

Year 1 of Access to Recovery III Ends Strong!

The first year of this ATR grant cycle came to a close with the end of the Federal Fiscal Year on September 30. During this period INATR providers enrolled 1,540 unique clients. Of the 253 discharged clients, 81% left the program with agreement of the Recovery Consultant or with satisfactory progress. The average spending amount per client was \$647, with the most utilized services being Transportation, Recovery Consultation, Clinical Services, Medication Assisted Treatment and Transitional Housing. The closing 6-month GPRA follow-up rate was at 97%. Outcomes data collected from the 380 clients in year 1 showed:

GPRA Measures	No. of Valid Cases	% at Intake	% at 6-Month FU	Rate of Change
Abstinence: did not use alcohol or illegal drugs	376	83.0%	89.9%	8.3%
Criminal Justice: had no past 30 day arrests	380	95.5%	96.8%	1.4%
Employment/Education: were currently employed or attending school	380	42.9%	62.4%	45.4%
Health/Behavioral/Social Consequences: experienced no alcohol or illegal drug related health, behavioral or social consequences	374	84.2%	84.5%	0.3%
Social Connectedness: were socially connected	380	98.9%	96.3%	-2.7%
Stability in Housing: had a permanent place to live in the community	380	35.0%	48.9%	39.8%

The new vision and core values for INATR are as follows:

Vision Statement

Every person should have the opportunity to live a healthy, fulfilled life in the community. Indiana Access to Recovery seeks to become the model for recovery-oriented care, eliminating barriers to recovery through a network of community-based services.

Core Values

Integrity: do the right thing, even when no one is looking.

Parity: every person deserves the same opportunities.

Decency: treat all people with respect and respond to needs quickly.

Quality: service for all should be of the highest caliber.



The Indiana Annual Recovery Month Symposium (IN ARMS) was held September 27 and 28, 2011 at the Indiana Government Center. More than 350 conference attendees participated in sessions such as 'Recovery Management' and 'Essential Knowledge of Medicines Used to Treat Addictive Disorders'. 25 speakers and 20 exhibitors were also on hand. The FSSA Division of Mental Health and Addiction joins with INATR and other partners to present IN ARMS annually in the month of September, which is also National Addiction Recovery month. Mark your calendars for the next IN ARMS scheduled for September, 2012.

Save the Dates for Upcoming INATR Provider Forums

October 25, 2011

Veteran's Life Changing Services
501 Ridge Way
Gary, IN 46408

AND

November 1 & 2, 2011

Life Spring, Inc
460 Spring Street
Jeffersonville, IN 47130



Indiana Access to Recovery will soon host three provider forums for potential providers, current RCs and providers, community partners, as well as parties interested in learning more about INATR. If you or someone you know would like to attend these events please contact Roni Ford at (317) 232-7857 or veronica.ford@fssa.in.gov for more information.

Also, during IN ARMS, INATR staff recognized an outstanding provider, Heather Watkins of Marion County Recovery Consultant agency PACE, Inc. Heather has been an active provider since joining the network early in the first grant cycle, participating in every training available and serving as a mentor to other Recovery Consultants. Heather was nominated for this award by her supervisor, Rhiannon Williams who says of her "she cares about our clients and goes above and beyond to make sure ATR is successful not only for PACE, but Marion County as a whole." Congratulations and keep up the good work Heather!



Pictured L to R: Roni Ford (Reg 1 Proj Mgr), Heather Watkins, & April Schmid (Proj Dtr)

Attention INATR Providers and Recovery Consultants!

If you have not already submitted an updated Provider Credential Renewal, please be aware it is now PAST DUE. Please contact your regional Project Manager as soon as possible to notify state staff of when you will be submitting it.

Also if your agency has not attended a Policies and Procedures Training in 2011, there will be limited availability for the final training sessions of the year. We will try to accommodate the training needs of the multiple INATR regions in the state, however we need to be made aware of the training needs as soon as possible. Please contact State Training Coordinator, Sarah Collins at (317) 234-0902 sarah.collins@fssa.in.gov for more information on upcoming trainings.