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Kids in Crisis Find Some Comfort with Goodman-Donated HVAC Systems for Houston Care Provider

HOUSTON, April 17, 2017 – Very young children in crisis due to abuse, neglect or the effects of HIV need both emotional and physical comfort, so when the air conditioning systems failed at Casa de Esperanza de los Niños, a Houston care provider, Goodman Manufacturing stepped in to help.

Translated as “House of Hope for Children,” Casa de Esperanza has cared for more than 5,500 at-risk children and their families since Kathy Foster and Bill Jones began their mission with a tiny home and \$500 some 35 years ago. Foster and Jones now run 10 houses in a neighborhood that’s given many at-risk children their first experience of living in a real home.

“Goodman helping us be able to provide needed care allows these children to have an extremely different life,” explains Foster. “Otherwise, many would grow up never knowing what a home looks like.”

It is a significant donation, says Foster, because no fees are charged for Casa de Esperanza’s services, including adoptions. The non-profit relies on donations instead of government funding, which it does not receive.

Goodman teamed up with the Greater Houston Builder’s Association (GHBA) and HVAC dealer Airteam, Ltd. to install new, complete HVAC systems in three of Casa de Esperanza’s homes.

“Goodman is proud to support Casa de Esperanza with new, energy efficient HVAC systems,” says Edward Neumann, manager, National Accounts for Goodman. “Many thanks to the Greater Houston Builders Association for inviting Goodman Manufacturing to participate in this project. A special thank you goes to Derrick Tatum and the professionals at Airteam who did an outstanding job installing the new systems.”

“I just think,” Foster says, “that for the children who come to live at Casa de Esperanza in a place that is safe, well maintained and where their needs are met gives them an experience in life that they’ve never had.”

For more about Casa de Esperanza, visit www.casahope.org.

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Lori Hudalla, recruitment and personnel coordinator, Casa de Esperanza, next to one of three new condensing units donated by Goodman Manufacturing.

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