

In May of 1989, Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon opened the doors of the Letty Owings House. It was a building with room for eight women and ten children. During the first year of operation, more than 500 women with an unknown number of children had to be turned away.

Through the efforts of many people - contributors, a very dedicated staff, contractors, volunteers, Board, Commission, and Advisory Council members, legislators and advocates - this program now has 56 state licensed beds.

In 1997, the Letty Owings Center became a program of Central City Concern.



Young Resident at the Letty Owings Center

Central City Concern provides comprehensive solutions to ending homelessness and achieving self-sufficiency.

Health and Recovery Services:

- CCC Recovery Center
 - Recovery Mentor Program
- Community Engagement Program
 - Housing Rapid Response
- Hooper Detoxification Stabilization Center
- Housing Rapid Response
- Letty Owings Center
- Old Town Clinic
 - Recuperative Care Program (RCP)
- Old Town Recovery Center
 - Benefits/Entitlements Specialist (BEST)
- Puentes—FLOAT, Esperanza Juvenil, MIOS
- Sobering Station & CHIERS

Housing Services:

- Over 1,500 units of housing in 23 buildings
- 50%+ is Alcohol and Drug Free Community (ADFC) housing
- Supportive Housing & Resident Services

Employment Access Center:

- Access to Building Trades & Customer Service Occupations
- Employment Recovery Program
- Growth Industries Training Initiative
- Homeless Veterans Reintegration
- Portland Partners Re-Entry Initiative
- Veteran’s Grant Per Diem
- CCC Homeless Employment & Support
- Career Access Center

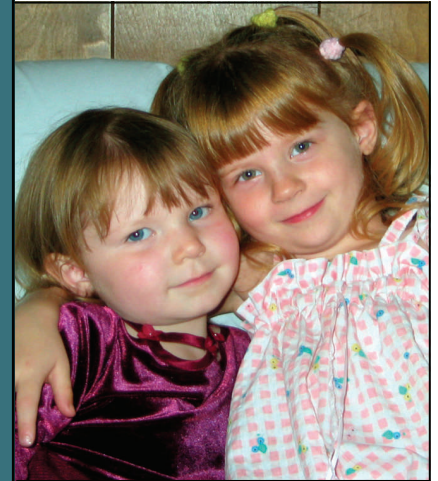
Business Enterprises

- Central City Janitorial: Cleaning & Pest Control
- Central City Maintenance
- Central City Painting
- Community Volunteer Corps
- Clean & Safe



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Letty Owings Center



The mission of the Letty Owings Center is to provide comprehensive, intensive residential treatment and continuing care services for poverty-level, chemically dependent women, especially pregnant and/or parenting women with young children.

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Our experienced clinical team develops individual treatment plans to ensure the delivery of quality intensive residential treatment **services for women in residence** at the Letty Owings Center. These include but are not limited to:

- Medical Referrals for both women and children
- Mental Health Assessments
- Group counseling and introduction to self-help support groups
- Daily Education Groups in:
 - Parenting
 - Alcohol & Drug Education
 - Relapse Prevention
 - Cognitive Restructuring
- Individual and family counseling
- Referral to dental care providers
- Weekly Sewing Classes

The Letty Owings Center

A community where poverty-level pregnant women and mothers with young children receive intensive residential treatment services to begin the journey from addiction to recovery.



Children's Services include but are not limited to:

- Registered nurse on site, part-time
- Individual child care plans for infants, toddlers and young children
- Developmentally appropriate child care for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers while mothers attend groups and classes during the day
- 24-hour supportive staff to assist women in the care of their children
- Hands-On Parenting Assistance with Children's Bedtime Routines
- Referral to children's mental health agencies, when appropriate