Treatment Works.
Recovery Is Possible.



Consumer's Guide to Substance Use Treatment



### **Getting Started**

### Seek Help

Ask your family for help. Talk to your doctor about treatment. Contact a provider listed in this guide. Attend a 12-Step recovery meeting near you. Any first step is a good one.

# Choose a Treatment Provider/Attend a 12-Step Recovery Meeting

Contact one or more of the outpatient providers listed on the next several pages of this guide. Attend a 12-Step recovery meeting, like Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) or Narcotics Anonymous (NA). Meetings can be found by calling the phone numbers or connecting to the websites listed on the right of this page.

### Get an Assessment

Outpatient providers will help you identify your strengths and needs. This includes your health, your alcohol and drug history, anxiety, depression or other mental health needs, personal safety, and other issues. The assessment helps you and your provider develop a treatment plan tailored to your needs.

### Create a Treatment Plan

Your treatment plan may include participating in individual or group counseling, going to 12-Step recovery groups, gaining education about alcohol and drugs, learning how to avoid drinking and using, and other actions to help you recover from your substance use. If your provider thinks you would benefit from intensive outpatient or residential treatment options, they will help you find and gain admission to these services.

### **Keep Working At It!**

Addiction is a chronic disease. Many people in recovery have times when they begin to drink or use again.

If you are having trouble remaining substance free, don't give up! Call your provider and tell them what's happening. Go to a 12-Step meeting and ask for help. Help and support are available to help you learn new recovery tools and get back to the life you want.

While we strive to make the information in this guide comprehensive and accurate, change is constant and the listings may be incomplete or may become outdated. For the most up-to-date information, please contact the provider directly. To add or correct content, or give us feedback, please call (603) 653-6861.

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# PEER SUPPORT RECOVERY PROGRAMS

### **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS (AA)**

Peer support to stay sober and help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety www.nhaa.net 802-295-7611 (Vermont) 603-622-6967 (New Hampshire) 1-800-593-3330 (to talk to a live person)

### **AL-ANON / ALATEEN**

Peer support for friends and family who have a relationship with an alcoholic www.al-anon.org (National) www.nhal-anon.org (New Hampshire) www.vermontalanonalateen.org (Vermont) 603-369-6930 (NH Al-Anon/ Alateen) 866-972-5266 (VT Al-Anon/ Alateen)

### NAR-ANON, COCAINE ANONYMOUS

Peer support for friends and family of addicts www.nar-anon.org 800-477-6291

#### **NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS (NA)**

Peer support to stay clean www.na.org 603-645-4777 (New Hampshire) 802-773-5575 (Vermont)

### **SECOND GROWTH**

Facilitated peer support for teens and young adults seeking recovery www.secondgrowth.org 205 Billings Farm Road, Bldg. 1 White River Jct, VT 05001 802-295-9800

### **TURNING POINT CLUB**

Community center offering recovery coaching for people in recovery from substance abuse, addiction and addictive behavior secondwindfound.org
Second Wind Foundation
200 Olcott Drive
Wilder, VT 05088
802-295-5206

# TURNING POINT RECOVERY CENTER OF SPRINGFIELD, VT

7 Morgan Street Springfield, VT 05156 802-885-4668

### WITS END FOR PARENTS

Peer support for parents with children who are using drugs Wilder, VT 05088 802-295-5206

### **VERMONT OUTPATIENT SERVICES**



### **BEN FOX, LCMHC**

Fox Expressive Art Therapy, LLC 2095 South Pomfret Road South Pomfret, VT 05067 802-779-1524. All ages/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

#### BRATTLEBORO RETREAT

Anna Marsh Lane Brattleboro, VT 05301 802-258-3700, 800-738-7328. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **CAROL "BEN" COLLIER, LCSW**

144 Palmer Court White River Jct, VT 05001 802-649-8949. Adults/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

### CENTRAL VERMONT SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES

100 Hospitality Drive Berlin, VT 05641 802-223-4156. Ages 12+/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### CLARA MARTIN CENTER

1740 Lower Plain Bradford, VT 05033 802-222-4477.

11 North Main Street Randolph, VT 05060 802-728-4466. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### CLARA MARTIN CENTER

Quitting Time 39 Fogg Farm Road Wilder, VT 05088 802-295-1311. All Ages/Medicare/Medicaid/ Private Ins./Self Pay/Sliding Fee Scale

### C. F. Lord, MD

Connecticut Valley Recovery Services, Inc. 15 State Street Windsor, VT 05089 802-674-9400. Adults/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

#### **EILEEN LANZA, LCMHC, LADAC**

144 Palmer Court White River Jct, VT 05001 802-649-3045. Ages 12+/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

# GREEN MOUNTAIN FAMILY MED. OF WHITE RIVER JUNCTION

212 Holiday Drive, Suite 4 White River Jct, VT 05001 802-281-6364. Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins.

### **Treatment Color Key:**

Severe Mental Illness

■ Intensive Outpatient Program

### HABIT OPCO ■

16 Town Crier Drive Brattleboro, VT 05301 802-258-4623. Adults/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

# HEALTH CARE AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES of SE VT, ■

Mt. Ascutney Hospital and Health Center 289 County Road Windsor, VT 05089 802-674-7382. Adults/ Medicare/Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/Sliding Fee Scale

### HEALTH CARE AND REHABILITATIVE SERV. of SE VT ■ ■

390 River Street Springfield, VT 05156 802-886-4500. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### HEALTH CARE AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES of SE VT ■

49 School Street Hartford, VT 05047, 802-295-3031.

14 River Street Windsor, VT 05089 802-674-5971. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

#### **HIV/HCV RESOURCE CENTER**

Located at Good Neighbor Health Clinic 70 North Main Street White River Jct, VT 05001 603-448-8887. Mondays & Thursdays only, 2:30 – 4:30 ask for Laura. Offering free Naloxone (Narcan) nasal spray and syringe exchange services.

### KIMBERLY KNOWLTON-YOUNG, LICSW

144 Palmer Court White River Jct, VT 05001 339-440-1103. Ages 17+/Medicaid/Private Ins.

### LINDA MULLESTEIN, LCMHC, LADAC

Simmons House, Route 4 Woodstock, VT 05091 802-457-4110. All Ages/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### NORI BOKUM, MA

VT Lic. Psychologist Norwich, VT 05055 802-295-7500. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

- Opioid Treatment with Buprenorphine
- Opioid Treatment with Methadone

### **VERMONT RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT SERVICES**

### NORTHEAST KINGDOM HUMAN SERVICES Substance Abuse Division ■

2225 Portland Street St Johnsbury, VT 05819 802-748-1682. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### PAMELA ASHTON, MEd, LADC

Better Mind Solutions, LLC 35 Bank Street Bradford, VT 05033 802-449-3123. All Ages/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### PETER COLLIER, LCSW

144 Palmer Court White River Jct, VT 05001 802-649-8925. Adults/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

### **RICHARD ROOT, Ed.D**

Twin State Psychological Services 29 Ridgewood Road Springfield, VT 05156 802-885-5719. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **ROCKINGHAM MEDICAL GROUP**

1 Hospital Court Suite 9 Bellows Falls, VT 05101 802-463-2657. Adults/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **RON TREEM, LCMHC, LADAC**

Kime Associates 221 North Main Street White River Jct, VT 05001 802-885-1904. All Ages/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

#### **SECOND GROWTH**

205 Billings Farm Road, Bldg. 1 White River Jct, VT 05001 802-295-9800. Ages 12-30/ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### TURNING POINT RECOVERY CENTER OF SPRINGFIELD, VT 802-885-4668

7 Morgan Street Springfield, VT 05156 802-885-4668. Substance free dropin, support group, & referral center for people in recovery

### **UPPER VALLEY TURNING POINT**

Second Wind Foundation 200 Olcott Drive Wilder, VT 05088 802-295-5206.

#### **VETERAN'S ADMINISTRATION Med. Ctr.**

163 Veterans Drive White River Jct, VT 05001 802-295-9363. All Ages/ Veterans & their Families Only/ Military Ins. The following residential treatment centers accept a variety of payment options. Vermonters with no insurance or who have low income may be eligible for Medicaid assistance. Talk to your provider to find out if they accept Medicaid and can help you obtain coverage.

### **ACT ONE / BRIDGE PROGRAM**

Social Detox / Sobriety Maintenance 184 Pearl Street Burlington, VT 05401 802-488-6425. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **BRATTLEBORO RETREAT**

Medical Detox / Res. Treatment Anna Marsh Lane Brattleboro, VT 05301 802-258-3700. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Co-Occurring Mental Health/ Opioid Treatment with Buprenorphine

#### **LUND FAMILY CENTER**

Short and Long Term Res. Treatment 76 Glen Road Burlington, VT 05401 802-864-7467. Pregnant and Postpartum Females/ Medicaid/ Self Pay

#### **MAPLE LEAF FARM**

Clinical Detox / Res. Treatment 10 Maple Leaf Road Underhill, VT 05489 802-899-2911. Adults/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Co-Occurring Mental Health/ Opioid Treatment with Buprenorphine

### PHOENIX HOUSE RISE PROGRAM

Trans. Living 435 Western Avenue Brattleboro, VT 05301 802-463-9851. Adults/ Medicaid/ Self Pay

### PHOENIX HOUSE RISE PROGRAM

Trans. Living 11 Underhill Avenue Bellows Falls, VT 05101 802-463-9851. Medicaid/ Self Pay

### RECOVERY HOUSE INC GRACE HOUSE

Trans. Living 35 Washington Street Rutland, VT 05701 802-775-3476. Adults/ Self Pay/ Co-Occurring Mental Health

# RECOVERY HOUSE INC SERENITY HOUSE

Res. Treatment 98 Church Street Wallingford, VT 05773 802-446-2640. Adults/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale/ Co-Occurring Mental Health

# SECOND WIND FOUNDATION/WILLOW GROVE

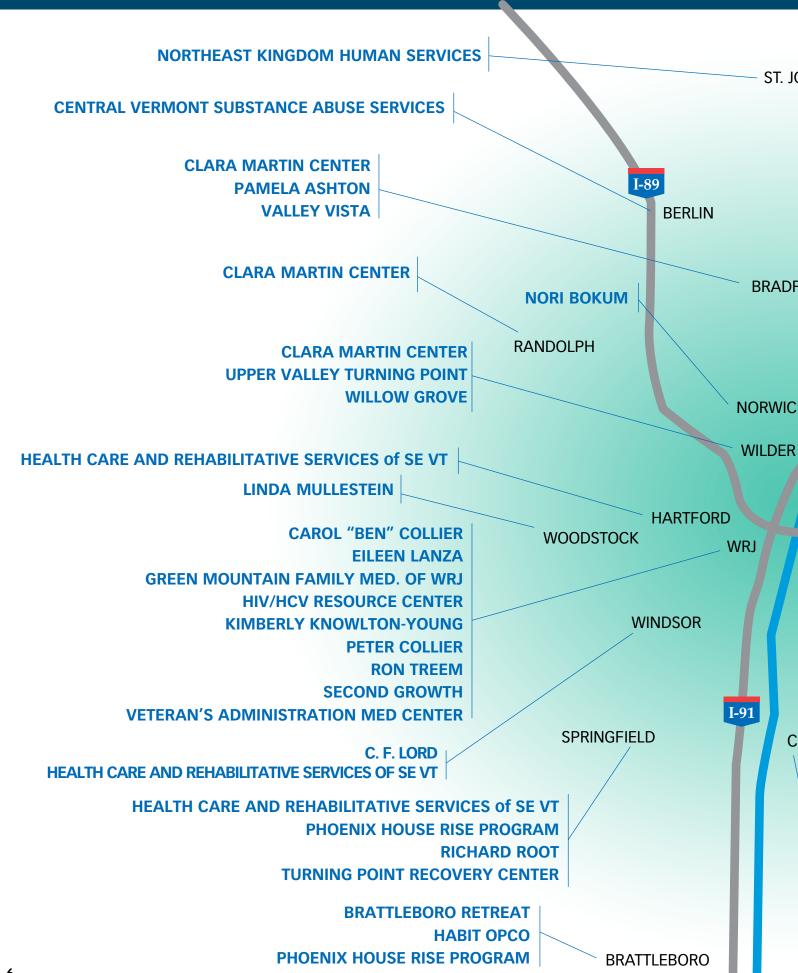
Trans. Living 200 Olcott Drive White River Jct, VT 05001 802-295-5206. Adults/Females/ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

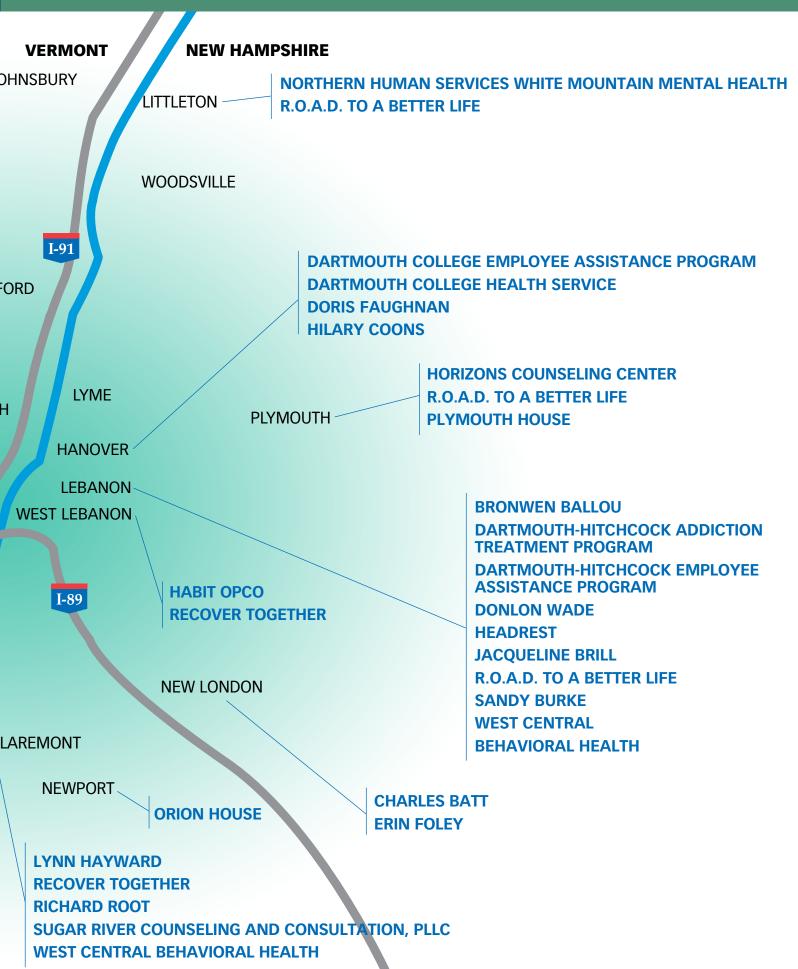
### **SPRUCE MOUNTAIN INN**

Res. Treatment/Trans. Living 155 Towne Ave Plainfield, VT 05667 802-454-8353. Ages 17-30/ Self Pay/ Co-Occurring Mental Health

#### **VALLEY VISTA**

Medical Detox./Res. Treatment 23 Upper Plain Road Bradford, VT 05033 802-222-5201. Ages 13+/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale/ Co-Occurring Mental Health/ Opioid Treatment with Buprenorphine and Methadone









### **BRONWEN BALLOU, LCMHC, LICSW**

Hanover Road Professional Center 367 Route 120, Suite B8 Lebanon, NH 03766 603-653-0199. Adults/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **CHARLES BATT, MD, Psychiatrist**

14 Blueberry Lane New London, NH 03257 603-526-9655. Adults/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### DARTMOUTH COLLEGE EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

53 South Main Street, Suite 204 Hanover, NH 03755 603-646-1165. Adults/ Employees Only/ No Fee

### DARTMOUTH COLLEGE HEALTH SERVICE

5 Rope Ferry Road Hanover, NH 03755 603-646-9400. Dartmouth Students Only/ No Fee

# DARTMOUTH-HITCHCOCK ADDICTION TREATMENT PROGRAM

85 Mechanic Street Lebanon, NH 603-653-1860. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

# DARTMOUTH-HITCHCOCK EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

One Medical Center Drive Lebanon, NH 03756 603-650-5819. Adults/ Employees Only/ No Fee

### **DONLON WADE, LADC**

2 South Park Street Lebanon, NH 03766 603-448-9994. All Ages/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **DORIS FAUGHNAN, MLADC**

Reach for the Stars Coaching 50 Greensboro Road, Suite 109 Hanover, NH 03755 603-306-6574.

### **ELENA VAN ZANDT, MEd, MLADC**

HALO Educational Systems 44 Roberts Road Canaan, NH 03741 603-359-3321. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

### **ERIN FOLEY, MLADC**

370 Main Street New London, NH 03257 603-526-2256. Adults/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

# FRIENDSHIP HOUSE (Tri-County CAP)

6 Church Street Woodsville, NH 03785 603-747-2535. Adults/ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### HABIT OPCO ■

254 Plainfield Road West Lebanon, NH 03748 603-298-2146. Adults/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins.

### **HEADREST**

14 Church Street Lebanon, NH 03766 603-448-4872. All Ages/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **HILARY COONS, PhD**

7 Allen Street #303 Hanover, NH 03755 603-643-9717. Adults/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### HORIZONS COUNSELING CENTER

258 Highland Street #13 Plymouth, NH 03264 603-536-2010. Ages 13+/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **JACQUELINE BRILL**

1 Court Street #220 Lebanon, NH 03766 603-448-1988. All ages/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### LYNN HAYWARD, MLADC, LCMHC

24 Opera House Square #31 Claremont, NH 03743 413-687-5395. Ages 15+/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

# NORTHERN HUMAN SERVICES WHITE MOUNTAIN MENTAL HEALTH

29 Maple Street Littleton, NH 03561 603-444-5358. All Ages/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### RECOVER TOGETHER

130 Pleasant Street Claremont, NH 03743 603-252-1675.

1 Glen Road Plaza West Lebanon, NH 03784 603-252-1675. Adults/Self Pay

### RICHARD ROOT, Ed.D

Valley Regional Hospital Campus 241 Elm Street Claremont, NH 03743 802-885-5719. All Ages/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### R.O.A.D. TO A BETTER LIFE

31 Hanover Street, Suite 1 Lebanon, NH 03766 603-727-9071.

678 Meadow Street Littleton, NH 03561 603-692-1859.

12 Yeaton Road, Suite B8 Plymouth, NH 03264 603-536-1008. Adults/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### SANDY BURKE, LCMHC, MLADC

2 South Park Street Lebanon, NH 03766 603-667-8567. Ages 13+/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self-Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### SUGAR RIVER COUNSELING AND CONSULTATION, PLLC

24 Opera House Square, Suite 300 Claremont, NH 03743 603-287-8269. All Ages/ Medicare/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### WEST CENTRAL BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Adult Services and Recovery Center 52 West Pleasant Street Claremont, NH 03743 603-542-2578.

Rivermill Commercial Center 85 Mechanic Street Lebanon, NH 03766 603-448-5610. Adults/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

### **Treatment Color Key:**

- NH Subsidized Treatment
- Severe Mental Illness
- Intensive Outpatient Program
- Opioid Treatment with Buprenorphine
- Opioid Treatment with Methadone

In addition to private payment options, the following organizations receive funding from the State of NH to provide free or reduced cost alcohol and drug treatment services to individuals with no insurance and/or low income.

#### **FARNUM CENTER**

30 Day Res. Treatment 140 Queen City Avenue Manchester, NH 03103 603-263-6200. Adults/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale/ Opioid Treatment with Buprenorphine

# FRIENDSHIP HOUSE (Tri-County CAP)

Non-medical Detox /Short-Term Res. Treatment/Trans. Living 2957 Main Street Bethlehem, NH 03574 603-869-2210. Adults/ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale/ Co-Occurring Mental Health

#### **HEADREST**

Non-medical Detox/Sobriety Maint./ Trans. Living 14 Church Street Lebanon, NH 03766 603-448-4872. Adults/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### **KEYSTONE HALL**

Non-medical Detox./Sobriety Maint./ Trans. Living 615 Amherst Street Nashua, NH 03060 603-881-4848. Adults/ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale/ Co-Occurring Mental Health

### PHOENIX HOUSE DUBLIN CENTER

Long-Term Res. Treatment 3 Pierce Road Dublin, NH 03444 603-563-8501. Adults/ Self Pay/ Sliding

### PHOENIX ACADEMY AT DUBLIN

6 Month/Extended Res. Treatment www.phoenixhouse.org 3 Pierce Road Dublin, NH 03444 603-563-8501. Teens/ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale

### PHOENIX HOUSE KEENE CENTER

Res. Treatment/Intensive Outpatient with Boarding 106 Roxbury Street Keene, NH 03431 603-358-4041. Adults/ Private Ins./ Self Pay/ Sliding Fee Scale/ Co-Occurring Mental Health

### **PHOENIX HOUSE FRANKLIN CENTER**

Non-medical Detox/Sobriety Maint. 14 Holy Cross Road Franklin, NH 03235 603-934-5297. Adults/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

### SERENITY PLACE

Non-medical Detox/ Sobriety Maint. 101 Manchester Street Manchester, NH 03101 603-625-6980. Adults/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

### **SOUTHEASTERN NH SERVICES**

Non-medical Detox/ Sobriety Maint./ Short-Term Res.Treatment/ Trans. Living 272 County Farm Road Dover, NH 03820 603-516-8160. Adults/ Sliding Fee Scale

In addition to the programs listed above, the following facilities provide residential care for substance use disorders and related issues. These programs are not subsidized by the State of New Hampshire.

### **HIS MANSION**

Christian Res. Treatment Community 395 Wolf Hill Road Deering, NH 03244 603-464-5555. Ages 18-35/ No Charge/ Co-Occurring Mental Health

### **ORION HOUSE**

Intermediate Res. Treatment PO Box 25 Newport, NH 03773 603-863-4918. Adolescents/ Males/ Medicare/ Medicaid/ Private Ins./ Self Pay

### **PLYMOUTH HOUSE**

12-Step Based Res. Community 446 Main Street Plymouth, NH 03264 800-428-8459. Adults/ Self Pay

### TREATMENT OF HEROIN, OPIOIDS, AND PRESCRIPTION PAIN MEDICATION USE

If you use opioid drugs such as heroin, or prescription pain killers like vicodin or oxycontin, you may need treatment services that include medications such as methadone or suboxone (buprenorphine) to help you avoid withdrawal symptoms and cravings these drugs can cause. Your doctor or substance use treatment provider can help you understand if medication-assisted treatment may be best for your needs, and help you find a local treatment provider.

If you are pregnant and are using heroin, other opioids, prescription pain medications, alcohol, or other substances, contact your OB/GYN, substance use treatment, and/or primary care provider as soon as possible to identify the best type of care for both you and your developing fetus.

### **Methadone-Assisted Treatment**

(See listings for contact information)

Brattleboro Retreat (Brattleboro, VT)
Habit OpCo (West Lebanon, NH and Brattleboro, VT)
Valley Vista (Bradford, VT)

### Suboxone (Buprenorphine)-Assisted Treatment

(See listings for contact information)

Brattleboro Retreat (Brattleboro, VT)
Central Vermont Substance Abuse Services (Berlin, VT)
Clara Martin Center/Quitting Time (Wilder, VT)
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Addiction Treatment Program (Lebanon, NH)
Farnum Center (Manchester, NH)
Green Mountain Family Medicine (White River Jct, VT)
Habit OpCo (West Lebanon, NH and Brattleboro, VT)
Recover Together (Claremont and Lebanon, NH)
Rockingham Medical Group (Bellows Falls, VT)

### **Treatment Services for Pregnant Women**

Dartmouth-Hitchcock Perinatal Addiction Treatment Program (Lebanon, NH) Lund Family Center (Burlington, VT) Valley Vista (Bradford, VT)

### **Peer Recovery Services**

Second Wind / Turning Point Club Opioid Support Group (Wilder, VT)

### **Needle Exchange and Narcan**

HIV/HCV Resource Center (Upper Connecticut River Valley region) 603-448-8887. Call for day, time, and locations of needle exchange and Narcan distribution programs in your area.

### **Safe Disposal of Unused Medications**

The best, most environmentally friendly way to dispose of unused medications is in a medication drop box. Medication drop boxes are safe, secure, mailbox-like boxes, most often located in police stations. Go to TwinStateSafeMeds.org for location information.

### **Prevention Coalitions**

Community-based prevention coalitions bring together businesses, schools, service providers, law enforcement and others to plan community strategies intended to reduce the harm of alcohol and drug use in the community.

ALL Together (Lebanon, NH region) www.UVALLTogether.org
Communities United of Sullivan County (Sullivan County, NH region) PreventionWorksNH.org
Hartford Prevention Coalition (Hartford, VT region) www.hartfordcommunitycoalition.org
Mount Ascutney Prevention Partnership (Windsor, VT region) www.mappvt.org
North Country Prevention Network (Littleton, NH region) www.nchcnh.org
NAMI New Hampshire Upper Valley Resources (Lebanon, NH region) www.uvmentalhealth.org

### **School-Based Alcohol and Drug Services**

Students at most high schools and middle schools can get free and confidential alcohol, drug, and mental health services at their school. Common services include education; problem solving; alcohol, drug, and mental health screening, brief counseling, and referral to treatment services; and recovery support. These services are confidential and are not recorded in a student's official educational record. Ask your school if they have a Student Assistance Program or alcohol/drug/mental health counselor.

### If You Are Concerned About a Teen

Teens who use alcohol and other drugs are much more likely to experience consequences from their use, and are far more likely to become dependent on drugs than people who start use later in life. Teens who binge drink and drink or use substances regularly are at high risk for serious harm. If you see a problem starting, you can help by talking with the teen's parents and by sharing your concern anonymously with a school-based student assistance counselor, who can start an effort to help the teen and family access helping services.

### **Additional Resources**

If you can't find what you are looking for, or need a helping hand to sort out your choices, the following resources may be of assistance.

# HEADREST 24-HOUR HOTLINE

Information and Referral, Support in a Crisis Serving New Hampshire and Vermont 24 Hours A Day, 7 Days A Week. 800-273-TALK

# VERMONT 2-1-1 or

603-448-4400

### **NEW HAMPSHIRE 2-1-1**

Statewide Information and Referral Just Dial 2-1-1

# STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Services for Youth and Parents Contact your local middle or high school and ask it they have a Student Assistance Counselor or Alcohol and Drug Counselor on staff. Many schools have on-site providers ready to help youth and their parents find appropriate treatment for alcohol and drug use concerns.



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