

*We Believe...*

- Violence is not a solution to any problem
- Every person is endowed with a sacred dignity
- Every person is capable of changing, healing, and being restored



*We Pledge To...*

- Respect the dignity of every person
- Overcome violence with love and compassion
- Accompany and support anyone affected by crime on their healing journey
- Be an instrument of restoration, forgiveness, and reconciliation



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*Our vision is for a safer community where everyone belongs. We hope to accomplish this by transforming lives impacted by crime through healing services and relationships.*

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**Transforming Lives  
Impacted by Crime through  
Healing Services & Relationships**



*Our professional staff and an army of volunteers offer programs, services, homes & relationships that empower mind-body-spirit & community transformation.*



*Our Approach*

Restorative Partners practices Restorative Justice, an approach to crime or wrongdoing that centers on:

- The harm that has been done to people and relationships
- The obligations and responsibilities this harm creates
- Justice that involves wrongdoers, victims and community members in efforts to heal the harm and right the wrong

*Restorative justice acknowledges our interconnectedness as human beings.*





## A Friend in Need

*"If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other."*

- Mother Teresa

The **RP Mentorship Program** affirms this belonging and strengthens our community, as volunteers walk alongside returning citizens, and welcome individuals home after incarceration. Relationship is the intervention to transform and rebuild lives. Mentors do this in a number of ways:

- Connect Mentee with the **Community** through recreational and social activities.
- Provide **Resources** to guide and support mentees' needs such as social services, employment services, community college, transport & housing.
- Provide consistent and nonjudgmental **Companionship** to guide, support, and inspire people who have recently been incarcerated.

*Commitment: 1 year for 4-6 hours/month*

### Mentee Needs

- Community Support
- Individual Guidance
- Resources
- Companionship
- Recreation
- Recovery
- Healthy Relationships

# The Best Journey Starts with a Home

## Every Person is Capable of Changing, Healing & Being Restored

Restorative Partners manages sober living homes that encourage recovery, community building, personal growth and practical support for people coming out of incarceration. Our trauma-informed approach addresses the body, mind, and spiritual elements of healing, recovery, and reincorporation back into the community.

We provide 24/7 supervision, transportation, 12 Step Meetings and Book Study, life skills training, mentorship, system navigation, recreational activities, exercise and wellness, gym passes, spiritual counseling, and drug and alcohol treatment. Other services include assistance with realizing short and long term goals including workplace readiness, employment and volunteer opportunities, education (i.e. GED, college and vocational training), family reunification, and permanent housing.



**Anna's Home**  
for Women and Children

Located in Paso Robles and named for the mother of our Executive Director and founder, Anna's Home provides women and children a place to work through challenges and take the next steps forward with their lives.



**LyonHeart Place**  
Francis House & Joseph House

LyonHeart Place sits on 2.3 acres in the San Luis Obispo countryside and includes two homes for men: Francis House and Joseph House. Opened in 2018, this property is the birthplace of our program for state parolees.



**Hope House for Women**  
Rapha House for Men

Hope House for Women and Rapha House for Men are situated in the rural community of Los Osos. They are close to public transportation, programs and services.

These four homes receive referrals from State Parole, County Probation, Drug and Alcohol Services, Homeless Services, court diversion programs, as well as self-pay clients. Additionally, Restorative Partners provides Department of Health Care Services certified Addiction Treatment services for our Specialized Treatment for Optimized Programming funded parolees. Clients participate in weekly individual and group counseling sessions.



## In Reach

We offer over 20 programs in-custody at the San Luis Obispo County Jail and Juvenile Hall, including:

- Therapeutic Art and Music
- Alternatives to Violence Project workshops
- Spiritual Counseling
- Yoga and Meditation
- Sports Programs
- Chess and Ping Pong
- Gardening
- Computer Programming classes
- Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Sessions

### We Need You!

We invite you to partner with us to transform ourselves and our community.

### Volunteer

Restorative Partners is always looking for volunteers who can lead or accompany our in-custody programs, provide mentorship to returning citizens in our reentry program, and assist in our main office.

### Give

In addition, you can support our work through financial and in-kind donations.

### Events

You can also get involved through event sponsorship or donations, or one-time event volunteering.

