



Family Homelessness and Human Trafficking

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Transforming the lives of **families**
with children in Hawai'i facing
homelessness by providing
housing, resources, and support



A **community-based**
organization founded in 2005

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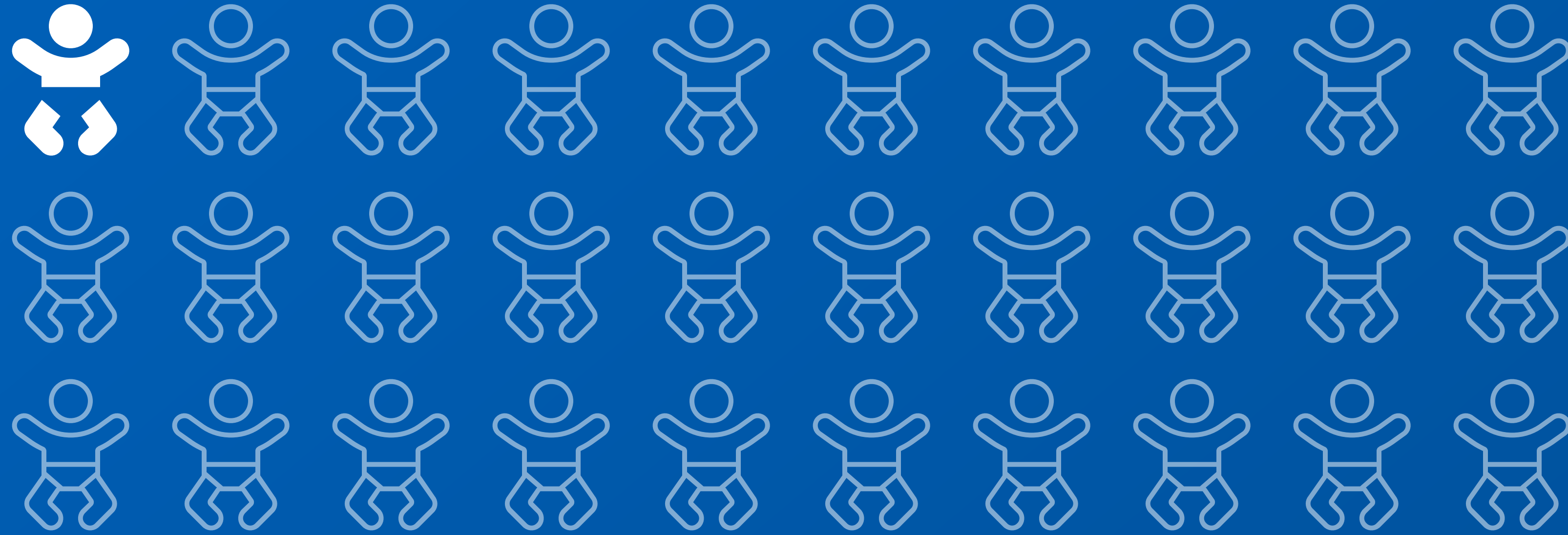


What is the age at which
someone in the US is most likely
to experience homelessness?

Under age 1

Followed by ages 1-5





1 in 30 young children

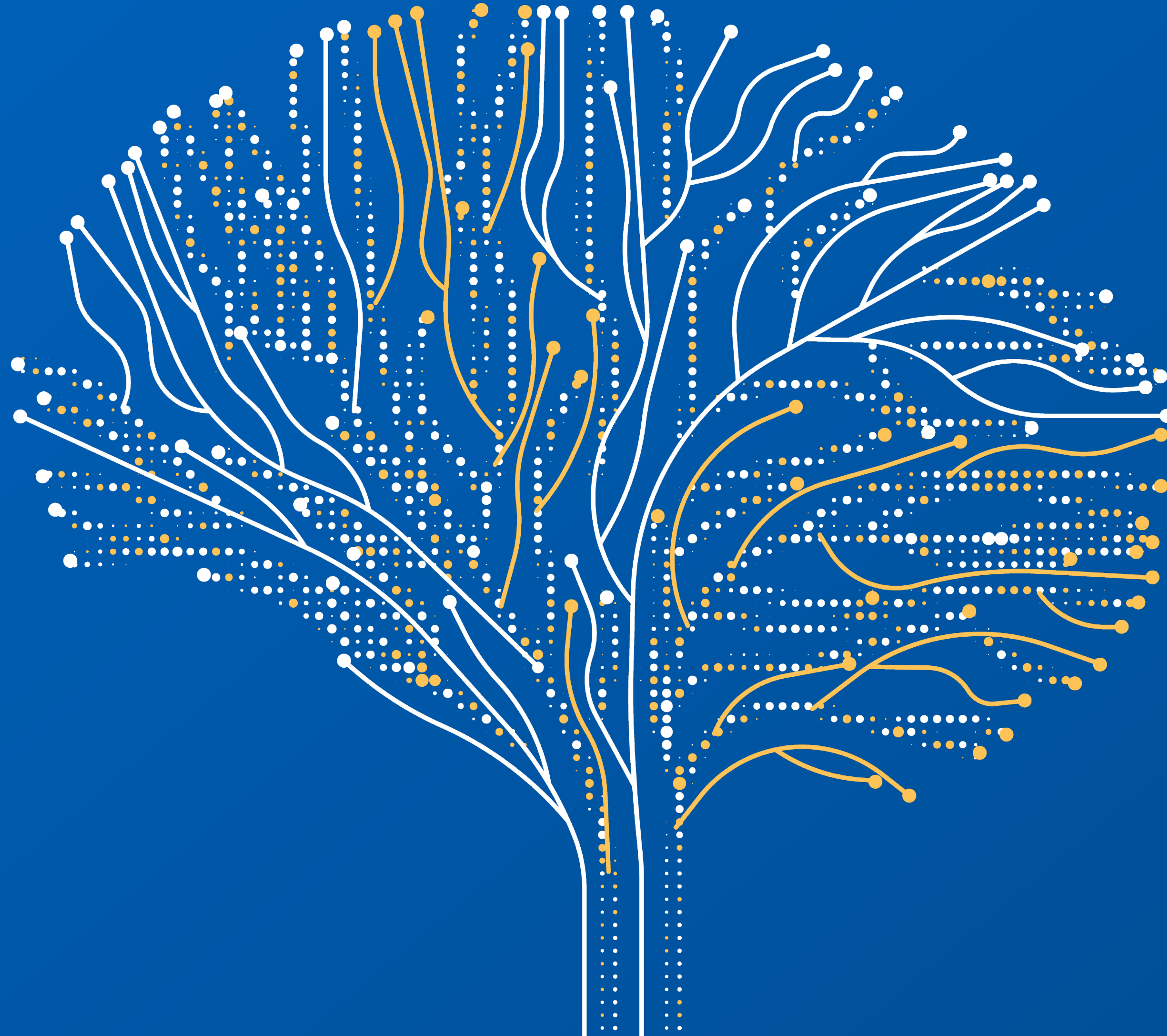
in Hawai'i experience homelessness annually



44% of households
in Hawai'i struggle to make ends meet



For every 100 low-income families, there are only
38 available, affordable homes



 Delays in language, literacy, and socio-emotional development

 Worse educational performance

 Relationship and behavioral difficulties

 Chronic health conditions

Our solution:

A **community-driven**
response to the urgent
crisis of child and family
homelessness.



Vulnerability

Cause:

Effect:

Human Trafficking → Homelessness
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Human Trafficking and Homelessness are negative effects of vulnerability, and each causes vulnerability to the other.

64%

reported experiencing homelessness when
recruited into trafficking

64%

of survivors reported experiencing
homelessness during childhood

43%

reported household incomes
under \$25,000 per year

Challenges for survivors with children

 Scarcity of family shelter beds

 Limits on family size and composition

 Lack of family-sized housing units

“[O]ne of the most effective ways to reduce
... risk of falling into human trafficking is to
end their homelessness by providing a safe
and stable place to stay.”



A **safe place to sleep**, study,
and get back on
their feet



One-on-one support to
navigate their
challenges



Building skills
and social
capital through
community

Prevention

Shelter Diversion

Rapid Re-Housing

Permanent Supportive Housing

Interim Housing

Case Management & Family Engagement

Unstable Housing

Unsheltered or in Homeless Shelter

Stable Housing

Ahmadiyya Muslim Community
Aloha Diaper Bank
Aloha Harvest
Aloha United Way
American Savings Bank
Boys and Girls Club of Hawaii -
Windward Clubhouse
Camp Mokuleia
Catholic Charities Hawaii
Central Oahu Hongwanji
Central Seventh-Day Adventist
Church
Central Union Church
Central Union Windward
Chinese-Vietnamese Seventh-
Day Adventist Church
Christ Church Uniting Disciples &
Presbyterians
Christ the Foundation Anglican
Church
Christ United Methodist Church
Church of Latter Day Saints-
Central Oahu
Church of Latter Day Saints-
Keolu Ohana Ward
Church of the Crossroads
City Church of Honolulu
Community Church of Honolulu

Community of Christ-Kalihi
Community of Christ-Kaneohe
Congregation of Sof Ma'arav
Cross Currents Fellowship
Daybreak Church
Emmanuel Episcopal
Ewa Hongwanji
First Baptist Church
First Church of the Nazarene
First Unitarian Church
First United Methodist Church
Flooring 323
Girl Scouts of Hawaii
Hawaii Food Bank
Hawaii Investment Ready
Hawaii Kai United Church of
Christ
Holomua Na 'Ohana
Holy Trinity Catholic Church
Honolulu Japanese Seventh-Day
Adventist Church
Honpa Hongwanji Hawaii Betsuin
HousingASAP
Jikoen Hongwanji Mission
Junior League of Honolulu
K-LOVE Radio
Kahauiki Village
Kailua Christian Church

Kailua Hongwanji Mission
Kailua Seventh-Day Adventist
Church
Kailua United Methodist Church
Kilohana United Methodist
Church
Kukui Center
Leeward Community Church
Lima Kokua
Love Gives
Manoa Valley Church
Messiah Lutheran Church
Mililani Presbyterian Church
Moanalua Lions Club
Moliili Hongwanji Temple
New Hope Kailua
North Coast Kailua
Nu'uaniu Congregational Church
Oahu Jewish Ohana
One Love Windward
Our Redeemer Lutheran Church
Parker United Methodist Church
Partners In Care
Resurrection of the Lord
St. Alban's Chapel (Iolani Family
Promise Club)
St. Andrew's Episcopal Church
St. Ann's Catholic Church

St. Anthony's of Padua
St. Augustine Catholic Church
St. Christopher's Episcopal
Church
St. Clement's Episcopal Church
St. George Catholic Church
St. John Lutheran Church
St. Luke's Episcopal Church
St. Mark Lutheran Church
St. Mark's Episcopal Church
St. Timothy's Episcopal Church
Streams of Life Fellowship
Temple Emanu-el
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Tucker and Bevvvy
U.S. Vets
United Church of Christ
United Church of Christ-Judd St.
Wahiawa Christian Church
Wahiawa Church of the Nazarene
Wahiawa United Methodist
Church
Waipahu United Church of Christ
Waipio Community Baptist
Church
We Are Oceania
Wesley United Methodist Church



Community and collaboration

Keiki and Parent Nights
Volunteer Days



6,000+

children, parents, and family members served
since 2006

81%

directly to
stable housing

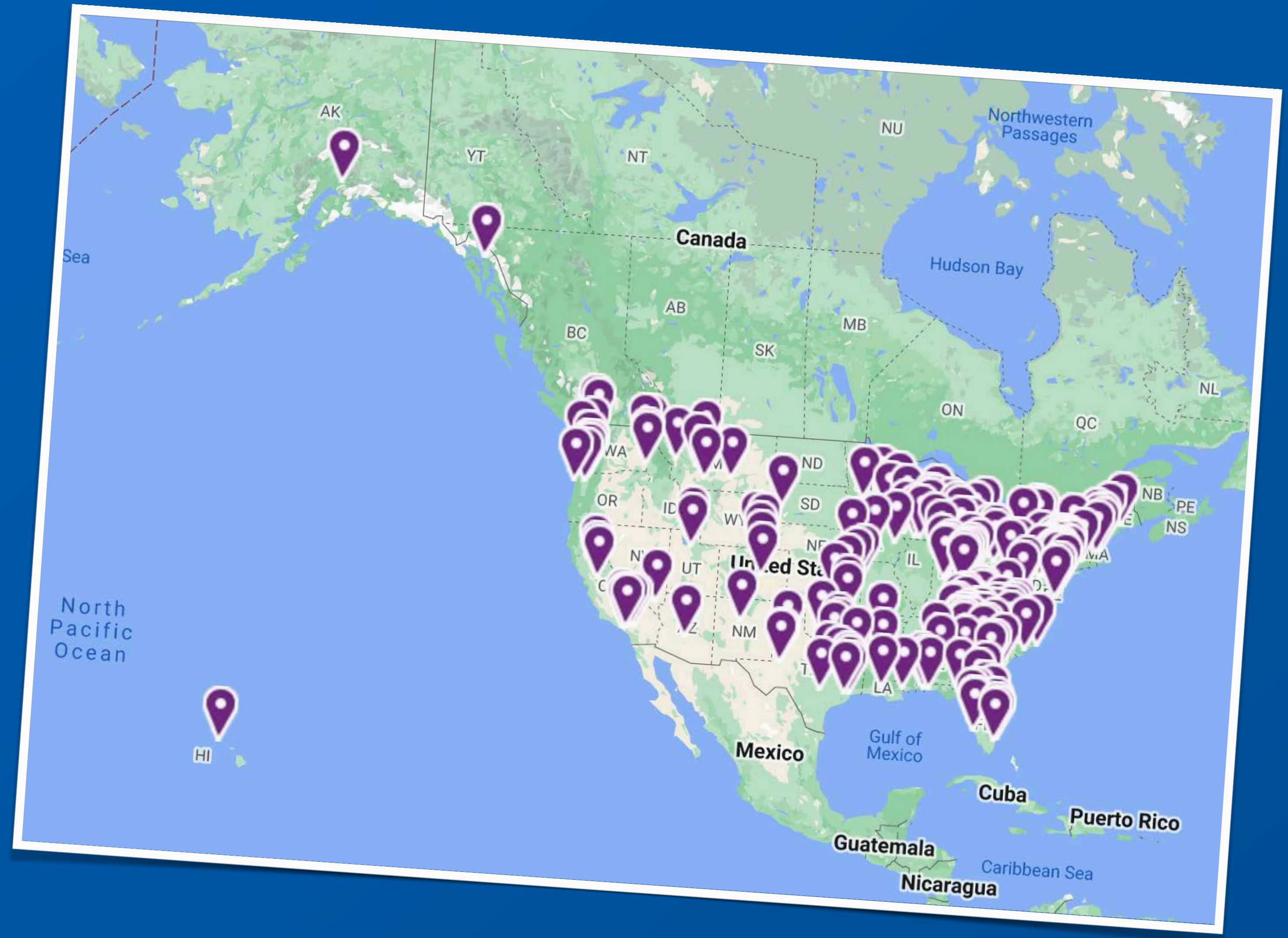
68 DAYS

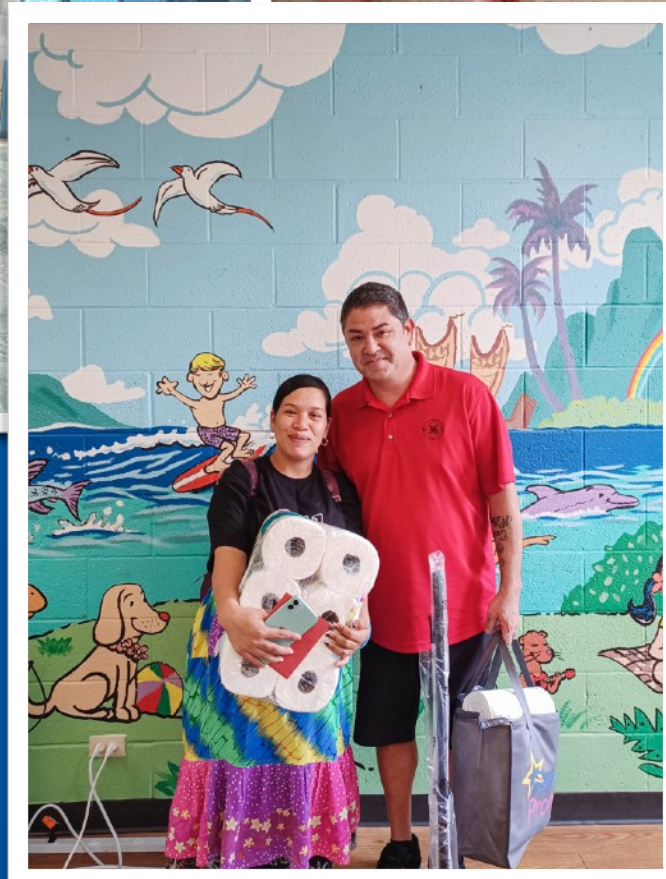
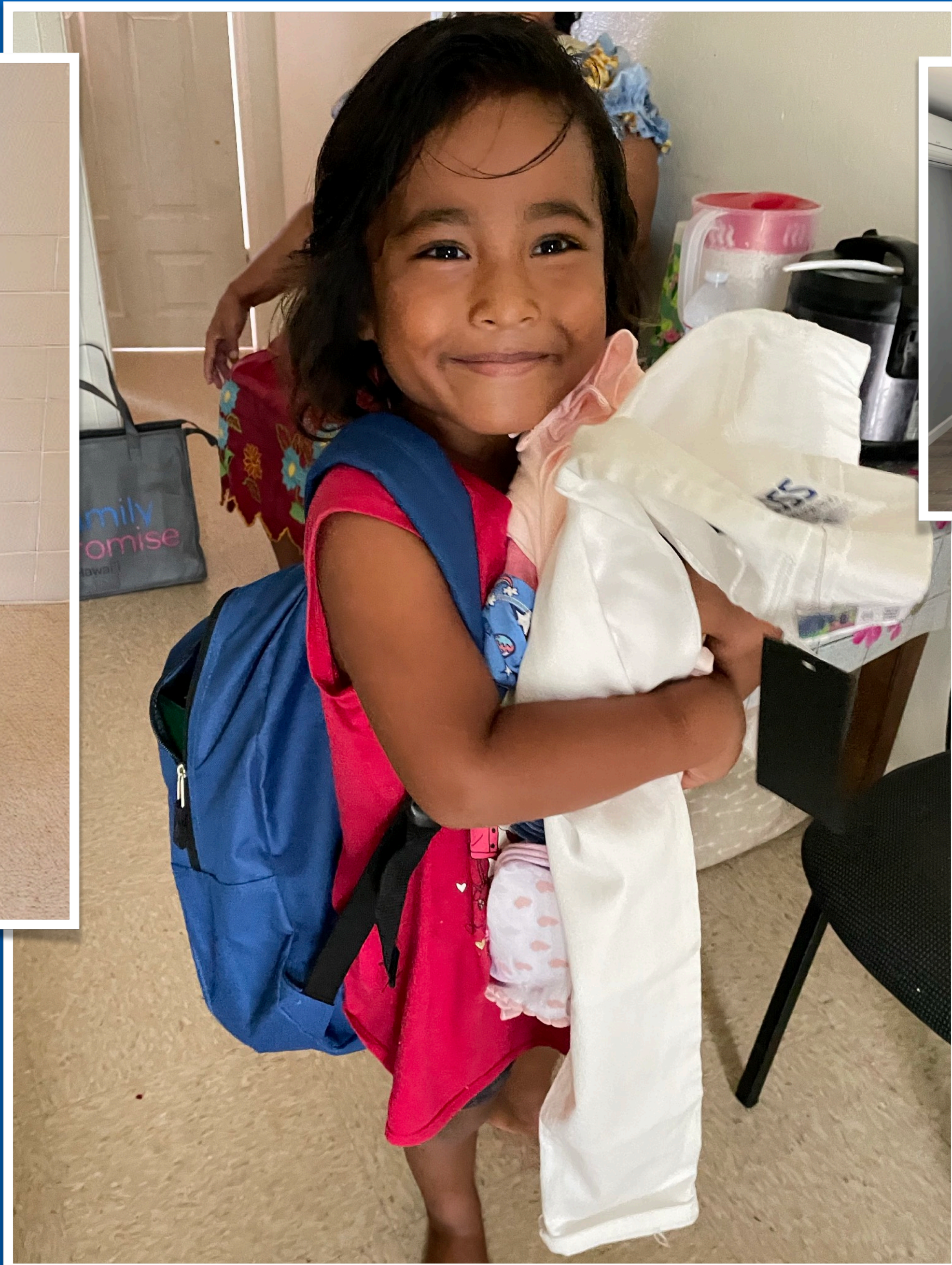
average length
of service

692%

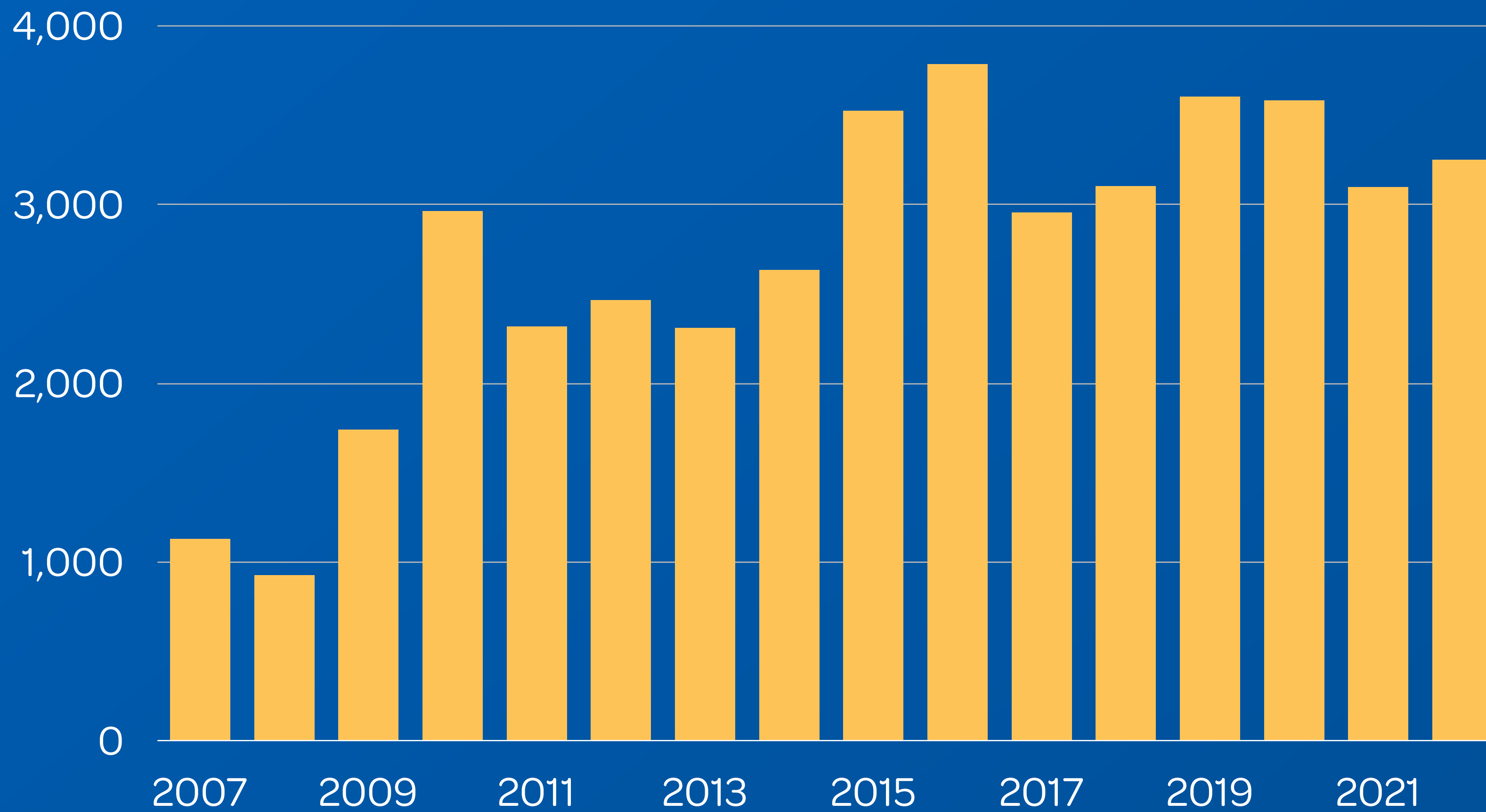
average
increase in
savings

200+
affiliates in
43 states





Number of public school students experiencing homelessness



1.4X FASTER

↑ 14%

increase in overall
homelessness

↑ 20%

increase in **children and
family members**
experiencing homelessness

O'ahu Point-in-Time Count • Change between 2022 and 2024

 44%

increase in **calls seeking assistance** from Family Promise since last year

'Ohana Navigation Center



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'Ohana Navigation Center Mo'ili'ili









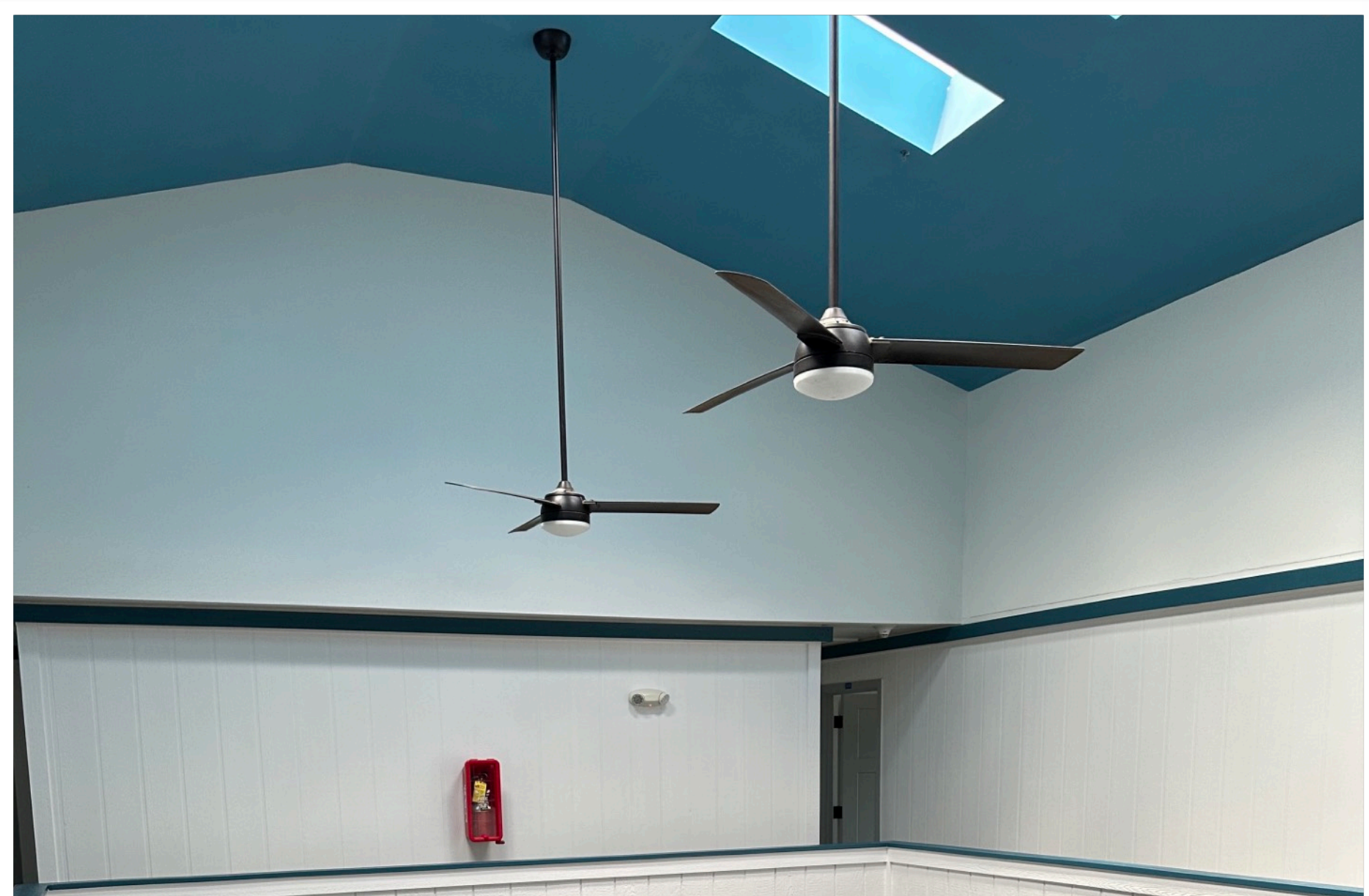




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Building skills
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6994

families

2,045

individuals

Served in 2024

A topographic map of the island of Oahu, Hawaii, showing green mountainous terrain and blue coastal areas. Six callout boxes are overlaid on the map, each pointing to a specific location and providing details about a service. The boxes are in various colors: blue, purple, and dark blue.

‘Ohana Navigation Center

Wahiawā

12 families (48 individuals)

**Pearl City
Master Lease**

2-4 families

Nu‘uanu Interim Housing

4 families (16 individuals)

Day Center

**‘Ohana Navigation Center
Mō‘ili‘ili**

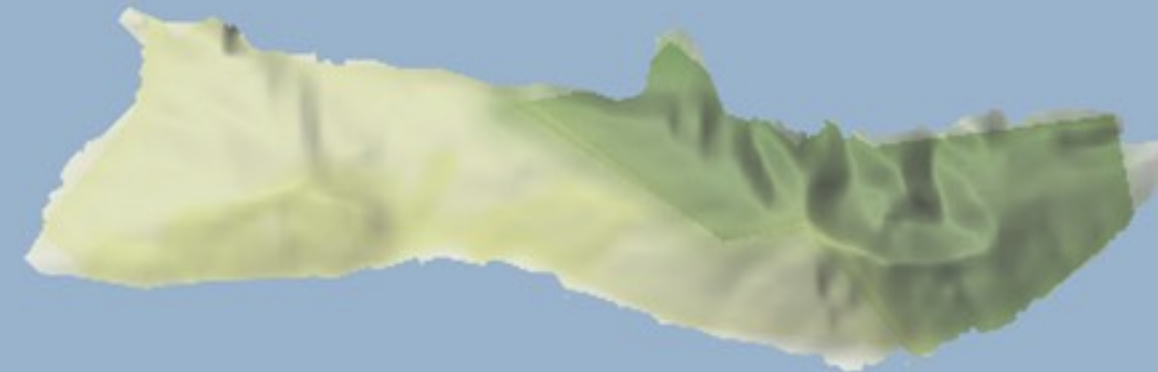
6 families (24 individuals)

Mō‘ili‘ili Interim Housing

4 families (16 individuals)



O'ahu
Interim housing
Rental assistance
Case management



Maui
Case management





Questions?

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