

Meet Mary!

Mary, a long-time resident of Porter, Texas, applied to our home repair program in hopes of getting the appropriate accessibility accommodations for her disability. Mary is 75 years old and has cardiac problems as well as spinal deformity. Her most significant concern was repairing her current wheelchair ramp, which was beginning to rot and fall apart. When we visited Mary's home, it became evident that she could also benefit from having a walk-in shower. She expressed great concern for her safety and felt powerless to do the repairs herself.

Through our partnership with the Texas Ramp Project and the Woodlands Methodist Church, we were able to fully rebuild Mary's wheelchair ramp and repair her porch awning. Our team was also able to connect with one of our vendors to remove Mary's old bathtub and install a new walk-in shower with grab bars. The new shower can now safely accommodate Mary and her shower chair. Mary now feels safer and more secure in her home. She can enjoy a higher quality of life with her new shower and ramp, being able to take a shower independently and move in and out of her home without any fear.

Habitat for Humanity of Montgomery County, Texas would like to thank all the volunteers and vendors who made this repair possible for Mary. Repairs made possible by our partnership with Houston Methodist, HFHI (Housing Plus), Texas Ramp Project, and the Woodlands Methodist Church. We would also like to extend our thanks to Houston Methodist, whose generous funding made this repair possible.

