

Returning Home Ohio

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The Source for Housing Solutions



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Our mission is to advance solutions that use housing as a platform for services to improve the lives of the most vulnerable people, maximize public resources and build healthy communities.

We envision a future in which high-quality supportive housing solutions are integrated into the way every community serves the men, women and children in most need.

CORE VALUES: Integrity, Respect, Persistence, Making a difference





What is Supportive Housing?




Supportive Housing is the Solution

Supportive housing combines affordable housing with services that help people who face the most complex challenges to live with stability, autonomy and dignity.



Supportive Housing is for People Who:

- Are chronically homeless.
- Cycle through institutional and emergency systems and are at risk of long-term homelessness.
- Are being discharged from institutions and systems of care.
- Without housing, cannot access and make effective use of treatment and supportive services.



What is Supportive Housing?

Housing:
Affordable
Permanent
Independent



Support:
Flexible
Voluntary
Independent



Supportive Services in Supportive Housing

FOOD BANK

Child Care

I'D LIKE TO HELP! I'M SURE I CAN BE MORE!

VOLUNTEER

Independent Living Skills

Community Building Activities

Budgeting & Financial Management Training

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Supportive Housing is not:

- Treatment
- Transitional
- Licensed community care
- Group Homes

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Returning Home Ohio - Roles

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Analyzing the impact of RHO: outcomes

- **Recidivism:** any rearrest, felony rearrest, misdemeanor rearrest, any reincarceration, reincarceration for new crime; number of rearrests, number of reincarcerations, time to rearrest
- **Emergency shelter:** Yes/no during follow-up. No individual-level data (could not use regression)
- **Service use:** Any service delivery, days of service delivery, time (in days) to first service use.



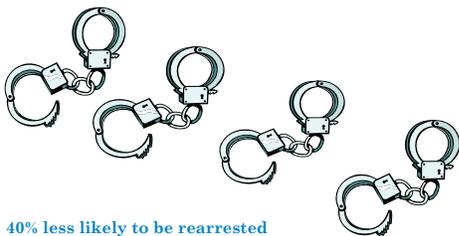
Returning Home Ohio Research Results



60% less likely to recidivate back to prison



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40% less likely to be rearrested
2 & 1/2 times less likely to be rearrested for a misdemeanor



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Rx

290%
more likely to
receive
outpatient
services

41%
more likely
to receive at
least one
service

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From Data to Reality

- SF is a 52 year old male.
- Lengthy criminal record dating back to 1988.
- He entered Returning Home Ohio in 2010 with nowhere else to go.
- Change did not occur quickly.
- Today he has a job, and just moved into his own apartment with no subsidy.
- He recently sent pictures to his case manager of his new apartment. He stated that he wanted someone else to "take his place."

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Questions