

Project Renew: Opening Doors to Recovery and Reentry

Because people can and do recover.

Project Renew connects at-risk and justice-involved individuals with resources and provides free legal assistance to support their reentry and recovery.



Casey went to jail for missing a drug screening. She had no charges since 2018. Upon release, she borrowed a computer from Project Renew and completed her GED so can have a better life for her five children.

Lee lost his driver's license 20 years ago because of a fine. Lack of transportation prevented his children from attending extracurriculars. Jordan decided he was not missing his son's graduation! A Project Renew Attorney got the fines dismissed. He had a new sense of freedom, driving to see his son walk across the stage.



Dean left jail with a garbage bag of belongings. After rehab, Dean called Project Renew, which he had heard about in jail. They found him transitional housing. He is now working at a grocery store and doing well with probation.



Provided resources and connected with **580 at-risk or incarcerated individuals**

Provided legal help on **300 issues**, benefitting **362 adults and 82 children**

Expungement



52

records expunged

Issues

Divorce, custody, child support, Social Security benefits, IRS issues, expungements, bankruptcy, public benefits, license suspension, wills and power of attorney documents

Outreach

22

Community Site Connections



800

Children's Books Given to Low-Income Families with Legal Information

Wraparound Services



100 gas cards



20 data cards



warning order attorney fee



Paid utilities



4 birth certificates (172 total)



12 tax returns/stimulus money



14 people housed because of referrals



Glasses