



**Humanity
Hale**

A SAFE HAVEN FOR HAWAI'I ISLAND'S YOUTH

Providing critical trauma support, enriching programs,
and safe environments for at-promise and foster youth.





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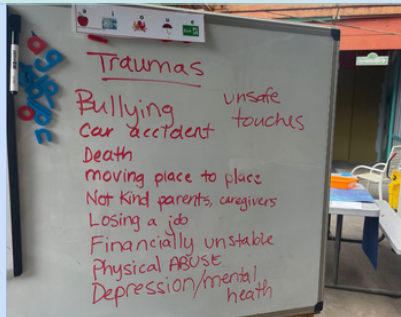
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ABOUT US

Humanity Hale is a registered 501(c)(3) organization based in Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i Island. We believe that **every young person deserves safety, stability, and the opportunity to thrive**. Since 2019, our nonprofit has served Hawai'i Island's most vulnerable 'ōpio—particularly foster youth and those aging out of the system—through free, trauma-informed programs rooted in aloha and cultural healing.



COMMUNITY NEEDS

Hawai'i Island is home to approximately 33% of the 1,250 children and youth in Hawai'i's foster care system, with many facing significant challenges as they transition out of care. Despite this pressing need, resources for transitional support—such as drop-in or residential services—remain limited.



Our programs are designed to help youth navigate the impacts of trauma—whether personal, intergenerational, or systemic—while building resilience, self-sufficiency, and pathways to success.

We envision a future where all youth, regardless of their background, are empowered with the tools they need to heal, grow, and thrive in their communities.



OUR SERVICES

We work to empower and uplift at-risk youth on Hawai'i Island through a variety of life-enhancing programs. These include Art Therapy, Individual & Group Therapy, Life Skills Training, Abuse Prevention, Diversity Training, and Cultural Education.

Our programs are supported by a dedicated team of trained professionals and volunteers, including licensed psychotherapists, counselors, art therapists, cultural educators, culinary specialists, and social workers.

Together, we ensure that every youth we serve has the tools and support they need to heal, grow, and thrive.



OFFERINGS

Currently serving more than 170 at-promise & foster youth per year, **we offer free programming aimed at breaking cycles of trauma, preventing abuse, and improving mental and behavioral health.**

Our services include education, therapeutic arts, life skills training, and 24/7 trauma support.



- 01** We are currently expanding school-based resilience and life skills programming, serving students weekly across three schools in West Hawai'i.
- 02** Weekend sessions are every Saturday from 10:30 AM–2:30 PM, enrolling up to 35 mentees aged 8–17 each quarter. Our mentors facilitate four 10-week programs throughout the year to provide consistent and meaningful engagement.



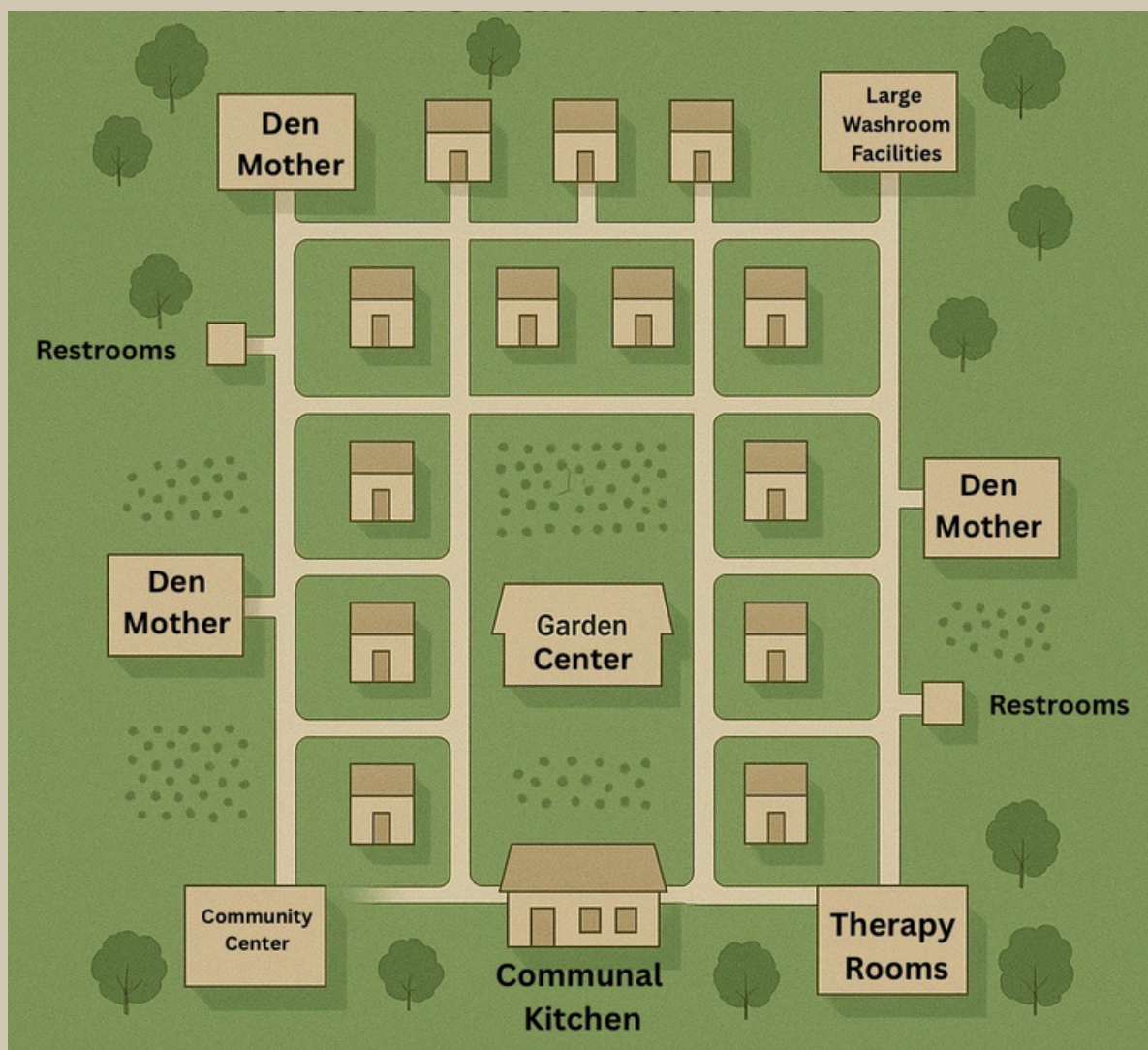
OUR GOALS

- 01** Organizational Capacity Support
- 02** Programmatic Goals
- 03** Transitional Housing + Foster Home Support

TRANSITIONAL HOUSING

We recognize that in Hawaii, **many youth exiting foster care become unhoused within months** due to extreme barriers to stability and the lack of transitional support.

To address this urgent need, **Humanity Hale is developing a 16-unit transitional housing community** on a 5-acre parcel on the west side of Hawai'i Island and **seeking financial support to help us make this happen**. This large piece of land will allow us to expand our housing community even more as future funding comes in.



Our vision is to create a safer, healthier Hawaii for our youth.

This community will provide:

- **Safe, stable housing** with trauma-informed care
- Individual and group therapy to **address trauma and build resilience**
- Life skills training and workforce development to **prepare for independent adulthood**
- Cultural education and land-based healing **practices rooted in Hawaiian values**



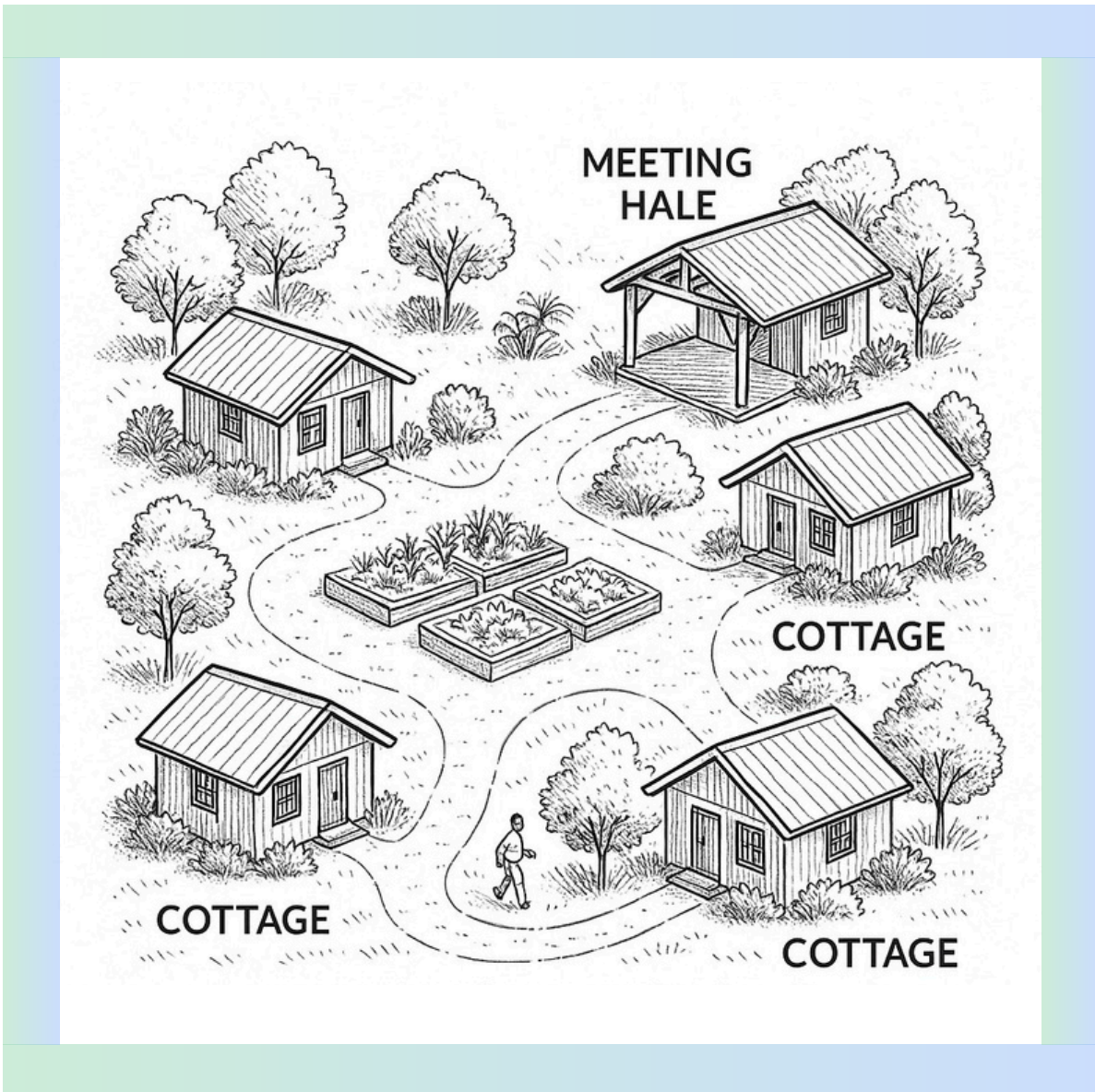
Our transitional housing program is designed to **empower youth to build confidence, gain practical skills, and transition successfully into thriving, independent lives** within a nurturing environment grounded in aloha and community connection.

This housing initiative is an extension of **our commitment to breaking cycles of trauma and systemic harm** by providing youth with a foundation of stability, healing, and hope.

TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM BUDGET

Humanity Hale is securing land and building transitional homes for youth aging out of foster care on Hawai'i Island. The total budget for Humanity Hale's transitional housing program is \$500,000 for land acquisition, plus significant in-kind contributions for construction.

A local foundation that wishes to remain anonymous has already committed \$250,000, leaving **a remaining need of \$250,000 to complete the purchase of a 5-acre parcel on Hawai'i Island.**





INCOME: \$450,000+ COMMITTED

- \$250,000 from a private, local foundation (secured for land acquisition)
- \$150,000+ from in-kind construction labor (12 certified construction workers and a contractor are already committed to building all homes entirely for free)
- \$50,000+ from in-kind donated building materials (materials for the first house are already secured and we're working on asking HPM Building Supply, Home Depot and Matson for capital building grants)

PENDING / IN DISCUSSION: \$250,000

Humanity Hale is seeking \$250,000 in support from organizations interested in joining together as founding partners of our transitional housing initiative, ensuring this project's long-term impact.

EXPENSES

- **Land Acquisition:** \$500,000 (5-acre parcel on Hawai'i Island)
- **Construction:** Fully covered through in-kind labor and donated materials (estimated \$200,000–\$250,000 in-cost savings)
- **Program Services (Years 1–3):** Supported through existing grants, to cover therapy, life skills, and cultural healing programs.

BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS IF NOT FULLY FUNDED

If the full \$250,000 is not secured immediately, Humanity Hale will pursue bridge funding through additional private donors while maintaining negotiations with identified partners. Because construction labor and materials are already committed through in-kind donations, every dollar raised will directly leverage significant in-kind investment and ensure forward momentum.

FUNDING DURATION

We request one year of support to complete land acquisition. Once secured, homes will be constructed over a 3-year period, serving 16–20 youth annually, to begin. With strong programmatic funding already in place, land purchase will unlock a permanent foundation for transitional housing that will create ripple effects across generations of Hawai'i Island youth.

BUDGET SUMMARY

CATEGORY	AMOUNT	STATUS
LAND ACQUISITION COST	\$500,000	Total Need
— PRIVATE FOUNDATION	\$250,000	Committed
— REMAINING FUNDING NEEDED FOR LAND	\$250,000	Seeking Partners
IN-KIND CONSTRUCTION LABOR	\$150,000+	Committed
IN-KIND BUILDING MATERIALS	\$50,000+	Committed



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TRANSITIONAL HOUSING DONOR PACKAGES

With \$250,000 already committed, **we are seeking five additional founding donors to match this gift** and complete the \$500,000 land acquisition.

BUILDER'S CIRCLE

\$25,000

- Provides the materials to construct one transitional housing unit.
- Recognition on donor wall and in community announcement.
- Quarterly impact updates with stories from youth benefiting from the program.

LAND LEGACY PARTNER

\$50,000

- Equivalent of helping to purchase 20% of the land as one of five founding donors.
- Invitation to an intimate blessing ceremony on the property.
- Recognition in all press releases and community outreach.
- Donor spotlight feature in Humanity Hale's newsletter and website.

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES, CONTINUED



FOUNDING HOMES PARTNER

\$100,000

- Covers the land acquisition share and builds two homes.
- Prominent recognition at groundbreaking and annual Ho'ike celebration.
- Opportunity to name one of the homes in honor of your family or organization.

FOUNDING VISIONARY

\$250,000

- Funds the entire remaining half of the land purchase.
- Exclusive recognition as a lead founding donor of Humanity Hale's transitional housing project.
- Lifetime recognition in donor communications, on property signage, and at all major community events.
- Opportunity for direct engagement with youth programs and special invitation to board advisory sessions.
- Every contribution is multiplied by the strength of community. With volunteer construction crews and donated materials already in place, your investment goes directly into buying land and building safe homes for Hawai'i's youth. Together, we can make generational change.

TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM IMPACT

We believe that when youth are given safety, stability, and love, they flourish—and entire communities thrive.

This project is more than housing—it is a foundation for healing, resilience, and opportunity. **With your support, we can ensure Hawai'i's foster youth step into their futures not alone, but surrounded by care and possibility.**



JOIN US ON OUR JOURNEY.

We all have a part to play in creating the world we envision.

The compassion and empathy we share is the driving force of our organization, and we excel when we are committed to seeing the humanity in everyone.

By providing Hawai'i Island youth with life enhancing programs, **we create a pathway that will continue building promising futures in our community** through free education, art & culture, life skills programs and 24/7 trauma support.

But most importantly, **love is at the center of everything we embody.**

YOUR SUPPORT CAN CHANGE A LIFE TODAY.



Please reach out to us with any questions,
or to **move forward with your investment
in Hawai'i Island youth.**

Mahalo nui loa for your consideration.



MAKE YOUR GIFT TODAY

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