

PHF BY 2023: OUR DATA DRIVEN VISION

PHF IS BASED ON DATA FROM THE PurPLE CLINIC

Purple Clinic was a nationally renowned primary care program for survivors of abuse and exploitation, founded by PHF CEO, Dr. Anita Ravi, MD. The clinic was piloted from 2015 to 2019 within a NYC community health center.

THROUGH PurPLE CLINIC'S WORK, WE DISCOVERED:

REFERRAL
Dear Purple,
Maya is a trafficking survivor being released from jail. She and her son need medical care & therapy. They don't have insurance.
Thanks, Community Partner



THERE IS A NEED FOR GBV-SPECIFIC HEALTHCARE

During Purple Clinic:

- 600 referrals received, with a growing waitlist
- 250 patients received medical care
- 77% of survivors had both physical and mental health diagnoses



HEALTHCARE DELIVERY MUST ACCOUNT FOR SURVIVORS' FINANCIAL HEALTH

- 1 in 3 could not afford stable phone access – limiting telehealth options
- 1 in 5 were food insecure
- 40% were in shelter
- 40% were uninsured
- Patients re-entered or stayed in abusive situations to pay medical bills



Healthcare is focused on screening for survivors, but little data exist on post-identification best practices in healthcare delivery.

CLINICAL CARE INFORMS ESSENTIAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION

- 1,000+ service providers trained in trauma-informed care
- Multiple research publications on health disparities and human trafficking