



EMERGENCY SHELTER SERVICES FOR RURAL YOUTH

Mobile Outreach & Case Management

About 180 Degrees

Founded in 1971, 180 Degrees, Inc. is a 501 c 3 non-profit agency providing emergency shelter, supportive housing, and trauma-responsive services to youth and adults.

- 85% of our services are directed towards youth.
- 180 Degrees youth shelters provide supportive services including mental and behavioral health, family reconnection, and case management to build pathways to stability.



Rural Youth

- 180 Degrees Youth Shelters are a critical safety net for rural youth and families.
- **No other facilities in the 20-county region of southeast Minnesota, and in the 13-county of region surrounding St. Cloud, and in the rural/suburban communities west of Highway 100 provide 24/7 emergency shelter and services for youth under 18.**

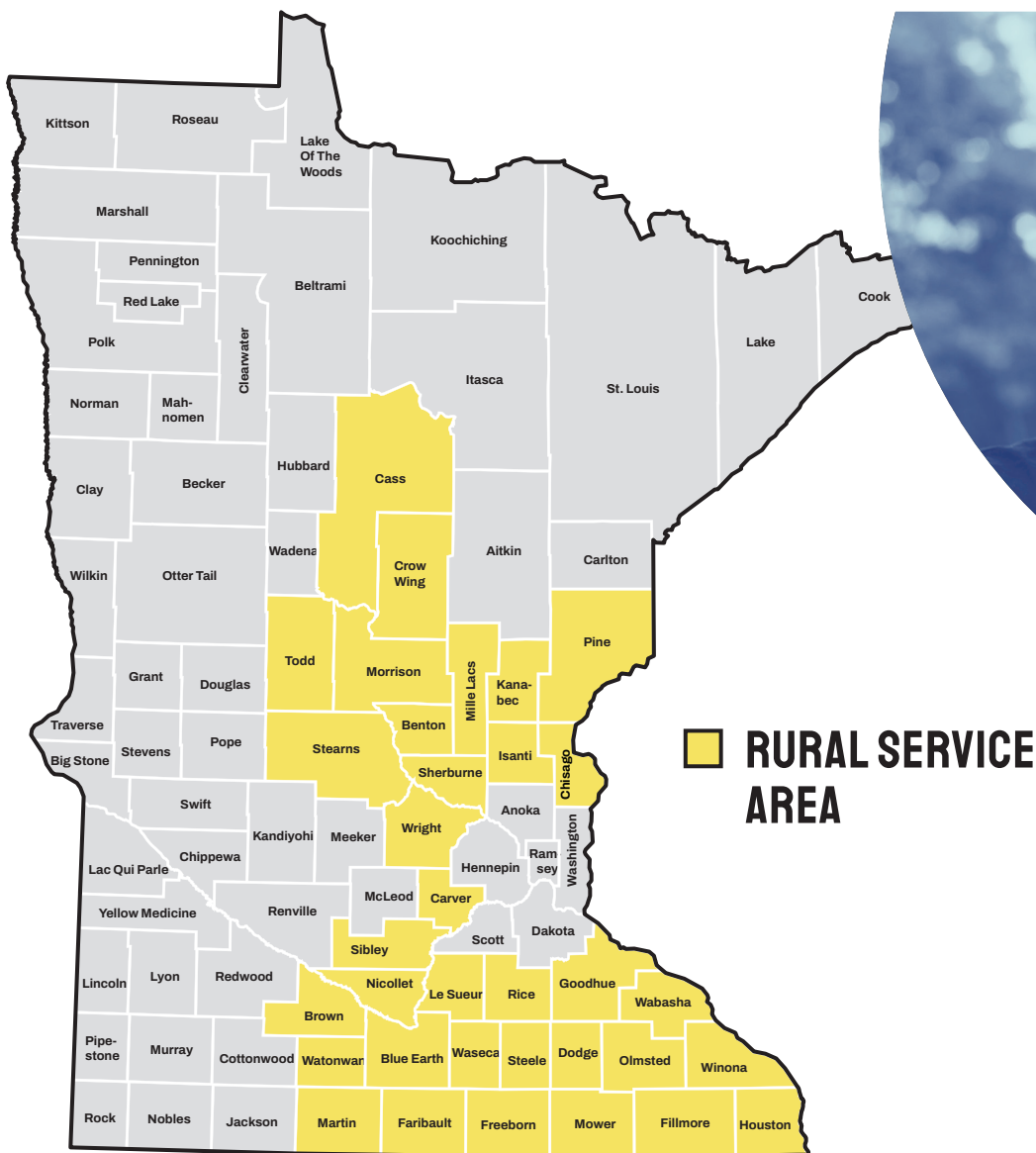
Community Need

- Shelter alone is not enough to address the growing need of rural young people in crisis where isolation is greater.
- Last year, **1001 youth were turned from shelter due to limited shelter capacity.**

Mobile Outreach and Case Management

180 Degrees seeks to expand its successful Mobile Outreach and Case Management program to rural youth. Funding would support Case Managers in each rural region, doubling the number of youth served. **Case Managers work directly with youth in their communities to prevent and disrupt crisis that can lead to homeless, exploitation, and trafficking.** This direct community outreach gets youth connected quickly to the appropriate services, such as:

- 24/7 crisis support through text, phone calls, and 1-to-1 connection
- Shelter referrals
- Family re-connection
- Connections to community resources such as: mental and chemical health, support groups, job training and connections, and educational support



All youth deserve the opportunity to experience safety and well-being.
We connect youth in crisis with life-saving community services and resources.

85%

of youth at 180 Degrees exit to a safe destination.

90%

of youth leaving 180 Degrees can identify at least one adult to turn to for support.

OVER 600

rural youth access shelter and safety every year at 180 Degrees youth shelter.

2025 FUNDING REQUEST

Shelter

Southeast MN	<u>2025</u> \$125,000
Central MN	\$125,000
Southwest Suburb / Rural	\$125,000

Total Investment **\$375,000**

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