

Smart Ways to Give

Your generous contributions create lasting impact for HomeFront families—providing immediate support while opening doors to stable, brighter futures. You can tailor your giving through a variety of legacy and planned gift options that align with your personal circumstances and philanthropic goals.

Gifts for Today

Employer Matching Gifts

Your employer may match your charitable contribution, doubling—or sometimes even tripling—the impact of your gift. Check with your employer or human resources department to learn whether your company offers a matching gift program.

Donating Appreciated Stock

Donating appreciated stock directly to HomeFront may allow you to avoid capital gains taxes and qualify for a charitable income tax deduction, while maximizing the impact of your gift.

Qualified Charitable Distribution

If you're age 70½ or older, you may make a tax-free gift directly from your IRA to HomeFront, up to the annual IRS limit (\$111,000 in 2026). A qualified charitable distribution may also count toward your required minimum distribution, if applicable, while allowing the full amount of your gift to benefit HomeFront.

Gifts for Tomorrow

IRA Beneficiary Designation

You can name HomeFront as a full or partial beneficiary of your IRA. Because HomeFront is a charitable organization, your gift can pass to us without the income tax liability that may apply when retirement assets are left to individual heirs.

Leaving a Bequest in Your Will

You can create a lasting impact for HomeFront families by including HomeFront in your will and joining our Kitchen Table legacy society.

Your gift may be a specific asset or dollar amount, a percentage of your estate, or the remainder of your estate. You can work with your attorney or access complimentary estate-planning resources and sample language at homefrontnj.org/planned-giving through our partnership with FreeWill.

We are happy to discuss how your gift can reflect your values and make a difference now and for generations to come. Please contact us at 609-989-9417 x133 or email HomeFront@HomeFrontNJ.org.

We also encourage you to consult your tax advisor to understand how these giving options may affect your personal situation.

Your Support at Work

Alicia and her partner, Jay, struggled to find an affordable apartment with adequate space for their growing family. Even though they both worked, they found themselves stuck in a cramped one-bedroom apartment with three young children and another on the way. They applied for apartment after apartment with no luck, until they reached out to HomeFront. Alicia and her family moved into one of the permanent affordable apartments created by HomeFront's partner, Homes by TLC, and received supportive services from HomeFront to help them thrive.

Alicia reflected on the impact their new home has had on her family:

HomeFront has helped me and my family out so much... My kids now have space, and you can definitely tell how that move changed them so much. My kids have been happier ever since. HomeFront is so amazing; they have provided diapers and wipes, cleaning supplies, and food for all my kids when I need them. Every holiday HomeFront does such an amazing job with making sure each and every kid is happy and are set for that holiday. I really don't know where I would be without HomeFront right by my side. This is truly a blessing to be in this program. Such a blessing to meet such wonderful people.

Thank you for all you do!



Alicia and two of her children picking up their supplies and clothing during our Back-to-School Drive!

Note that names have been changed to protect privacy.