The purpose of this survey is to measure public opinion on issues related to recovery. The information collected will be used to identify areas for improvement in our community. Your responses are confidential so please answer the questions honestly and to the best of your ability. Thank you for completing this survey.

- 1. People who use drugs deserve respect.
  - 1-Strongly Disagree
  - 2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

2. People with a mental illness deserve respect.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

3. Medication Assisted Recovery-MAR (which is the use of medications to treat substance use disorders e.g., methadone or buprenorphine to treat opioid use disorder) is an effective treatment for substance use disorders.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

4. It is difficult to find healthcare providers who offer Medication Assisted Recovery-MAR (which is the use of medications to treat substance use disorders e.g., methadone or buprenorphine to treat opioid use disorder) in my community.

- Strongly Disagree
  Disagree
  Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral
  Agree
  Strongly Agree
- 5. Harm reduction services like Narcan and syringe service programs reduce the risks of drug use.

1-Strongly Disagree

2-Disagree

3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral

4-Agree

5-Strongly Agree

6. It is difficult to find harm reduction services like Narcan and syringe service programs in my community.

- 1-Strongly Disagree
- 2-Disagree
- 3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral
- 4-Agree
- 5-Strongly Agree

7. It is difficult to find mental health and substance use treatment services in my community.

- 1-Strongly Disagree 2-Disagree
- 3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral
- 4-Agree
- 5-Strongly Agree

8. We should increase government funding on treatment options for mental health and substance use disorders.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

9. Everyone in my community can get help for mental health regardless of income level, insurance status, race, ethnicity, primary language, disabilities, gender identity, sexual orientation, or citizenship status.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

10. Everyone in my community can get help for substance use regardless of income level, insurance status, race, ethnicity, primary language, disabilities, gender identity, sexual orientation, or citizenship status.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

11. Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and traumatic experiences in childhood are linked to increased risk of substance use in adulthood. Individuals with a history of trauma are at a higher risk of substance use disorder compared to those without trauma history.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

12. Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and traumatic experiences in childhood have been identified as a significant risk factor for developing mental health disorders in adulthood.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

13. Trauma- informed care (TIC) considers the traumatic impact on an individual's life, wellbeing, and the path to recovery. TIC is proven to help individuals struggling with substance use and mental health.

Strongly Disagree
 Disagree
 Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral
 Agree
 Strongly Agree

14. Do you or someone you know struggle with substance use or mental health challenges?

1- Myself

- 2- Spouse, child, or family member
- 3- Friend or acquaintance
- 4- N/A

15. Are you in recovery or do you know someone in recovery from substance use or mental health challenges?

1- Myself

2- Spouse, child, or family member

- 3- Friend or acquaintance
- 4- N/A

16. People become homeless for a variety of reasons, but the most common factor is they cannot find affordable housing.

- Strongly Disagree
  Disagree
  Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral
  Agree
- 5-Strongly Agree

17. Individuals experiencing homelessness in rural communities are often undercounted because of the lack of shelters and homeless services available.

1-Strongly Disagree2-Disagree3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral4-Agree5-Strongly Agree

18. Is homelessness affecting your community?

- 1- Yes
- 2- No
- 3- I don't know

19. Are you familiar with Franklin Williamson County Recovery Oriented System of Care (ROSC) Council (FWRC)?

- 1-Yes
- 2-No
- 20. If so, please tell us how you heard about us:
  - 1-Social Media
  - 2-Event or Outreach
  - 3- U.S Postal Service Mailer
  - 4- Newspaper or Media Ad
  - 5- Word of Mouth (Someone told you)
  - 6- N/A
- 21. If not, would you like to learn more about FWRC?
  - 1-Yes
  - 2-No

#### **Demographic Information**

### Age:

- Under 18
- 18-24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65 and over

#### Income level:

- Prefer not to say
- Under \$24,999
- \$25,000-\$49,999
- \$50,000-\$99,999
- \$100,000-and over

## Gender:

- Prefer not to self-identify
- Male
- Female
- Gender Fluid
- Nonbinary

Location:

- County:
- Zip Code:

## Ethnicity:

- Hispanic or Latino
- Non-Hispanic

# Race:

- African American/Black
- Asian
- Caucasian/White
- Native American
- Pacific Islander
- Two or more races

# Primary Language:

- English
- Spanish
- Mandarin
- French
- Arabic
- Other (specify)

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