

Abode Services believes everyone should have a home. Every day we provide housing and services to homeless people in our community as we work to end the cycle of homelessness.



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## Volunteer Appreciation Reception

**You're Invited**  
**Volunteer Appreciation Reception**



Friday, October 8 - 5:30-7:00 p.m.  
 Program - 6:00 p.m.  
 Light Refreshments

Centerville Presbyterian Church Gym  
 4820 Central Avenue, Fremont

Please RSVP by October 1  
 to [info@abodeservices.org](mailto:info@abodeservices.org)  
 or 510-657-7409 ext. 213

Calling all Abode Services volunteers! Please join us for our upcoming Volunteer Appreciation Reception on Friday, October 8 from 5:30-7:00 p.m. at Centerville Presbyterian Church. A big thank-you to Fremont Bank Foundation and Digital Nirvana for co-sponsoring this event. Please RSVP by October 1 to [info@abodeservices.org](mailto:info@abodeservices.org) or 510-657-7409 ext. 213. Visit <http://abodeservices.org/index.html> for further details.

## Home Builders Society Barbecue



Blackberry Springs Ranch, Fremont



Guests enjoying a beautiful day.

Members of Abode Services' Home Builders Society recently enjoyed a barbecue at the home of Alex and Peter Starr. Blackberry Springs Ranch is a historic 1929 summer home designed by world-renowned architect Julia Morgan.

The Home Builders Society includes some of Abode Services' most dedicated individual donors who pledge significant multi-year gifts. Members of the Society receive invitations to updates on agency developments and other special events. More than 60 individuals are currently members of Abode's Home Builders Society. We are grateful for their generous support.

For more information about becoming a member, please contact Carol Arata, Director of Development, at 510-657-7409 ext. 203 or email [carata@abodeservices.org](mailto:carata@abodeservices.org).

## Journey Home Tours

Join Abode Services for our next "Journey Home" tour. This one hour presentation will give you a glimpse into the services we provide to the homeless in our community. We will provide materials and information about ways you can get involved.

### Sunrise Village Emergency Shelter

Sunrise Village is the only shelter of its kind in the San Francisco Bay Area. The 17,500 sq. ft.

facility was specially designed and built to house homeless families and single adults in an efficient and dignified manner.

**Tuesday - October 12**

**12:30 - 1:30 pm**

**Sunrise Village Emergency Shelter  
 588 Brown Road, Fremont**

For further information or to RSVP, please contact 510-657-7409 ext. 203 or email [carata@abodeservices.org](mailto:carata@abodeservices.org).



Exciting News! Charity Navigator has awarded Abode Services their highest rating (4 stars) for the sixth consecutive year. This means our agency excels, as compared to other charities in America. Only 4% of the charities rated have received six consecutive 4-star evaluations. Our 4-star award for sound fiscal management can be viewed at [www.charitynavigator.com](http://www.charitynavigator.com)

Please visit our website at [www.abodeservices.org](http://www.abodeservices.org).

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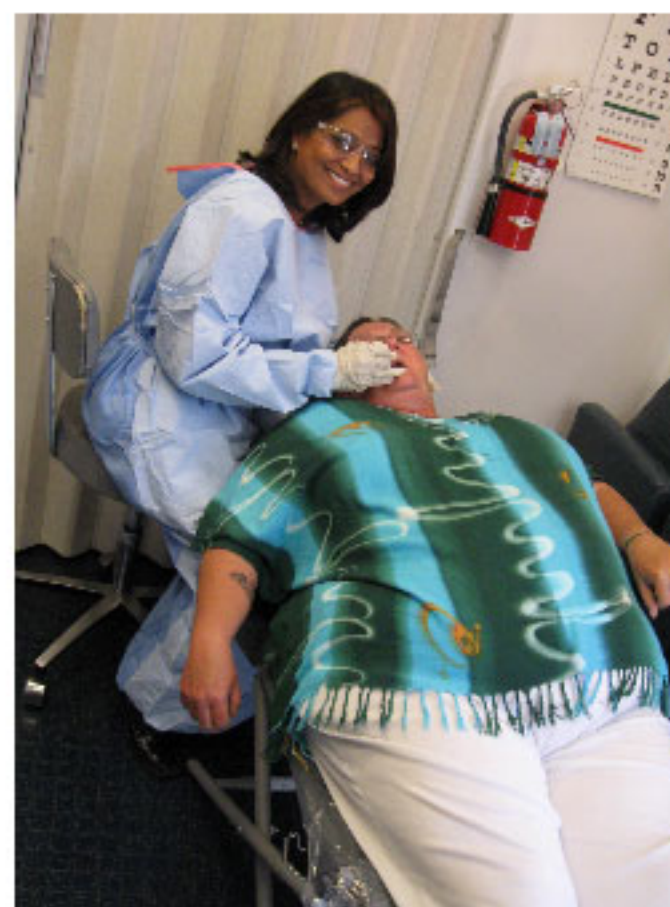
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Devry University students coordinated a very successful food drive to support Abode Services.



(L to R) Daniel Reed, DeVry University; Mary Little, Volunteer Program Manager Abode Services; Samantha Melendez & Antonio Pedone, DeVry University



Gayatri D. Sakhiani, DDS, local Fremont dentist, volunteers on the HOPE Mobile Health Clinic

## Help needed

Can your church or service organization host a food drive? We are in immediate need of non-perishable food items. If you can help, contact Mary Little, Volunteer Program Manager at 510-252-0910 ext. 11 or email [mlittle@abodeservices.org](mailto:mlittle@abodeservices.org). Please visit our updated Wish List at: [http://www.abodeservices.org/giving\\_wishlist.html](http://www.abodeservices.org/giving_wishlist.html)

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