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AMP IMPACT REPORT 2023

Mission Statement

The Artist Mentorship Program (AMP) supports youth navigating the trauma of homelessness by creating community, relationships, and music and arts mentorships so that esteem is enhanced, confidence is fortified, and pathways out of homelessness are built.

Founded in 1994 in San Francisco's mission district, the Artist Mentorship Program (AMP) emerged in response to the urgent need for support among homeless youth in Portland, Oregon. Over the past three decades, AMP has evolved into a transformative force, providing a safe haven where young individuals experiencing homelessness can find healing through art and music. Our programs extend beyond the realms of education, encompassing mentorship, performances, and vital support services. With a commitment to fostering creativity and building life skills, AMP has impacted the lives of thousands, empowering them to overcome adversity and navigate the path to stability. Through a dedicated community of volunteers, artists, and mentors, AMP continues to demonstrate the profound impact of art and music on the journey to self-sufficiency.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS BUILD STRONGER RESOURCES FOR AMP YOUTH

AMP actively collaborates with various arts organizations to create diverse and enriching opportunities for AMP youth. Through strategic partnerships with local music schools, art institutions, and performance venues, we expand access to resources, mentorship, and platforms for creative expression. These collaborations not only enhance the quality of our music and art programs but also provide pathways for youth to connect with the broader arts community. By fostering these partnerships, AMP ensures that our youth have a spectrum of opportunities to explore their artistic talents, gain exposure to the arts, and build valuable connections in the creative world, contributing to their overall personal and professional growth.





SINCE AMP'S INCEPTION

**WE HAVE PROVIDED
MUSIC AND ART
EDUCATION, MEALS,
SOCIAL SERVICES
AND SUPPORTIVE,
MENTORING FOR
OVER NINE
THOUSAND
YOUTH
EXPERIENCING
HOMELESSNESS**

**AMP SERVED
10,000
MEALS
IN 2023 AND
DELIVERED 500
POUNDS OF
NUTRITIOUS
FOOD WEEKLY
THROUGH OUR
FOOD PANTRY
PROGRAM TO
AMP STUDENTS
AND FOOD
INSECURE
COMMUNITY
MEMBERS**

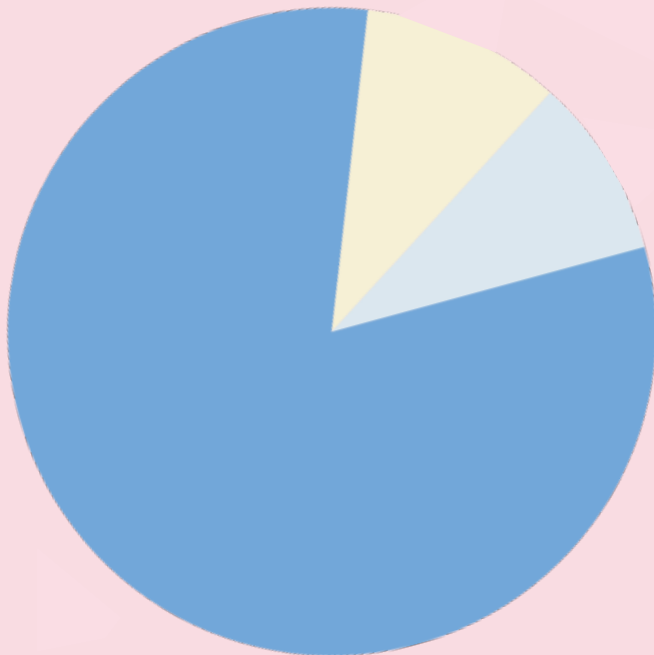
**AMP
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HOURS**

THIS YEAR AMP WILL HOST 960 RECORDING STUDIO SESSIONS GIVING YOUTH A PLATFORM FOR SELF EXPRESSION, CREATIVITY AND SKILL BUILDING



ADMINISTRATION-10%

FUNDRAISING-9%



EXPENSE ALLOCATION

YOUTH PROGRAMMING-81%



LIVE PERFORMANCES

The AMP Music Showcase is a vibrant celebration of creativity, resilience, and the transformative power of music. This quarterly event, hosted by AMP, provides a platform for youth involved in our programs to showcase their musical achievements. The showcase is a culmination of months of hard work, mentorship, and creative collaboration. The youth participants, who have faced the challenges of homelessness, come together to share their musical talents, stories, and accomplishments with the community. Through live performances, these young artists not only demonstrate their musical prowess but also reveal the incredible strength and determination that characterizes their journeys. The AMP quarterly Music Showcase is a testament to the healing potential of art and music, as well as the profound impact that a supportive community can have on the lives of Portland's homeless youth.





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PATHWAYS OUT OF HOMELESSNESS

AMP plays a crucial role in providing holistic support to youth experiencing homelessness by leveraging connections with various community organizations. Our dedicated staff and volunteers work tirelessly to bridge youth to essential services, including housing support, mental health resources, drug and alcohol treatment, job training, and post-secondary education opportunities. Through established partnerships, we create pathways for these young individuals to access the resources needed for stability and personal growth. This collaborative network ensures that the youth we serve receive comprehensive assistance beyond music and art education, addressing the multifaceted challenges they face in their journey toward stability and self-sufficiency. By linking our participants with a spectrum of community services, AMP contributes to building a stronger safety net for Portland's homeless youth.