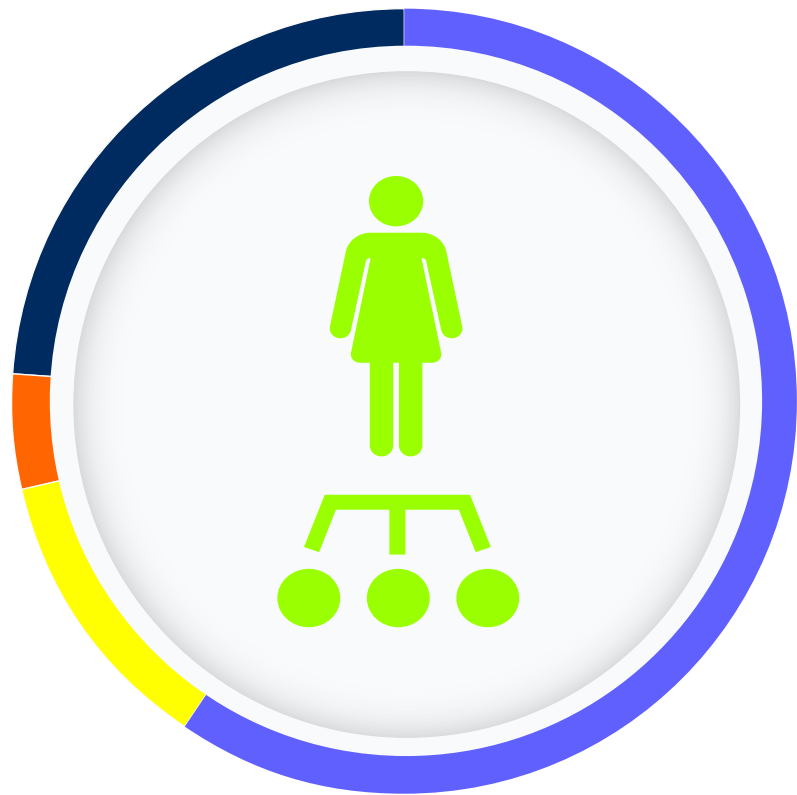
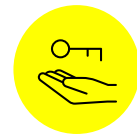


2016

PROGRAM IMPACT



2500 FEMININE PRODUCTS



500 CONTRACEPTIVES



200 CLOTHING ITEMS & SHOES



1000 HYGIENE ITEMS & FOOD SUPPLIES

LEADERSHIP IMPACT

- **Recruitment redesign** was the focus of the year to achieve more intimate and quality support for the women.
- Sister organization, NGO Árbol De Esperanza, moved into their **first official office space**.
- RTE's **"Ready to Shop" room** was launched to offer clothing and hygiene products.
- Collaboration with "The Sewing Machine Project" occurred to **help women earn an income**.
- **Elective classes** were created to offer additional support outside of "empowerment programs".
- **International volunteers** grew to 20 volunteers from 2 countries.
- RTE partnered with local Costa Rican businesses to offer **job training and internships**.
- Ready to Empower hosted **3 successful fundraiser events** to cover operational costs and secured ongoing donors.
- The RTE database was revamped to help collect **meaningful data**.

>70 women in empowerment programs



70
Attended group therapy



70
Participated in recreational events and graduation ceremonies



50
Attended job training & participated in internships



40
Received individual therapy



26
Received medical support



24
Gained employment



19
Attended education classes



8
Received dental support



7
Received legal support & protective orders