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The Pregnancy Care Center/Elinor Martin Residence for Mother and Child announce a strategic partnership with The Children's Village

New York, NY – November 21, 2018. The Elinor Martin Residence and The Children's Village will form a strategic partnership to provide expanded and comprehensive services to women who reside at the EMR.

According to Sarah Keating, PCC/EMR Board Member who spearheaded the partnership, "The Board of Directors and I are thoroughly delighted to have such an excellent partner in The Children's Village. Together we will become a strong force in providing services needed to help women who want to parent, to alleviate the suffering from homelessness, and lead positive and independent lives."

The Children's Village will bring their considerable expertise in housing pregnant and parenting women, with the goal of preparing clients for positive and independent lives. They will also provide back-office administrative support.

With this new support, the Elinor Martin Residence will be able to increase the number of residences currently in operation, meeting the increased demand from women who are in distressed situations because they are pregnant.

If you would like to learn more, the Elinor Martin Residence will be hosting an OPEN HOUSE on **Wednesday, December 5 from 11am-1pm.**

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The Elinor Martin Residence for Mother and Child offers emotional, spiritual, and material resources including advocacy, referrals, life skills training, and a residential program for mothers and babies that prepares them for transition to independent living. The mission of EMR is to reach out with compassion to the distressed pregnant and/or parenting woman, help her deal with her concerns, and support her in the continuation of her pregnancy and the care of her child.

<https://emr4motherandchild.org/>

Founded in 1851, **The Children's Village** is a charitable organization that specializes in working with the most vulnerable children and families in the New York metropolitan area and beyond. The Children's Village reaches 10,000 children, teens and families each year through a variety of innovative community-based and residential programs. All its programs are designed to keep children safe and families together. <http://www.childrensvillage.org>