At Safe-Hub, we envision a world where all young people access equal opportunities, strive to realize their full potential, and dare to dream.

Founded in South Africa in 2007, the Safe-Hub program and platform were born in the most neglected communities as a response to a history of inequality, cyclical poverty, and extreme resource scarcity. Our program has been honed over more than a decade of on-the-ground experience to build young people into great athletes and great people. Our platform has been intentionally designed to bring essential resources to traditionally marginalized communities while financially sustaining the Safe-Hub’s day-to-day operations.

Together, the Safe-Hub program and platform create an ecosystem for meaningful and long term social and economic change for the next generation of community and world leaders.

THE SAFE-HUB PROGRAM

SAFE SPACES
Young people thrive in stable and consistent spaces.

SPORT-BASED LEARNING
Young people succeed when they're challenged and engaged.

COACH-MENTORSHIP
Young people deserve values-based role models.

At the Safe-Hub, young people can grow and learn with the peace of mind that they are in a physically and emotionally safe space. Through soccer, young people learn respect, teamwork, self-control, perseverance, and life-skills critical to succeeding on and off the field. Well-trained and well-resourced young adults build their own skills as coaches while molding the next generation of leaders through values-based coaching.

THE SAFE-HUB PLATFORM

COMMUNITY RESOURCE HUB
The Safe-Hub is built to house and support local essential service providers, including social, legal, and financial professionals, and youth development and job skill training partners. The Safe-Hub brings economic opportunity and access to the heart of the community to cultivate a local economic development and opportunity zone.

SUSTAINABLE AND RESPONSIBLE SCALE
After capital investment, the Safe-Hub can financially sustain itself. Through facility and field subletting, advertising, and a modest fee-for-service model, the Safe-Hub generates the revenue necessary to maintain high quality programs and employ local leaders.

The self-sustaining model also allows for Safe-Hubs to be responsibly replicated throughout the city, across the country, and around the world to provide opportunity to every person, every day, every moment.

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