

## Our Services

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Free Pregnancy Tests

Earn While You Learn  
Education Program

Abortion Recovery Help

## We Are Open:

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Tues - Wed - Thurs

11:00 - 5:00

Walk-ins Welcome!

## Contact Us:

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Address:

902 D Avenue,  
La Grande, OR 97850

Office Phone:

(541) 963-6918

24-Hour Hotline:

1(800) 712-4357

Website:

NextStepPIC.org

## Our Board

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# NextSTEP

## Pregnancy Information Center

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## Surrendering the Secret

### *An Abortion Recovery Group Testimony*

"Hello, my name is Amanda. When I was 20 I got pregnant and give birth in March when I was 21. It was just the two of us. In October I got pregnant again. I was devastated. I didn't know how I was going to take care of two babies. So I made the choice not to keep the baby. I called Next Step and they told me they don't refer to abortion clinics so I researched and found one on my own. I was young, scared, and didn't know what I was getting into. When I got there they did an ultrasound; I was having twins. Faced with this news I started to have second thoughts, but the abortion clinic doesn't give you time for that. They just keep going on with the procedure. It was the worst thing I have ever gone through! It makes you feel ashamed, dirty, and sad. I didn't want people to know what I had done.

Years later I had a friend talk to me about the abortion recovery program Next Step offers and the healing it brought her. I prayed about it and decided God was telling me it was time. I started "Surrendering the Secret" with an open mind, hoping for healing. What I got was so much more. I got answers to prayers and more healing than I could have ever asked for. I found out...



## Our Purpose

Next Step PIC exists to encourage and equip women and men to build successful families.

We are a religious non-profit and as such all your contributions, financially or materially, are tax-deductible!

If you want to donate online and/or become a monthly supporter, go to [NextStepPIC.org](http://NextStepPIC.org) and click on "Support Us."

## Volunteer Receptionists Needed!

We are looking for volunteers to be receptionists over the summer. These women will have simplified duties and be at Next Step with a client advocate during a three-hour shift. Responsibilities include greeting visitors, answering the phone, checking in clients, and offering hospitality. Please call our office (541- 963-6918) and ask for an application.

... God has forgiven me and my twins are warriors in Heaven. I prayed God would reveal my babies' gender and help me name them. God did just that! The next day there was a commercial on the radio that said, "Amanda I gave you a son." I knew this was an answer to my prayer and I had two sons in Heaven.

God brings healing and forgiveness. God doesn't want us living with shame. This changed my life so much I now want to help other women with healing. If you feel you could benefit from this program please reach out to Next Step. I promise you will not regret it."

## Memorial Garden Completion

The arrival of spring brought a flurry of activity to our Memorial Garden. The chairs and cushions arrived, flowers were planted, and the first batch of remembrance plates were ordered.



The Memorial Garden is designed to be a safe haven in our community for those who have experienced reproductive loss due to abortion, miscarriage, or stillbirth. While the loss of a baby brings grief and pain, we want this garden not to be a sad place, but a beautiful sanctuary to remember, celebrate, and heal.

If you have experienced reproductive loss and would like to order a remembrance plate to be placed in the Memorial Garden, please come into the office or visit our website ([NextStepPIC.org](http://NextStepPIC.org)) and navigate to the "Services" tab and then select "Memorial Garden." You may fill the form out online or print and mail it to us. Remembrance plates will be \$15 each.