



Breaking the Cycle of
Domestic Violence, Together

Redecorated Rooms Add More than Just Style...

A Safe Place With A Homey Feel

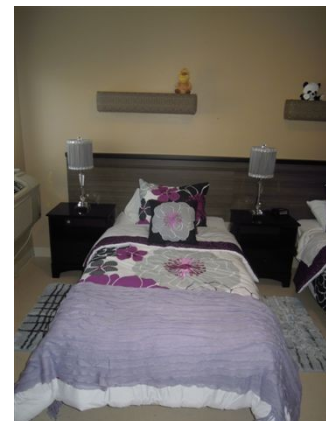
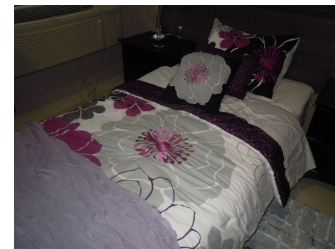
Leaving an abusive partner to come to a shelter is an extremely hard and scary decision. The courage it takes to leave your home to escape an abusive partner is unimaginable to most people who have not been caught in the cycle of domestic violence.

Once a woman comes to a shelter, it is so important that they feel comfortable and relaxed in their environment, so they can begin to heal and start a safe abuse free life. For many years the rooms at Hiatus House had a more clinical than homey feel, but now, thanks to some amazing community members, almost all of our rooms have been redecorated to feel peaceful and relaxing.

In June 2011 WHOW (Women Helping Other Women), was the first group to decorate rooms at Hiatus House and they did a fantastic job!

WHOW has been on a roll! This past summer they completed another room, making their room decorating total THREE!

Thank you so much Maureen, Mila, Karen, Marnie and Lerka!!



Beta Sigma Phi, Laureate Alpha Take Sisterhood to a Whole New Level!

Thank you so much to Beta Sigma Phi, Laureate Alpha for their amazing work on this room! They choose such beautiful, bright colours, that really make this room feel like a comforting place.



THANK YOU SO MUCH TO ALL OF THOSE WHO HAVE HELPED MAKE OUR SHELTER ROOMS MORE COMFORTABLE FOR THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN THAT NEED THEM!

If you would like to donate your time and creative flare to help us redecorate a room. Please email us at admin@hiatushouse.com or call 519-252-7781.