# Goddard Riverside

INVESTING IN PEOPLE, STRENGTHENING COMMUNITY

Safe Haven at 491 E. 91st Street

To Open in 2022

#### **About Goddard Riverside**

We work every day for a fair and just society
where all people have the opportunity to make choices that lead
to better lives for themselves and their families.





# **Goddard History**

- An NYC heritage dating back to the 1850s
- Serving UWS since 1934
- Roots in the settlement house movement
- Pioneer of homeless services





# Goddard Riverside Today

- Serving more than 20,000 individuals across New York City each year
- Headquartered on UWS
- Community-centered and locally-focused
- 22 locations across Manhattan and 1 in Queens
- Provide services across age span





# Goddard Riverside Today



- Preparing Children and Youth for Success
- Enriching the Lives of Older Adults
- Promoting Behavioral Health and Wellness
- Fighting Homelessness and Supporting Housing for All
- Strengthening Families and Communities



## A Continuum of Services

- Advocacy for affordable housing
- Resource Center links families to benefits and services
- Law Project to protect tenant rights
- Homeless outreach in Manhattan, including the UES
- Safe Havens and Supportive Housing
- Multiple mental health programs
- Job training and community integration





# Housing & Homelessness Experience

- Helped develop the homeless outreach and supportive housing models
- Nationally recognized as a pioneer in homeless services
- Co-Founded Manhattan Outreach Consortium

The New York Times

The Many Lives of a New York S.R.O.



Capitol Hall, a single-room-occupancy residence for decades on West 87th Street, has undergone a top-to-bottom renovation. Kirsten Luce for The New York Times



#### From Homeless to Housed



- Four Permanent Supportive Housing Sites serving 421 tenants
- Wide range of support services

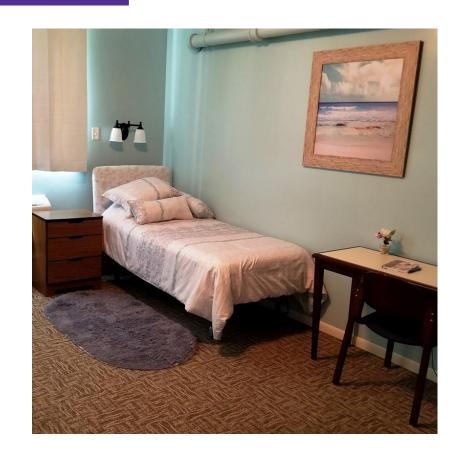
#### Placements from outreach in 2020:

- Current caseload 210; 190 placed in permanent or transitional housing in 2020
- Current UES caseload 50; 39 placed in permanent or transitional housing in 2020



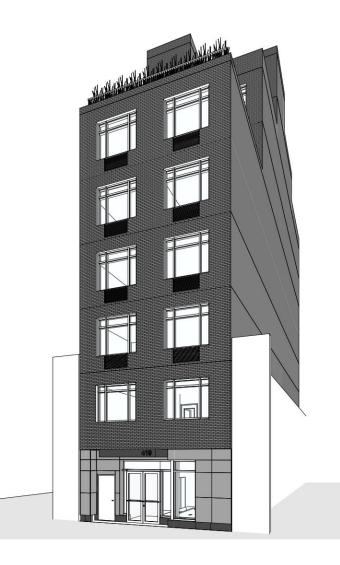
#### What is a Safe Haven?

- Moving people off the street
- On-site social services, counseling and support
- On-site health, wellness and recreation
- Path to permanent housing





### Safe Haven for E 91st Street



- 88 beds; purpose-built
- Serving residents from UES and other neighborhoods in NYC
- Private space and lockers for each resident, rooftop recreation area, meals and social services provided
- Projected opening January 2022
- Opportunities for Community Engagement

