

PROJECT NAME: Homeless Fathering Project
PROJECT LEAD: Amber Pickman, MA
TIMELINE: 2010-2011
CONTENT AREA: Domestic Violence, Homelessness
FUNDER: Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City
CLIENT: National Center for Fathering
AUDIENCE: National Center for Fathering, Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City
RESEARCH METHODOLOGY: Quantitative Methods
The Homeless Fathering Project provides services for 150 transitional living men and fathers in three homeless and two re-entry facilities. The project helps participants develop relational skills to build and maintain the social supports associated with successful recovery and re-entry. The project's goal is to break the cycle of absence and violence that is common to those who have witnessed family violence or experienced the risk factor of father absence in their childhood.
OVERVIEW: RDI provides data entry, interpretation, and reports for the National Center for Fathering. This project uses pre and post instruments that examine the participants' increased knowledge of family violence and a change in their attitudes towards violence. Interviews with staff are also used to assess project implementation success.

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