NEW HOPE
Center for Grief Support

IMPACT REPORT

From Grief to New Hope
8-Week Workshop
Spring 2024

We welcomed 187 participants and volunteers!









HEALING BEGINS WHEN HOPE IS FOUND

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"FROM GRIEF TO NEW HOPE"

8-Week Workshop combines the educational components of a seminar with the safety of a peer group. This workshop is available to adults who are grieving the death of a loved one. This workshop is a safe place to express your grief and begin the healing process. Each session begins with a speaker and then participants break into small groups according to their loss.

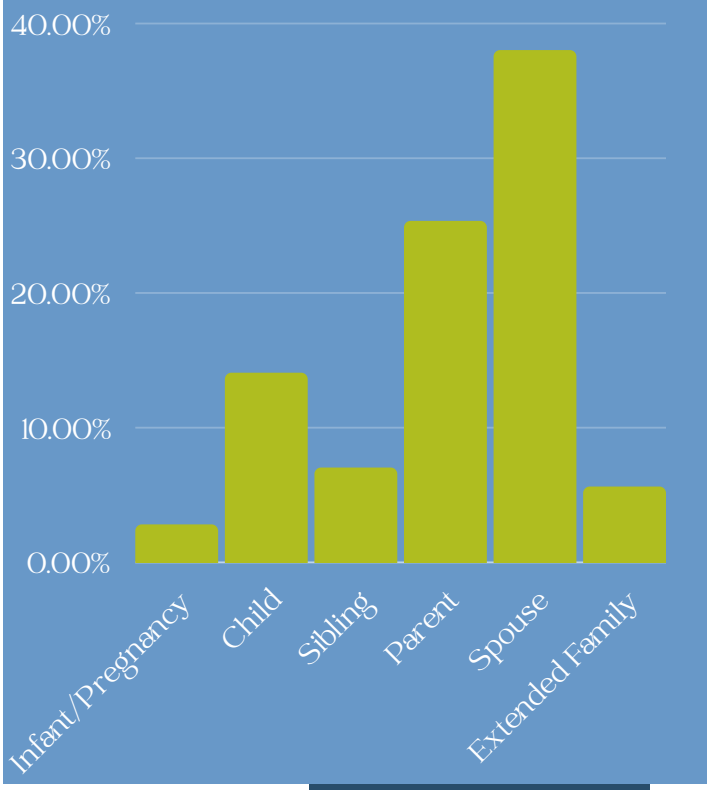
THE IMPACT

98% of participants would recommend the 8-week workshop to a friend or colleague.

96% of participants said they can better communicate their thoughts and feelings.

WE SERVED PARTICIPANTS IN 32 COMMUNITIES IN MICHIGAN, INDIANA, FLORIDA, & COLORADO

TYPE OF LOSS:

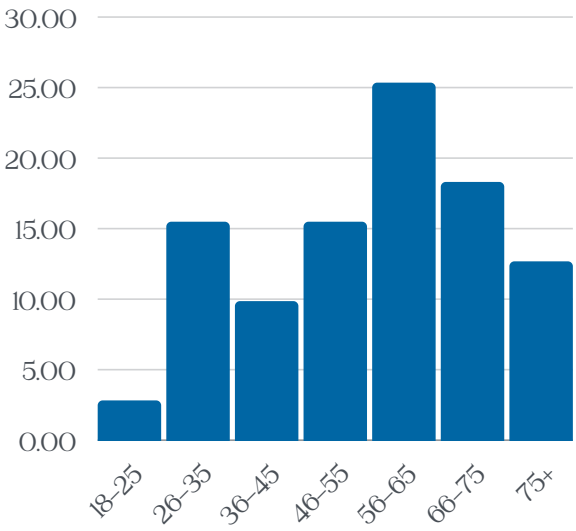






PARTICIPANT AGE:











"I loved the heartfelt talks given by the speakers."

"God bless you all for the work you do, sharing your hearts and honoring your loved ones."







WHAT PARTICIPANTS LOVED ABOUT THE WORKSHOP:

“Amazing topics, wonderful speakers, great experience”

“My group made me feel supported and accepted. I lost my loved one to substance use but was never made to feel that his loss didn’t matter as others have done.”

“I loved being part of a group of women my age where I could speak openly and honestly about my grief.”

“Being in a group where we didn’t just share grief, we shared life experiences!”

109 participants began the workshop week one and
109 participants completed it 8 weeks later.



90%

of participants are planning on continuing programming with New Hope.

“It was extremely important that through our group sharing we got to know the special person each of us lost”

PARTICIPANTS FOUND THEIR FACILITATORS TO BE:

“Gracious,
Patient,
Comforting
Gentle
Caring
Incredible Listeners”

THANK YOU

The “From Grief to New Hope” 8-Week Workshop was made possible due to our generous supporters, and our **56** volunteer facilitators who committed their time to provide a safe space for those grieving the loss of a loved one to share their stories, connect with others going through similar experiences, and find hope. Your support allows us to continue offering this workshop at no cost to attendees. We cannot express our gratitude enough! This is all made possible by the generosity of those who support our mission to **bring hope**, **healing, and new beginnings** to adults grieving the death of a loved one.

THANK YOU!



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