

Lee/Whiteside County ROSC Community Needs Survey

Thank you for taking the time to answer this quick survey. 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 your 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-Disagree
- 3-Neither agree nor Disagree/Neutral
- 4-Agree
- 5-Strongly Agree

2. People with a mental illness deserve respect.

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

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

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

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:

- Ogle
- DeKalb
- Lee
- Whiteside
- Other

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)

1. I Am...

- In recovery from substance use disorder and/or mental health issue
- A community member with substance use and/or mental health issues
- A family member of someone in recovery
- A service provider(aw, education, health)
- Looking to get into recovery

2. What specific substances are problematic in your community? **(select all that apply)**

- Marijuana/THC
- Alcohol
- Stimulants(Cocaine/Meth/Speed)
- Hallucinogens
- Depressants/Opioids (Heroin/Fentanyl/Painkillers)

3. What places do you associate with drug use? **(select all that apply)**

- Parks
- Bars
- Schools
- Rivers/Forests

- Home
- Gas stations

4. Have you ever been trained to administer Narcan?

- YES
- NO

5. Have you ever worked with a therapist or a counselor on substance use or mental health issues?

- YES
- NO

6. Are finances an obstacle for you to get treatment for substance use or mental health issues?

- YES
- NO

7. Have you ever utilized a food pantry?

- YES
- NO

8. Do you have access to spiritual, social and cultural activities that support your recovery from substance use and/or mental health issues?

- YES
- NO

9. Do you believe that these community branches are supportive of people with substance use and/or mental health issues? **(select all that apply).**

- Social Services
- Religious Community
- Medical and Hospitals
- Education
- Law Enforcement
- Judiciary
- City Government
- Veteran Services
- Employers and Business
- Banking

10. Do you presently need assistance from any of the following? **(Select all that apply)**

- Transportation

- Medical
- Financial Education
- Daycare for Children
- Home nursing
- Food