

## Angela's Story

Transitions succeeded for "Angela." Before we met her, she was in a downward spiral due to years of drug addiction and poor choices. When she was no longer able to care for her son, he was sent to live with his paternal grandparents. In this broken state, Angela found herself homeless and newly pregnant — a terrifying situation for one who had already burned all of her bridges and had no one left to whom she could turn.

In desperation Angela turned to Transitions. After giving birth to a beautiful baby girl, Angela and her daughter moved into a Transitions apartment. That was just the beginning! Soon she found the confidence to pursue her lifelong goal of becoming a nurse. With the support of Transitions, Angela got clean and sober, earned her GED, and went to community college and nursing school where she earned her degree in May. She is now embarking on her dream as a nurse and is working toward a permanent home for her family. Angela's transformation came through faith, determination, and hard work. We are incredibly proud of Angela and the many women like her.

Perhaps you didn't realize that you have the ability to make dreams come true but you do! You are the reason we are able to help homeless women like Angela and their children.