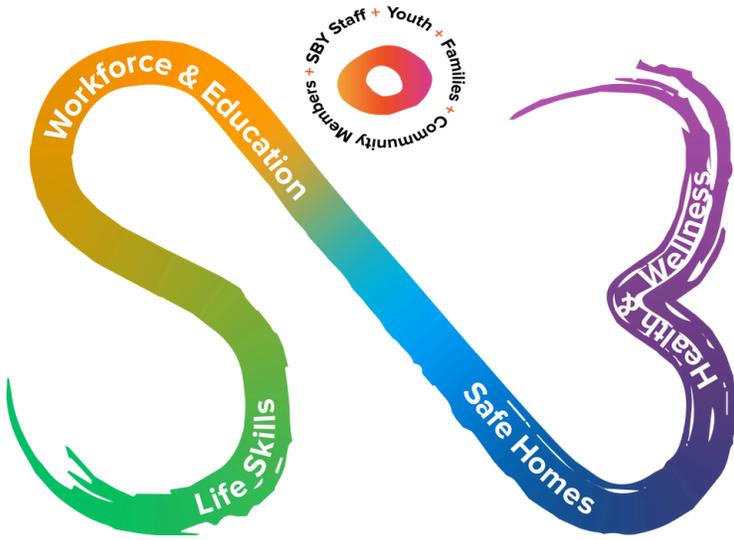


OUR THEORY OF CHANGE



Life Skills

- Promoting Family Communication
- Self-Sufficiency
- Educational Engagement
- Employability

Workforce & Education

- School Completion
- GED Preparation
- Workforce Training
- Postsecondary Education
- Career Development

Safe Homes

- Safe & Stable Housing
- Emergency Shelters
- Transitional Housing
- Family Reunification
- Family Support

Health & Wellness

- Mental Health Counseling
- Improved Community Connections
- Physical Healthcare

At Sasha Bruce Youthwork, we help young people build the foundation they need to thrive. By supporting youth across our four pillars of opportunities (Life Skills, Workforce & Education, Safe Homes, Health & Wellness), we seek to impact five core outcome areas (stable housing, permanent connections, education, employment, and well-being). We turn challenges into opportunities for growth. Our trauma-informed, Positive Youth Development approach ensures every young person gains safety, stability, and the skills to shape their future.

FY25 IMPACT AT A GLANCE

October 1, 2024 - September 30, 2025



**HELPING
YOUTH
FIND
STABILITY**

7839 YOUTH

SERVED ACROSS 26 PROGRAMS IN DC AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MD

11 Residential Programs

- 409 youth served

2 Emergency Youth Shelters

- 237 youth served

3 Drop-In Centers

- 1,066 youth accessed support and services

OUTCOMES:

DC Residential and Shelter Programs for youth experiencing homelessness.



MENTAL HEALTH & WELLBEING

SBY provides in-house therapeutic services in many residential programs and referrals to services. But, mental health remains a major barrier to stability.

- **82 youth** self-reported having a mental health disorder at program entry
- **158 youth** self-reported having a disability at program entry

STABLE HOUSING

Residential Programs

- **76.25%** to positive destinations*

Emergency Youth Shelter

- **67.76%** to positive destinations*.

* SBY defines "positive destinations" as exiting programs to permanent destinations, transitional housing programs, or to foster care placements.



DROP-IN CENTER:

DC Barracks Row

DROP-IN CENTER: WHERE YOUTH SLEPT LAST NIGHT

Across **3,139** visits:

- **35%** emergency shelter
- **24%** couch surfing
- **19%** transitional housing
- **11%** outside / car / unsafe
- **6%** permanent family home
- **2%** institution
- **4%** other



EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT



- **47.4%** of residential program clients had graduated from high school, completed their GED, completed some college, or had a bachelor degree. **27%** of clients were enrolled in school.
- **34.42%** of residential program clients increased their income

CLIENT SATISFACTION

Across SBY programs:*

- **92.77%** of youth strongly agreed or agreed that achieving their goals was manageable
- **91.57%** strongly agreed or agreed that they were receiving the services they needed
- **88.37%** strongly agreed or agreed that they felt supported while receiving services

* Including all residential, shelter, and drop-in centers.



DROP-IN CENTER SERVICES SNAPSHOT

- **3,730** basic needs services
- **7,760** meals
- **775** case management sessions
- **197** laundry loads
- **396** showers
- **389** mailbox + personal supplies
- **~20** group sessions per month
- **Art therapy:** 5–6 clients/week

