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A big thank you to every one who donated gifts, gift cards, and stockings during our Holiday Gift Drive in December! We appreciate everyone for going above and beyond to make the holiday season bright for our clients. These pictures are just a small portion of the thoughtful gifts dropped off throughout December. Your outpouring of generosity also helps them feel supported by the community during one of the most difficult times in their lives.



This month we want to give a special shout out to one of our corporate partners. Christian Brothers Automotive in Littleton been amazing in helping one of our victims get her car back on the road. They have been extremely generous is donating their resources, which made it possible for our client to get the necessary repairs. [Christian Brothers Automotive](#) has a long history of giving back to the community, including their annual day of service. We want to thank Chris Longo and his entire team for helping Gateway and our clients!

January is National Stalking Awareness Month



Did you know January is National Stalking Awareness Month (NSAM)? Stalking is a prevalent crime that often co-occurs with — and increases the risks of — domestic violence. Millions of individuals of all genders are stalked every year in the United States and nearly half of stalkers are intimate partners (current or former). Many abusers stalk their partners both during and after the relationship has ended as an extension of coercive control. Stalking is a terrifying and psychologically harmful victimization in its own right.

Stalking is a pattern of behavior directed at a specific person that causes fear or emotional distress. On average, intimate partner stalkers are the most threatening and dangerous type of stalker, and stalking increases the risk of intimate partner homicide by three times. The prevalence of anxiety, insomnia, social dysfunction, and severe depression is much higher among stalking victims than in the general population. At Gateway, we help victims take stalking into account as they devise a safety plan, navigate legal systems, assert their rights, and obtain the support they need and to which they are entitled.

We will be sharing more important information on our social media account about this important issue and how Gateway supports survivors who have experienced stalking.

Get Involved



Giving to Gateway Shelter is easy when you become a monthly donor! Your monthly gift will help survivors connect with our life-changing resources so they can start their journey toward safety, hope, and healing.

[Click here to become a monthly donor today!](#)

Help us restock our hygiene items! Gateway is in need of hygiene items for the adults and children in our programs. Visit our [online wishlist](#) for a full list of our needs.

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