



LOCATED ON CHICAGO'S NORTH SIDE, HALFWAY TO HOME OFFERS AFFORDABLE, SAFE, COMFORTABLE HOUSING IN AN ENVIRONMENT DESIGNED TO HELP YOU ACHIEVE AND MAINTAIN LIFELONG, CONTENTED SOBRIETY. WE PROVIDE A BRIDGE BETWEEN TREATMENT AND INDEPENDENT LIVING WHERE YOU CAN DEVELOP THE SKILLS YOU NEED TO SUCCEED. OUR AIM IS TO CREATE A COMMUNITY OF BROTHERS WHERE FRIENDSHIP AND 12-STEP FELLOWSHIP ARE CENTRAL.

## OUR PRINCIPLES

*Halfway to Home* provides a structured, sober living environment for men seeking a new way of life based on the principles of community, commitment, and recovery.

**Community:** Residents strive to live as brothers in friendship and recovery, because together we can do what we could never do alone.

**Commitment:** Residents commit to support each other, pursue the steps necessary to achieve long-term sobriety and independent living.

**Recovery:** The spirit and tools of recovery pervade *Halfway to Home*, with on-site community meetings and access to dozens of local 12-step recovery meetings available to all residents.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Men 18 years or older
- Complete our intake assessment
- Must be employed or have some verifiable income (qualified co-signers are accepted)
- Must have a desire to remain clean and sober and be willing to participate in a 12-step recovery program and abide by the house rules

\* During the intake assessment, comprehensive house rules and expectations will be agreed upon.

## FACILITY

**Location:** *Halfway to Home* is located near the lakefront in a quiet Edgewater neighborhood on Chicago's north side. We are steps away from shopping, groceries, eateries, coffee shops, the red line "L," and local and express buses. Dozens of 12-step meetings are available within walking distance or a short L ride.

**Rent:** \$575 per month. Hi-speed Internet, cable, air conditioning and heat are included. The home is fully furnished with complete kitchen amenities. Bedding and towels are provided. Residents are responsible for their own food and laundry. Washer/dryer on premises.

## RULES AND EXPECTATIONS\*

No drugs and alcohol permitted. Prescription medications must contain a current prescription in the name of the resident and be reported to the House Manager.

Active participation in a 12-step program, including at least three meetings weekly

Active sponsorship. Residents are expected to meet with their sponsor once per week and be actively working the Steps in a recognized 12-step program appropriate to the individual's needs.

Hold a weekly service commitment in a 12-step program

Employment, school, or volunteer work totaling at least thirty hours weekly

Attend all weekly house meetings

Abide by the house rules and respectful of fellow residents and neighbors

## CONTACT US

Please call or e-mail us if you are interested in applying for residency. Please note, applications are accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

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