FLOURISH FURNISHINGS





THE Furniture Bank of Kansas City

MISSION

To improve lives by providing essential home furnishings to those seeking housing stability.

2021 OVERVIEW





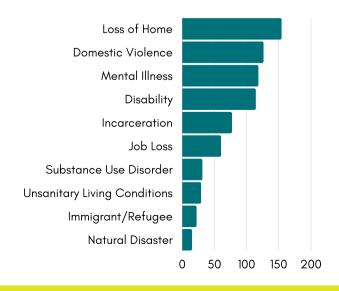




HOW WE SERVE

As THE furniture bank of Kansas City, Flourish provides free whole-home furnishings to those who have lost their homes due to displacement, poverty, or trauma. In 2021, we furnished **760** homes, impacting the lives of **1,853** people, including 907 children. 85% of our clients were previously unhoused, and 87% had incomes at or below the poverty level. We partnered with **69** social service agencies ranging from domestic violence shelters to refugee resettlement agencies. **317** volunteers contributed **17,141** hours to collect, repair, and distribute furnishings to our clients. Thanks to their hard work, we distributed **30,475** donated items, diverting **208** tons of furniture waste from the landfill.

TOP REASONS FOR REFERRAL



CLIENT SPOTLIGHT





Bailey was referred to Flourish by Hope House, a domestic violence center providing survivors with shelter and comprehensive services. Bailey worked with case managers to secure a new place to live after being forced to flee an abusive situation.

With the help of our volunteers, Bailey chose furniture, bedding, kitchen items, and décor for her new home. Her time at Flourish was an essential step in recovery after experiencing trauma.

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OUR PARTNER AGENCIES

Flourish partnered with 69 social service agencies that provide wrap-around services to a diverse range of communities, from mental health centers to domestic violence shelters to refugee resettlement agencies. As a one-stop-shop for furniture, we saved case managers time and money by fully furnishing our shared clients' homes. Working together allows our partners to put their valuable resources towards funding essential services.



We could not ask for a better community partner than Flourish Furnishings in supporting our clients in constructing their new homes as they move forward into the next chapter of their lives.

Nick Flowers, Re-Entry Specialist Journey to New Life

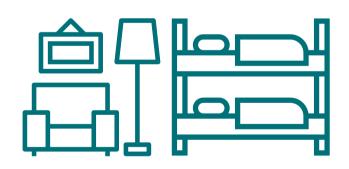


VOLUNTEERS

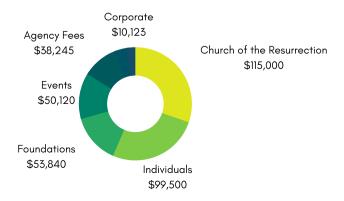
Flourish is led by a passionate and dedicated community of volunteers. In 2021, 317 volunteers contributed 17,141 hours of labor, equivalent to an estimated value of \$489,000. Thanks to our volunteers' hard work collecting, repairing, and refurbishing donations, we distributed 30,475 items – saving 208 tons of unwanted furniture from the landfill.

FINANCIALS

Flourish operated with a budget of \$369,603 funding our warehouse, moving trucks, two full-time staff, and additional items for clients. Our inventory of whole-home furnishings was maintained through generous donations from businesses, clubs, and individuals.



INCOME



EXPENSES

