HomeFront is partnered with many community resources to help you accomplish and complete your family goals.

## Family Self-Sufficiency Program







If you need help completing the application, call Shauna at

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Where Do You Want To Be In Five Years?

## You decide to make your life better!

The FSS program is a five year voluntary program with HomeFront and is available to families participating in the Housing Choice Voucher program.

It is designed to help low-income families achieve financial self-sufficiency and to be free of public assistance.

Participants establish their goals with the assistance of the FSS Coordinator and then work to accomplish those goals within a five (5) year time frame. The ultimate goal for all participants is suitable employment.



Do you want to get on the ladder to success?

Why wait!

Apply now and start climbing!



School? Is it for you?

Here's what participants are saying about the FSS program.

"It's really made me start thinking about what to do with my life? Anytime I have a problem I can call and the FSS Coordinator helps me get back on track!"

"If anyone has an opportunity to join this program they should not miss out!"

"I was able to put a down payment on a house with the escrow money. I would have never been able to save that much on my own!"

"Easier than I thought!"

## The Escrow Account

As the FSS family begins to increase their EARNED income, the Housing Assistance Payment (HAP) paid on their behalf decreases. A portion (if not all) of the difference is put into an escrow account.

When the FSS family achieves the goals they set in the contract, on or beforfe he five years, the money in escrow is given to the family. The money is free and clear. It can be used for whatever the family chooses. The opportunities are endless! You can use this as a downpayment to purchase a home using the HCV Homeownership

