



Service-learning provides an opportunity for students to put classroom knowledge to work. I can read in textbooks about the struggles of being a single mom or of trying to keep food on the table, but until I enter their world and see their circumstances, there is no way I can truly relate. There is no greater experience than being able to help others while you help teach yourself and that's what the CASL program is all about.

— Amber Cook,
Social Work 212;
Isabel's House
Crisis Nursery



On the front cover, Nickie Manjon, a Biochemistry major from Union, Mo., served at the CoxHealth Medical/Surgical Unit.

On the back cover, Kyle Brown, an Exercise & Movement Science major from Springfield, served at the Discovery Center.

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▲ Social Work student Amber Cook (quoted at left) at Isabel's House Crisis Nursery