Advancing the Science on Recovery Community Centers

NIDA-funded project on recovery community centers (RCCs) and how these RCCs can support persons treated with medications for opioid use disorder
Part of a larger effort

- NIDA-funded R24 program
- **Goal:** To advance the science on recovery community centers (RCCs) to support persons treated with medications for opioid use disorder
- **Specific Aims:**
  - *Engage RCC stakeholders in research-advancing activities* such as seminars, funding, advisory board meetings, and hands-on support.
  - *RCC stakeholders* = anyone who contributes to or can benefit from the support RCCs can provide
  - *Disseminate tools and products* that facilitate research on RCCs
The Steering Committee is made up of scientists, clinicians, RCC leadership and persons with lived experience from multiple organizations and institutions from across the US.

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Resources to come:

- Video recordings of seminars
- Outcome reports of funded pilot studies
- Repository of scales to assess RCC outcomes
- List of RCCs and participants interested in studies on RCCs
- Conference presentation slides
- Summaries of patient advisory board meetings
- Repository of papers on conceptual framework of RCCs
Funding Opportunities

Please stay tuned for calls for applications:

- Funding for pilot studies on RCCs ($30,000), particularly on persons treated with medications for opioid use disorder
- Funding for conference presentations on RCCs (funding would cover travel expenses)

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