

Newcastle Recovery Conference

19th September 2024, 09:00 –16:30

Newcastle Civic Centre Banqueting Suite

Time	Session	Speaker
09:00	Registration, coffee and networking	All
10:00	Opening	Cllr Kilgour, Deputy Leader, Newcastle City Council
10:10	Context	Rachael Hope, Harm Reduction and Social Inclusion and Jessica Hamilton, Public Health Analyst, Newcastle City Council
10.20	Building communities through recovery capital	Professor Dave Best, Director, Centre for Addiction Recovery Research (CARR), Leeds Trinity University
10.45	Community Asset Mapping and the Recovery Community	Dr Will McGovern, Associate Professor of Marginalised Communities and Lydia Lochhead, Senior Research Assistant, Northumbria University
11.10	Revival Newcastle Collaborative - Improving Recovery Visibility and Access	Steve Wood, LERO Addictions and Mental Health Coordinator, ReCoCo
11.35	Break	
11.55	Think Family and Carers	Helen Thompson, CEO, PROPs
12.15	Creating a recovery oriented system within educational and workplace settings	Dot Smith, CEO, Recovery Connections
12.35	Lived experience in South Asian Communities	Aunee Bhogaita, Lived Experience Consultant, Brown Girl in a Bottle
13:00	Lunch and networking	

Showcasing excellent practice in Newcastle		
13:40	See Me in Recovery	
13:50	Thriving in Recovery	Matt Davies , Chair of Trustees, and Jimmy Dixon , Trust Manager, The Road to Recovery Trust
14:10	Newcastle Treatment and Recovery	Gary Butler , Community Clinical Manager and Jack Dawes , Community Recovery Development Worker, Newcastle Treatment and Recovery (NTAR)
14:30	NA - A Resource In Your Community	2 Geordie Addicts , NA Members
14:50	What Is Alcoholics Anonymous?	Mark A , Tyne & Northumbria Intergroup Chair, Alcoholics Anonymous
15:10	The Evolution of UK SMART Recovery	Dr. Charlie Orton , CEO and Jenifer Langley , Community Coordinator (North East & Yorkshire), UK SMART Recovery
15:30	Recovery Church: A place of loving kindness for people of all faiths and none	Jon Canessa , Recovery Church
15:50	Make a difference in your area – tackling alcohol availability and normalisation	Jonathan Bryce , Licensing Manager, Newcastle City Council Licensing Authority and Michael Cave , Public Health Senior Practitioner, Newcastle City Council
16:10	Women in Recovery in Newcastle	Amy Van Zyl , Chief Executive Officer, Women's Reform and Claudene Cetinoglu , Women and Children Service Manager, Changing Lives
16:25	Closing thoughts	Alice Wiseman , Director of Public Health, Newcastle and Gateshead Council
16:35	Close	