

Spring 2019

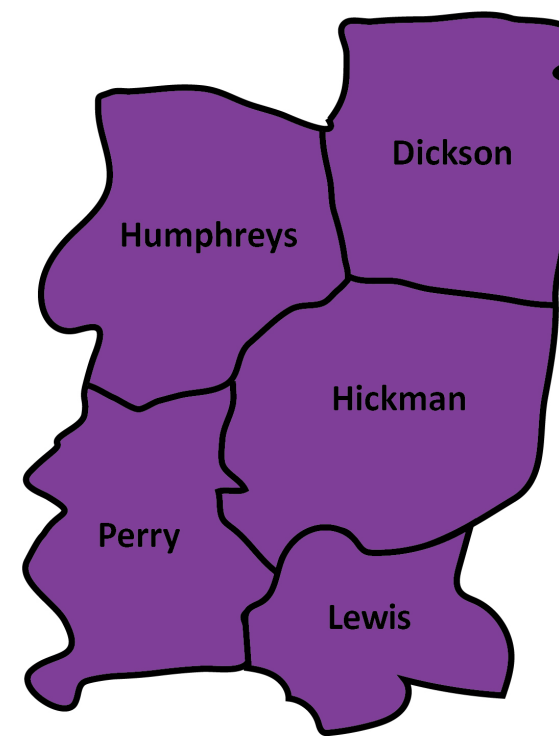
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Women Are Safe Staff :Front (l-r) Amy Sawyer, Vanessa Davis, Nancy Dansby; Back (l-r) Orianna Greve, Cindy Watts, Orlean Bauman

Spread the word. . . WAS is now serving Lewis county!

OUR SUPPORT GROUP

Wednesdays at 1:30 PM

131 West End Ave

Centerville TN 37033

Please call ahead to reserve a spot.

(931) 729-9885

Shelter Services

January 1—May 1 2019

Total Safe Bednights: 463

Child Bednights: 187 Adult Bednights: 276

A "Purdie Good" Idea

Hickman County's Purdie Good Café supports our community by donating 20% of its quarterly profits to a local non-profit, and we are pleased to report that Women Are Safe will be the beneficiary of Purdie Good's generosity during the second quarter of 2019 (now through June)! So, go out for a delicious meal, support a local business, AND help Women Are Safe at the same time!

Purdie Good Café is located at 10015 TN-46 and is open for breakfast and lunch on Tuesday through Friday from 5:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and on Saturday from 7:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Purdie Good is also open for dinner on Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

WAS partners with Mother to Mother

Mother to Mother is a Nashville-based non-profit that provides low-income children, ages 0-10, with diapers, clothing and all the basic necessities that every child deserves. Since their founding in 2004, the organization has helped more than 94,000 children whose families are living below the federal poverty level.

A representative of the non-profit met recently with WAS staff to explain their services and how they might help WAS clients. In addition to diapers, which we often need, Mother to Mother will furnish our clients with items such as pac 'n plays car seats, strollers, etc. when needed.

To learn more about this worthwhile organization go to WWW.MOTHERTOMOTHERINC.ORG

HOW YOU CAN HELP:

DONATE at

www.WomenAreSafeDonate.org

by mail:

Women Are Safe

P. O. Box 2

Centerville, TN 37033

VOLUNTEER

CALL 931-729-9885

OUR WISHLIST

Please help our shelter residents:

- Copy Paper
- Spiral Notebooks
- Pajamas-Adult and child sizes
- Socks-Adult and child sizes
- Bras-Any Size
- Underwear-Any Gender or Size
- Clothes Baskets
- Standard Pillows and Pillow Cases
- Laundry Detergent and Dryer Sheets
- Dishwasher Detergent
- Towels, Hand Towels, and Washrags
- Hair Brushes
- Twin or Full Sheet Sets
- Bath Tissue
- Shampoo and Conditioner
- Paper Towels
- Bathroom and Household cleaning supplies.
- Any Size Child's Diapers and Pullups
- Baby Wipes
- Trash Bags (13-gallon and 30 gallon)



Women Are Safe in the Community



Women Are Safe has participated in a number of community events in the past few weeks. WAS's Youth Program Coordinator, Nancy Dansby, (top left), visits with Ollie Otter, who promotes Seatbelt Safety, at the Community Health Fair. Volunteer Isabel Greve (photo, top right) mans the Women Are Safe booth at the 3rd Annual East Hickman Family Fitness Center's Community Fitness Celebration. Below is the display Women Are Safe prepared for the Lewis County Community Baby Shower. Women Are Safe will be participating in three more community baby showers in the coming weeks. These events, sponsored by local Health Councils, promote Tennessee's Tobacco Free initiative. Mothers who attend the event can sign up for the Tobacco Free program. If they complete it, they receive an exercise stroller. In addition, for every month a participant tests tobacco free, she will receive free Pampers. Expectant mothers as well as mothers of children from newborn to 2 years old, can attend these free community events and receive tons of useful information, free baby supplies, and a chance to win a number of door prizes.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

- May 4th Perry Co. Community Baby Shower
- May 11th Buds 'n Blooms (Mother/Daughter Day) East Hickman High School
- May 17th Safe Day in Perry County
- June 8th Hickman Co. Community Baby Shower
- June 22th Dickson Co. Community Baby Shower

