



Recovery Oriented System of Care
ROSC Council
Meeting Minutes

Location: Zoom
Date: January, 18th, 2024
Time: 1:00- 2:00pm

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Agency Updates
3. Presenter – Shelley Crary – Oxford House Re-entry
4. Questions, Comments, & Discussion

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Sign In:
25 Attendees
8 PLE

Notes:

The January meeting for the West Central Illinois ROSC was a great success. We had representation from at least 14 different agencies. Agencies represented included; Knox College, Oxford House, Carle Health Care, Bridgeway, Prairie State Legal Services, Dupage County ROSC, Knox County Drug Court, Knox Community Health Center, IDHS-SUPR, Chestnut Health Systems, The Ascent Church, ROE 33, Goodwill, Knox County Health Department and more. Our monthly presenter was Shelley Crary of Oxford House. Shelley went through the Oxford House model and requirements for the program. Ms. Crary highlighted the options for individuals who are being released from a jail or prison to have housing through Oxford House. An in depth discussion took place following the presentation in reference to resistance due to stigma. WCI ROSC council members were highly engaged and found the presentation informative. WCI ROSC has met with superiors to discuss upcoming projects, review strategic plan, and hire a new coordinator for the McDonough/ Fulton County ROSC.

Welcome

ROSC Mission:

“Collaborating to build and empower communities of recovery”

ROSC Vision:

- People can and do recover.
- Individuals and families determine the supports and services they need.
- Services and supports are continuous and cohesive across different phases of care and are coordinated across the various agencies involved in their delivery.
- Support of recovery is a community responsibility and value.
- There is inherent flexibility in the system, so it can be responsive to different pathways to recovery.
- Measuring quality and outcomes is a system priority.

ROSC Values:

- Recognize the right of a person to direct their own recovery
- Recognizing that there are many models of, and paths to, recovery
- Operate with integrity and a sense of personal responsibility
- Include the “voice” of peers, family members, and the community in planning and decision-making
- Implement programs with competency and good stewardship
- Empower individuals and families
- Embrace cultural diversity

ROSC Goals:

- Inform, educate and empower individuals and communities
- Determine existing services available as well as the needs to expand necessary services in the areas of prevention, treatment, peer recovery support and systems improvement
- Partnerships that are rich and diverse
- Increase in the number of people pursuing recovery, improving recovery capital to strengthen capacity to build and maintain lives in recovery and build recovery sustainability