



ITC Summary of Programs

The Intersection to Care (ITC) program is a collaboration between the Rotary Club of Community Action Against Human Trafficking, Mirror Work for Success, and Shawnee County Adult Detention Center. ITC's purpose is to provide a comprehensive reintegration program for women leaving incarceration by helping them develop goals, a reentry plan, obtain the resources needed to meet these goals, and make post release referrals. Our goal is to cultivate strong community partnerships to reduce recidivism, remove barriers and assist in stable reentry.

Intersection to Care, Rotary Community Action Against Human Trafficking - Intersection to Care is a very dynamic and growing program with many facets. In addition to the programs listed below, ITC provides resources including clothing and other basic needs, phones, bus passes, and more.

Mentor Program, Community Volunteers - Women are intentionally partnered with a mentor to help them prepare for release by meeting regularly to develop goals and to help with reintegration post release. Mentors receive training through the FPI (Family Peace Initiative)

*12 active mentors, 47 active released mentees, 12 currently incarcerated mentees, more than 100 mentored in 2025

Movement & Meditation, Michelle Kerr - This program teaches women how to make a mind-body connection, helping them learn empowerment techniques and self-development through exercise and meditation. *Every Wednesday and Friday

Health Choices/Health Education, Shawnee County Health Department, Shelley Ramos – This program presents a variety of topics regarding healthy eating, lifestyle choices, relationships, and healthcare information covered in an open forum.

*Bi-weekly Thursdays

Doula Service, Topeka Doula Project - Incarcerated women who are pregnant receive education, support, and guidance during pregnancy, labor and birth, and postpartum period. Services continue post-release.

Sober Living Housing Assistance – Rotary Against Human Trafficking Foundation utilizes grant funds to assist individuals released from SNCO jail into stable housing. The reentry team and housing coordinator collaborate to find suitable housing prior to release. ITC has provided 64 women with housing assistance in the last 12 months.

Colors of Strength Art Therapy, Jennifer Montgomery & Kristen Shook – This program utilizes color and art to show women how to identify their strengths and fears. The focus is on identity, healing, and growth. Healing In Color art exhibit was held March 19, 2026.