



August 29, 2023

Dear Town of Whitefield,

Thank you for your donation of \$696.00 dated August 16, 2023. We sincerely appreciate your support as we work to meet the needs of some of our most vulnerable community members.

New Hope Midcoast believes that a life free from abuse is a fundamental human right and works to build a culture that will not tolerate domestic abuse. A member of the Maine Coalition to End Domestic Violence and a nonprofit 501c3, New Hope Midcoast staff are dedicated to educating and empowering our communities in order to achieve a more just and effective response to domestic violence and abuse .

Our comprehensive services are free and include:

- A helpline staffed 24/7 and available to victims, concerned others and professionals
  - Hospital accompaniment when injury is incurred as a result of domestic abuse
  - Support groups offered online and in-person
  - A dedicated staff in Child Protective Services to address the needs of families affected by domestic abuse who have children
  - Emergency sheltering
  - Long-term transitional housing with case management and the opportunity to work toward financial stability with training from New Ventures Maine
  - Trainings and presentations for healthcare professionals, mental health providers, schools, businesses and civic organizations to raise awareness and to help prevent abuse
- \* We do charge for mental health trainings only

New Hope Midcoast believes in a coordinated community response to the pervasive issue of domestic abuse. We partner with schools, healthcare practitioners, law enforcement and other community agencies to offer a wide network of support and advocacy for our clients. Your donation allows us to advocate for those in need.

Sincerely,

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Thanks so much for your  
choice to support our work  
and for the increase.  
We really appreciate this!  
Joan

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