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# Bella's House of Hope 2025

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## Partnerships

Bella's House of Hope is dedicating a significant amount of time to meet with community partners such as San Diego Food Bank and East County Transitional Living Center. The goal is to foster collaboration between our respective services, amplify impact and streamline access for the populations and communities we serve.

With program cuts and policy changes looming ahead, it's more important than ever to pool our resources with other agencies and share expertise, knowledge and perspective to address the complex challenges our existing and prospective clients will be facing that no single organization can tackle alone.

Now more than ever, Bella House of Hope will need to leverage ourselves to think outside of the box, get creative and prepare for an

uncertain future. Our mission this year will be to increase our visibility in the service provider community, work smarter instead of harder, and improve our sustainability. Single parent families of children with special needs are going to be especially impacted by proposed budget cuts to their existing services and resources they desperately need to provide basic care for their children. We will also be reaching out to our existing donors as well as new ones to help our cause.



# Bella's House of Hope 1<sup>st</sup> Parent Symposium!

## BHOH Parent Mentors

Parent-to-Parent mentorship is not only an underutilized resource by many public agencies, but it irrevocably will likely become a vital source when bridging the gap between families and many community programs facing cuts to their workforce. It shouldn't be surprising there's no better expert than the parent who's been there done that when navigating these vital services. Bella's House of Hope understands that connecting families with other families who share similar experiences and backgrounds, can provide a support framework unmatched by professional service providers who have little to no understanding of their client's circumstances. On April 14<sup>th</sup> 2025, Bellas House of Hope will be hosting it's first Parent Symposium. The virtual conference will be comprised of BHOH parent graduates who will present on various community resources commonly sourced by the families of Bella's House of Hope. The hope is, families in need of these specialized resources



will receive the support and guidance from their peers who understand the daunting processes of calling agencies, asking the right questions, filling out confusing forms and following up after submitting applications.

BHOH hopes to prevent families from becoming discouraged or losing hope while attempting to navigate much needed programs like CalFresh, IHSS, SSI, supplemental housing programs, IEP services, Family Justice System, Shelters, supplemental food programs, etc.



## BHOH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNEY!

Please consider donating to Bella's House of Hope or purchasing a foursome at our next Bella's House of Hope Golf Tournament!!!!!!



**Bella's House of Hope Golf Tournament is one of our largest fundraising events of the year. Without our donor's support, Bella's House of Hope could not prevail. Unlike other community programs, Bella's House of Hope does not receive state or federal support. To all of our existing donor's, thank you for your unwavering support!**

**If you would like to attend our next tournament or cannot attend but you are interested in becoming a supporter of Bella's House of Hope, please see the link below.**

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