



Frequently Asked Questions

What is Women Build?

The mission of Habitat for Humanity's Women Build program is to recruit, educate and nurture women to build and advocate for stable and affordable housing in their communities.

Do I need construction expertise or experience?

No! We will provide you with all the safety gear, tools, and know-how you will need. Our talented volunteer Crew Leaders will show you the ropes.

Are men allowed?

Yes, men are welcome. Women Build provides a place for women to learn the skills needed to build a home, but that does not exclude men from participating.

Are youth allowed?

Children and youth of all ages can assist with fundraising efforts; however, participants must be 18 years or older to volunteer on the build site.

When is Women Build?

For the first time in Orange County, Women Build is expanding into Fall build shifts on top of Spring shifts in an effort to create a year round community. Our Fall 2018 build shifts will be October 19 & 20 and Spring 2019 build shifts will take place early May 2019.

How does it work?

Women from all walks of life join together for a week-long effort to build a home for a family in need of affordable housing in our community. Fundraising takes place the few months before build week to help fund the home you will be building on.

How do I fundraise?

You can help us reach our \$30,000 goal many different ways! You can:

1. Host a fundraising party – need ideas? We've got you covered!
2. Create a fundraising page with Habitat – ask us how!
3. Make a personal donation at www.orangehabitat.org/womenbuild



Questions about Women Build? Reach out to Kaitlyn at kkopala@orangehabitat.org.