



"Grace House"

Transitional Residence Program

## Mission Statement

*"To provide a smooth transition to community life for women recently released from a correctional facility, who have demonstrated a consistent commitment to change, by providing a highly structured program."*

The "Grace House" Transitional Residence Program is a shelter which provides vital community services to homeless parolees (individuals recently released from a New York State correctional facility). These men and women are unable to find suitable housing and are all homeless upon their release from incarceration. Thus, Grace House exists (with separate homes for men and women) to offer them a home as well as mentoring, introduction to life skills training, and are equipping with skills necessary to manage life affairs and become productive members of society. Length of stay is up to one year, while the average length of stay is four to six months. There are many ways the residents assist neighbors and improve the community. Examples are ***shoveling, landscaping, home improvement.***

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