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- 1. Safer Foundation** Safer Foundation is dedicated to promoting successful reentry and reducing recidivism through employment, education, and support services in Illinois and Iowa.
(312) 922-2200, <http://www.saferfoundation.org/>, info@saferfoundation.org
Safer Foundation, 571 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60661
- 2. Hope House of Chicago** Hope House of Chicago provides an essential lifeline to anyone in urgent need.
(773) 521-8442, <http://hopehouseofchicago.org/>, HopeHouseCharity@gmail.com
Hope House of Chicago, 3551 West. Roosevelt Rd., Chicago, IL 60624
- 3. Godly Restoration Outreach to Women** GROW'S Jail Ministry is dedicated to meeting the needs of women during and after incarceration. While in jail, we help women to discover the life change resulting from a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. GROW provides the tools necessary for women to leave jail with a greatly reduced risk of returning to jail in the future.
(309) 786-4769, <http://www.growministry.org/>, growministry@sbcglobal.net
GROW Ministries, Inc., 3900 18th Ave., Rock Island, IL 61201
- 4. Koinonia House National Ministries** The mission of Koinonia House National Ministries is to equip and assist local Koinonia Houses, the local church, and organizations or individual attached to the local church, as they enable Christian inmates to go from prison to the local church, the workplace, and society through biblical discipleship.
(630) 221-9930, <http://www.koinoniahouse.org/>, info@khnmm.net
Koinonia House National Ministries, P.O. Box 1415, Wheaton, IL 60187
- 5. City of Chicago: Ex-Offender Re-entry Initiatives** The issue of prisoner reentry has taken on new urgency in recent years, as tens of thousands of formerly incarcerated individuals have returned to our city seeking a fresh start. For too long, the challenges facing these individuals were largely ignored.
(312) 744- 8045, http://www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/mayor/supp_info/ex-offender_re-entryinitiatives.html, Rahm.emanuel@cityofchicago.org
Chicago City Hall-Office of the Mayor, 121 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60602
- 6. The Reentry Project** The Reentry Project is managed by a steering committee of formerly incarcerated women and men, service providers, educators and advocates, assisted by CCH community organizer Rachel Ramirez. It addresses barriers to community reentry, with a focus on improving access to housing and employment.
(312) 641-4140, <http://www.chicagohomeless.org>, rachel@chicagohomeless.org
Chicago Coalition for the Homeless, 70 East Lake St., Ste. 720, Chicago, IL 60601
- 7. RITAS Ministry (Restoring Inmates to America's Society)** Changing hearts saves lives. The Mission of RITAS Ministry is to help offenders reintegrate back into the society as productive citizens, as well as offering support to their families.
(630) 966-0252, <http://www.ritasministry.org/>, info@ritasministry.org 2
RITAS Ministry, 568 W. Galena Blvd., Aurora, IL 60506
- 8. F.A.I.T.H. Inc. (For Action in Togetherness Holdfast)** Assist formerly incarcerated individuals obtaining forms, ID's, and other needs and services for reentry. Help obtaining, state ID, driver's license, counseling and other services. Networks with other agencies to locate housing, education, advocacy, legal assistance, health and other treatments.
(773) 626-2429, <http://reverendcrawford91.wix.com/faithinc>, reverendcrawford91@gmail.com
F.A.I.T.H. Inc., 5840 W. Chicago Ave., 2nd Fl., Chicago, IL 60651
- 9. TASC's Corrections and Community Reentry** TASC works in collaboration with the Illinois Department of Corrections (IDOC) and the Illinois Department of Human Services, Division of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse (DASA) to provide a range of services for men and women being released from Illinois prisons.
(312) 787-0208, <http://www.tasc.org>, akusiak@tasc.org
Treatment Alternatives for Safe Communities, 700 S. Clinton St., Chicago, IL 60607

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10. **Chicago Jobs Council** Assists in finding formerly incarcerated individuals employment options, city-funded services, social services and welfare, and career consultation.

(312) 252-0460, <http://www.chc.net>, carrie@cj.net
CJC, 29 E. Madison St., Ste. 1700, Chicago, IL 60602

11. **Michael Barlow Center - St. Leonard's Ministries Program** Education, job training, and job placement for formerly incarcerated men and women. Orientations held every Monday at 3:00pm.

(312) 226-6270, Ext. 11, <http://slministries.org/>, mbcdir@slministries.org
St. Leonard's Ministries, 2120 West Warren Blvd., Chicago, IL 60612

12. **Men & Women in Prison Ministries Universal House of Refuge Center** Information about housing, case management, medical care, substance abuse treatment, counseling, and supportive services in Illinois.

(312) 328-9610, <http://www.mwipm.com>, rev.green@mwipm.com
MWIPM, 10 W. 35th St., Chicago, IL 60616

13. **Brighter Behavior Choices, Inc.** Transitional housing for formerly incarcerated women who face homelessness and unemployment.

(773) 252-2900, <http://www.northlightarchitects.com/>, frank@northlightarchitects.com
Northlight Architects, 2823 North Milwaukee Ave., Ste. B, Chicago, IL 60618

14. **Wayside Cross – New Life Corrections Ministry** provides reentry services in and out of prison.

(630)-723-3412 <http://waysidecross.org/new-life-corrections-ministry/> tdavidson@waysidecross.org