accessibility and appearance. These improvements create a big impact to everyone that uses the front door of Transition House. With these improvements, Transition House will have a door that creates a welcoming physical environment that matches the emotional welcoming environment that our staff provide each and every day.

"We are so fortunate to have received this grant from 100+ Women Who Care Northumberland," says Transition House Executive Director, Holly Ferguson. "The front door of Transition House is not simply just a door. It's a symbol of safety, security, dignity and respect." Transition House appreciates everything that the members of 100+ Women Who Care Northumberland has done for us and for the community as a whole.

If you know of anyone experiencing homelessness in Northumberland County, please contact our shelter services through Transition House by calling 905 376 9562, or by email at [info@thshelter.ca](mailto:info@thshelter.ca).

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