The PoWeR of Recovery

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Assisting individuals choose, get, and keep a job as a means to sustain recovery from addiction

Outcomes

Service Hours Provided
August—October 2009

- **72 hrs.** - Intake/Assessment
- **322 hrs.** - Job Readiness
- **225 hrs.** - Counseling

Consumers Served

- **272 consumers** - total to date

Employed at 90-day Follow-up

- **33% employed** - full/part time

From the Directors' Chairs

by Drs. Paul Toriello and Steve Sligar

About this time last year, we began the process of becoming a licensed and endorsed Substance Abuse Intensive Outpatient Program. Today, we are licensed and endorsed.

We understand that the intent of licensure and endorsement are to ensure quality care to consumers. However, we would be remiss not to say that maintaining quality of care while adhering to the regulatory requirements is going to be a challenge.

Our confidence in meeting this challenge is high because of our team. People transcend challenges, regulations do not.

Again, we are extraordinarily grateful to have our team. Without them, PWR would not exist.

Thanks team. You're the best.

Fall 2009

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November is Gratitude Month at PWR

by Tracie Campbell

Here at PWR we are truly grateful for the consumers we serve. In order to show that gratitude, and have a little fun, we have planned a month of activities.

This month PWR will focus on writing "Thank-You" cards. Consumers will have the opportunity to learn how to write to employers, thanking them for interviews, as well as to people in their lives that have had a positive influence. For writing and processing this "card" with their Case Manager, the consumer will earn 1 incentive. Consumers will also have the opportunity to mail this "card" if they would like.

PWR will host Fall Festival activities integrated with treatment November 16-20. This week, consumers will participate in games designed with treatment in mind. Games include "Bowling through Barriers" and "Going for the Goal" and much more.

PWR is also featuring "Refer-a-Friend" in which active consumers can refer someone for services for 1 incentive. The referred must be eligible and complete the intake process.

Thank you all for your support.

Gratitude

by Gene P.

Grateful eyes see hope inside each new day,
Grateful hearts spread love along their way.
Grateful minds find answers to their questions,
Grateful mouths have kind things they can say.

Grateful hands are busy helping others,
Grateful ears can hear the songs of love.
Grateful feet don't falter on the right path,
Grateful souls draw strength from God above.

May we always keep the attitudes of peace and love and gratitude.

Project Information

Hours of Operation
Monday—Friday
9am to 1pm

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