

WILSON COUNTY SUBSTANCE PREVENTION COALITION

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WCSPC HISTORY

The Wilson County Substance Prevention Coalition was established in April 2007. The coalition is organized for the charitable purpose of reducing substance misuse by addressing factors in the community that increases the risk of substance misuse and promoting the factors that minimize that risk.

Recovery Concepts Community Center (RC3) is a community recovery center and an initiative of The Wilson County Substance Prevention Coalition, created in 2017. This community center is for those working to sustain and maintain their recovery from substance use disorders can visit the center to take part in educational opportunities, group meetings, social events, or just to hang out in a place that is recovery informed, friendly, and healthy.



Wilson County Substance Prevention Coalition staff picture

(from left to right) Anna Davis, Pamela Letchworth, Ashlie Smith, Jeff Hill, Morgan Miller

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HIGHLIGHTS IN THE COMMUNITY

On January 31st at CADCA, WCSPC and Community Impact NC staff were able to meet Congressman Don Davis! We were able to talk to him about the substance use prevention, harm reduction, treatment, and recovery work that we are doing in Wilson County! We are so thankful to have leaders in Washington that are committed to standing alongside organizations like ours to combat the addiction crisis taking place within our communities.



PARTNER PORTION

The first Flynn Christian Fellowship Home opened in North Carolina in 1962 with a goal of helping those struggling with alcoholism. 7 years later we would see the organizations 4th home open right here in our own Wilson, North Carolina. Since then the Flynn Christian Fellowship Home has worked hard to help others dealing with addiction to find a different way of life. Working through the steps of AA and getting involved in the community through volunteer work and finding a job to become a contributing member of society has helped many to change. We offer the ability to live in a structured environment with others who are like minded and working on sobriety. This has helped many to overcome the debilitating nature of addiction. Through the commitment to the program and the wonderful local support, and generous donations regularly from a very involved community, this process of helping others has been assisted in its longevity and been given the ability to positively impact lives. This program with the community and its support have turned lives around, reconnected families, healed hurt and most importantly saved lives.

Second chances seem different here. There is a little more sunshine and smile when others say "Hi". Through a reputation we hope to maintain long into the future, the Flynn Christian Fellowship Home does its best to project Christ to others in the form of hope. There are people around you every day that just needed a second chance but you'd never know it. If we do this correctly and encourage others in their walk, then it won't be something you see, it will be something you feel.

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We get to see others realize more and more each day their potential and cement themselves in to this community through the contagious action of good choices and then through opportunity and grace, our wonderful community becomes stronger and woven together more tightly with the adhesive of admonishing each other to good... and let's be honest, now a days you don't just get that everywhere.

So if you or a loved one is dealing with alcoholism or addiction in some form call us at the Flynn Christian Fellowship Home of Wilson, NC and let's see if we can get you a hand up, not a hand out.



Robert Lovering, Flynn Home Director, posing for RC3's "Recovery Ally" Campaign.

**"The only person you
are destined to become
is the person you
decide to be."**

- Ralph Waldo Emerson

WCSPC ANNOUNCEMENTS

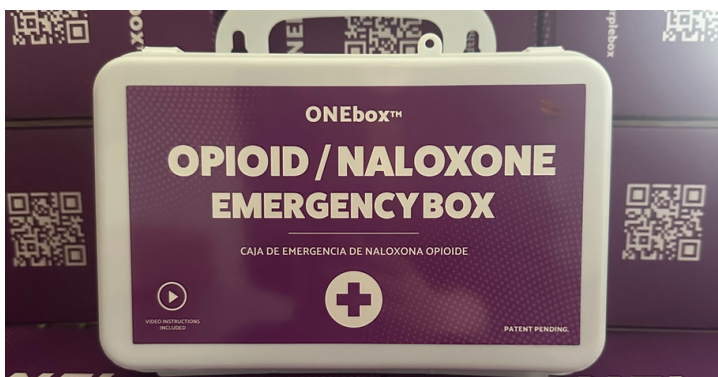
The WCSPC is excited to announce that we now have ONEboxes to distribute to our community!

We'd like to give a special thanks to Wilson County Government, as the strategic distribution of ONEBox is fully funded and supported via Wilson County's Opioid Action Plan. The WCSPC will also be working alongside the Wilson County Health Department and Wilson County Emergency Medical Services around the disbursement of ONEbox within our community.

The ONEbox is an emergency opioid overdose reversal kit designed to promote safety by assuring that individuals have life-saving, on-demand training when and where they need it.

Upon opening the ONEbox, it goes into a 60-second video talking through how to administer Naloxone in an emergency opioid overdose or poisoning situation. The ONEbox can also train any number of individuals on naloxone administration in about 5 minutes when using the training mode. Inside the ONEbox, you will also find a PPE kit (mask, gloves, & wipes) and Naloxone!

If you would like a ONEbox for your office/place of business or if you would just like to be trained on how to administer Naloxone to reverse an Opioid overdose, DM us or give us a call at (252)991-7267! Learn more about ONEbox at <https://www.wvdii.org/onebox>



UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Recovery Through Art** - March 21, 6:30pm
- **Expungement Clinic** - April 11, 11:00am
- **Easy Does It Café** - Mondays 6:00pm
- **Veteran's Expression Support Group** - Wednesdays 7:00pm
- **Open Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting** - Wednesdays 7:00pm
- **Open Narcotics Anonymous Meeting** - Saturdays 10:30am

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

- **WCSPC Full Coalition Meeting @ Wilson County Agricultural Center** - March 12, 10:00am



*Picture from
Recovery Through
Art*

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