

Contento Social Homes

Contento Social Homes exists to improve the support for survivors of domestic abuse and their children by providing safe accommodation and skills to improve their wellbeing.

CHALLENGE

During the pandemic Contento Social Homes started to receive a massive increase in referrals from women, particularly women trying to leave situations of domestic abuse but the refugee centres did not have the capacity to help.

SOLUTION

One landlord offered to sell, ensuring long-term security for the organisation and its female users. This caused them to seek funding for property purchase

REVENUE

Contento Social Homes received £130,000 from Social Investment Business, in the form of a loan from the Recovery Loan Fund, a £130,000 grant and £7,500 Restricted Support Grant.

IMPACT

Social investment allowed Contento Social Homes to buy property for women escaping abuse, ensuring security and providing transportation and maintenance.



6 years
Duration



7.9%
Cost of Capital



£358,000
Turnover



£267,500
Amount invested



Blended
Product type

