**Advancing the Science on Recovery Community Centers: Seminar Series**

**Seminar 3**

**Title:**RCCs and Accreditation: A National Perspective

**Presenter:**
Ms. Patty McCarthy of Faces and Voices of Recovery

**Date:**
Friday, January 15, 12:00 EST

**Description:**In this 3rd seminar of the NIDA-funded seminar series on recovery community centers (RCCs), and how these RCCs can support persons treated with medications for opioid use disorder, Ms. Patty McCarthy, Chief Executive Officer of Faces & Voices of Recovery, will explain how the terms recovery community organization (RCOs) and recovery community centers (RCCs) are used, what the Association of Recovery Community Organizations (ARCO) is, how organizations providing peer recovery support services are accredited, what happens after accreditation, and what RCO leadership perceives as goals for advancing peer recovery support provider organizations to the next level.

**Recording:**
<https://youtu.be/u6JT2yk7ptk>

**Slides:**<http://www.recoveryanswers.org/assets/RCCs-and-Accreditation-A-National-Perspective-01.15.21.pdf>

**Chat Transcript:**

For privacy reasons, please email RecoverySeminars@MGH.HARVARD.EDU for a copy of the chat.

**Additional Materials:**

* 2020 Recovery Data Platform Report
	+ <http://www.recoveryanswers.org/assets/RDP-2020.pdf>
* SAMHSA Behavioral Health Workforce Report
	+ <https://www.samhsa.gov/sites/default/files/behavioral-health-workforce-report.pdf>
* CAPRSS Accreditation Manual
	+ <https://www.manula.com/manuals/caprss/accreditation/main/en/topic/about-this-manual>