



## Ford County ROSC FY24 Gap Analysis

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Existing State	Target State
Local recovery housing opportunities are non-existent.	Minimum of one recovery home in Ford County including a potential partnership with Oxford House.
There are no inpatient recovery treatment centers in Ford County. The nearest location is up to 30+ miles away.	Expansion of transportation service hours to aid in increasing accessibility for inpatient treatment services outside of county limits.
Outpatient recovery services are extremely limited, with current waitlists being months long.	Increased availability and offerings of outpatient recovery services. Additionally, execution of a “telehealth café” where folks have easier access to telehealth services and supports. Lastly,

	expansion of transportation services to meet the demands of out-of-county travels for recovery services.
Minimal recovery supports or groups exist with limited diversity of meeting dates and times.	Increase meeting offerings to include more diversity of step and faith-based meetings while identifying a champion(s) that would be able to facilitate and sustain these meetings. Additionally, offer more diverse meeting dates/times to accommodate various recovery needs and supports. Lastly, implement an open recovery support meeting that is fully inclusive of all paths of challenges and recovery.
There is an extreme lack of public transportation, not only to out of county services, but within Ford County as well.	A sustainable and reliable transportation option, offering extended service hours, for individuals in need of local and non-local resources.
Overall stigma and lack of understanding surrounding SUD (Substance Use Disorder)/MH (Mental Health).	A supportive community with an understanding of SUD/MH/and recovery. By reducing the stigma, our community will have room to build on resources for individuals and families in

	<p>need. We will have a collaborative community where individuals feel free to be open and share their struggles. We will work to bring awareness and understanding through education and a stigma reduction campaign.</p>
<p>Stigma and lack of understanding surrounding multiple paths to recovery, including MAR (Medication Assisted Recovery), Harm Reduction, etc.</p>	<p>Multiple paths to recovery acknowledge that everyone is unique and that their journey to recovery will also be unique. We want to generate an understanding and acceptance of multiple paths to recovery throughout the community, as well as within the recovery community.</p>
<p>Lack of harm reduction services.</p>	<p>An expansion of current harm reduction resources, including availability of NARCAN® cabinets and Fentanyl test strips throughout the county. With stigma being one of the biggest barriers in these harm reduction initiatives, we will work to bring awareness and understanding through education and a stigma reduction campaign.</p>