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UNITE Treatment Voucher

Low-income residents living within the 32-county region served by Operation UNITE who suffer from substance abuse issues can receive financial assistance to obtain short-term and long-term residential treatment.

Once an individual has been approved for this one-time voucher, they will be given treatment recommendations. Participants make the final decision regarding what treatment facility to enter.

Priority is given to participants with no treatment history, juveniles, intravenous drug users and pregnant women. Detoxification treatments are not covered.



Contacts

Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy

502-564-8277

www.odcp.ky.gov

Recovery Kentucky

502-564-7630

www.kyhousing.org/page.aspx?id=1064

Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services Substance Abuse Prevention Program

502-564-4456

www.dbhdid.ky.gov/kdbhdid/

Drugfree.org Parents Toll-Free Hotline

1-855-378-4373

www.timetogetherhelp.drugfree.org/learn/helpline

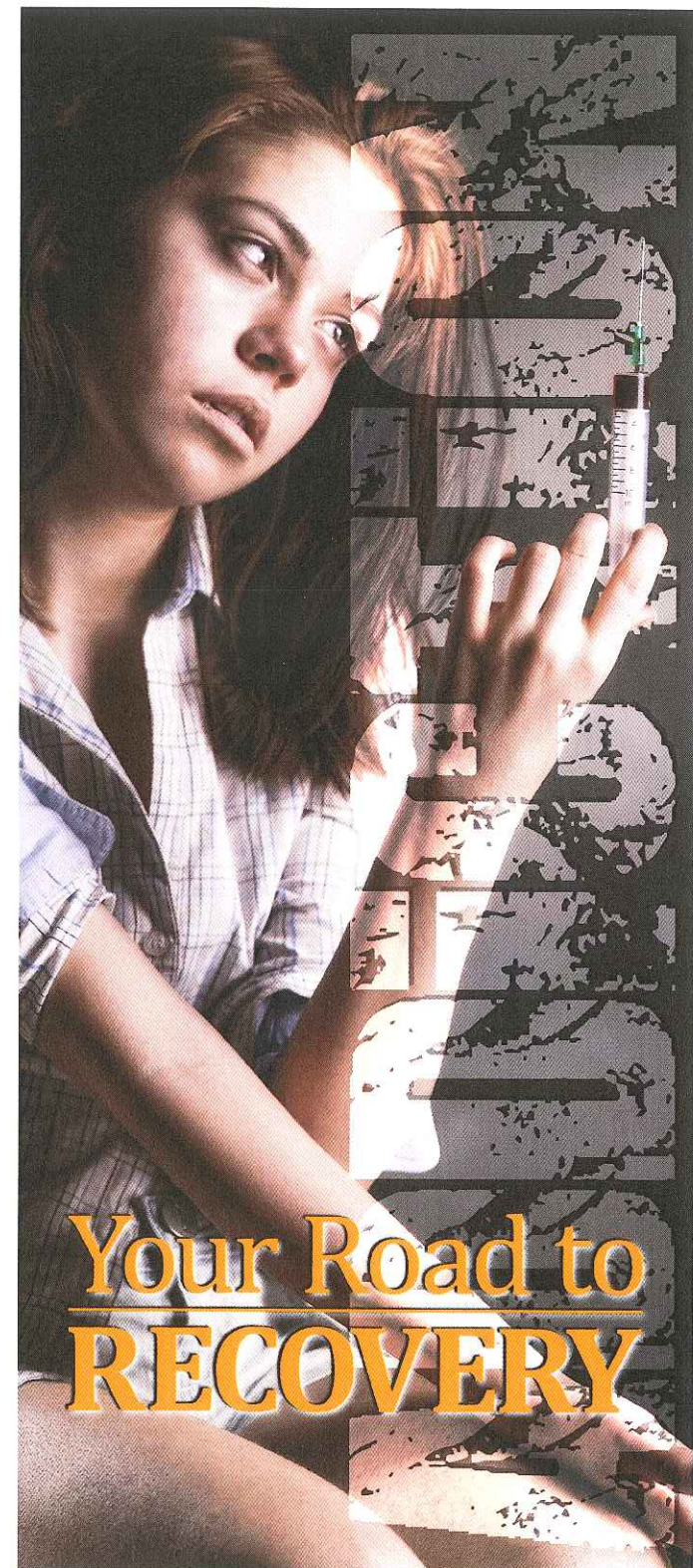
SAMHSA (Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration)

www.findtreatment.samhsa.gov/

Operation UNITE Treatment Helpline

1-866-908-6483

www.operationunite.org



Your Road to RECOVERY

How much will it cost?

Depending upon the facility and type of services provided, residential drug treatment can cost up to \$6,000 per month. The cost of a program does not necessarily determine the quality of care received. Most treatment programs are not currently covered by insurance, but what is the cost of a life?

Will treatment work?

The effectiveness of a treatment program depends upon the willingness and desire of the individual to reclaim their life from addiction. Having support from family and friends will also play an important role in treatment and recovery.

How long will it take?

Sobriety is something you will work on for the rest of your life. Treatment programs can last from weeks to months.

What happens after treatment?

Having strong support from family and friends, combined with attending after-care support groups, will enhance your chances of staying clean. It is necessary to stay away from the influences that led to your addiction.

Who do I call?

Currently Kentucky does not have a central hotline number to call for help. For more information, please see the list of contacts listed on this brochure.

MORE PEOPLE DIE FROM UNINTENTIONAL DRUG OVERDOSES IN THE UNITED STATES THAN IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS—THAT'S ABOUT 1 PERSON EVERY 15 MINUTES.

SOURCE: CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION

Casey's Law

The Matthew Casey Wethington Act for Substance Abuse Intervention, "Casey's Law," provides a means of intervening with someone who is unable to recognize his or her need for treatment due to their impairment. This law will allow parents, relatives and/or friends to petition the court for treatment on behalf of the substance abuse-impaired person. A copy of the petition may be obtained from the District Court clerk's office in your county by requesting Form 700A—the Verified Petition for Involuntary Treatment of Alcohol/Drug Abuse.



Recovery Kentucky

Recovery Kentucky was created to help Kentuckians recover from substance abuse, which often leads to chronic homelessness. There are 10 Recovery Kentucky centers across the Commonwealth—Campbellsville, Erlanger, Florence, Harlan, Henderson, Hopkinsville, Morehead, Owensboro, Paducah and Richmond. The Recovery Programs have been named "A Model That Works" by the US Department of Health and Human Services. These centers provide housing and recovery services for up to 1,000 individuals. Each center uses a recovery program model that includes peer support, daily living skills classes, job responsibilities and establishes new behaviors.

YOU CAN GET HELP