



We Are Looking for New Members!!!

We Need Your Support!!!

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We Are Determined
We are Successful

BECOME AN ICTC MEMBER

I would like to introduce the important work of the International Center for Traditional Childbearing (ICTC) and encourage you to become an ICTC Member. In truth, we are confident that with your support, we will influence the **decrease** of infant mortality in African American Communities and **increase** positive birth outcomes; train culturally aware prenatal and perinatal providers and continue connecting laboring mothers and their families with complete pregnancy support services.

If you are not yet familiar, ICTC is a non-profit, tax exempt, culturally diverse, pregnancy support and health promotion organization headquartered in Portland, OR, with chapters forming across the nation. Currently, we provide doula services to an increasing amount of women monthly as well as training opportunities through our Full Circle Doula Program and rights of Passage Midwife Training Program. As a whole, we strive to positively impact the lives of the unborn, newborn, mothers, fathers and their families; through education, breastfeeding promotion, and overall self-care. ICTC also offers free pregnancy testing and resources, prenatal and parenting classes, doulas and complete pregnancy support.

Most of our services are either free or on a sliding scale rate. Only through support from our communities by way of Memberships, volunteering, sponsoring and grant funding are we able to continue to encourage, guide and provide resources for pregnant mothers and new parents. We are fully committed to the empowerment of women, increasing positive birth outcomes and decreasing infant mortality in African American Communities.

We invite and welcome all who share our passion and support our mission to become a member! It's the Health Care Advocates, Doulas, Healers, Midwives and all others who desire to help our struggling women and families that we consider the "back bone" of ICTC. Your membership is truly appreciated!

Impart: We strive to follow the moral and ethical guidance of our learned Midwives and Healers of past. Any woman that reaches out **will** receive a hand.