

A community that cares and grows together



## What is the Our Space?

Our Space is a community that cares and grows together. We offer a variety of programs and services for individuals with mental health or substance abuse challenges.

- Our Space Drop-in Center
- Peer Support Services
- Parachute House Peer-Run Respite
- Supportive Housing
- Price Is Right Shoppe





# The Our Space Drop-in Center

The Our Space Drop-in Center is a voluntary day program which provides members support and community. Members who take part in this program determine the recovery path that works best for them. Some membership benefits include:

- \* Receive encouragement through groups and one-on-one support
- Advocacy and empowerment through integrated services and community resources
- Learn skills through participation in educational groups
- Experience community integration



# The Our Space Drop-in Center

The Our Space Drop-in Center provides of Comprehensive Community Services (CCS). Professional staff work with the individual's case manager and Peer Support Specialists to offer personcentered, recovery-oriented services, including:

- Individual Skill Development Enhancement
- Wellness Management and Recovery
- Mental Health Education
- Peer-Support Services

#### Hours:

8:30am – 3:30pm / Monday – Friday Except major holidays

Tours available M-F, 9:00am – 2:30pm No Appointment Needed





### Peer Support

Peer Support is an emerging behavioral health best practice utilizing trained individuals with lived experience to help others cope with mental illness and/or substance abuse challenges.

It offers a level of acceptance and understanding often not available in other professional relationships. Using a non-clinical approach, Peer Support Specialists share their experiences, and provide clients practical guidance to create goals and strategies towards a more fulfilling life.





## The Role of a Peer Support Specialist

- Supports recovery journey
- Provides hope and overall well-being
- Helps reduce mental health/substance abuse stigmas
- Provides holistic recovery tools
- Assists in wellness planning and goal development
- Reduces recovery barriers
- Advocates for clients with other care providers
- Educates about community resources
- Provides community linkage
- Meets client where they are on their journey





#### The Parachute House Peer-run Respite

The Parachute House Peer-Run Respite is a short-term residential facility for individuals experiencing emotional distress or a low-level mental health crisis.



#### What to Expect

- A short-term (seven days) residential resource
- A welcoming and accepting, home-like environment
- Open 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year
- Come and go as you choose to continue with work or other scheduled activities
- Non-clinical support
- A safe and relaxing place to pause and reset
- One-on-one supportive conversations with Certified Peer Support Specialists
- Wellness activities
- Hope





## Supportive Housing

Supportive housing offers accommodations as well as wrap-around services for individuals struggling with mental health and/or substance abuse challenges.

#### Objectives:

- Reduce utilization of emergency services
- Provide a stable, safe, cost-effective place to live



#### Supportive Services Offered

- Peer Support
- Education, wellness, and support groups
- Activity groups
- Community integration
- Link to community resources





### Price Is Right Shoppe

The Price is Right Shoppe is a community resource, available on a referral basis. The Shoppe provides clothing and household items, so that individuals suffering from mental illness are able to live independently. All items are provided free of charge.





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