

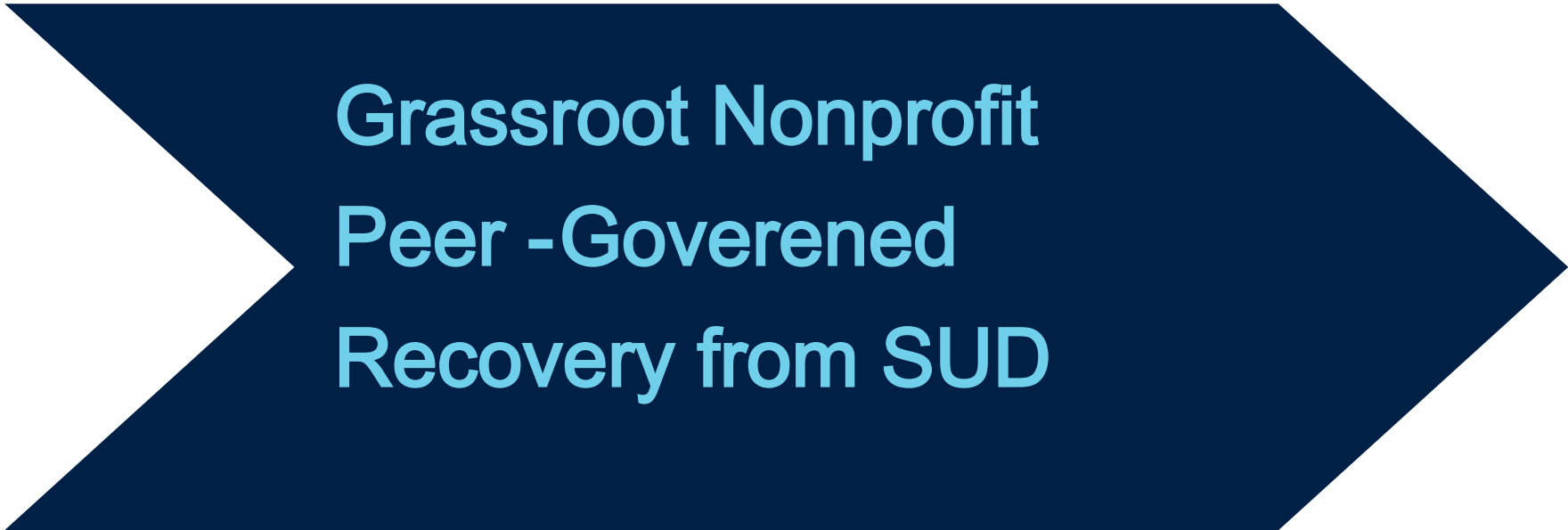


# Community Recovery Alliance & RCOs in Michigan

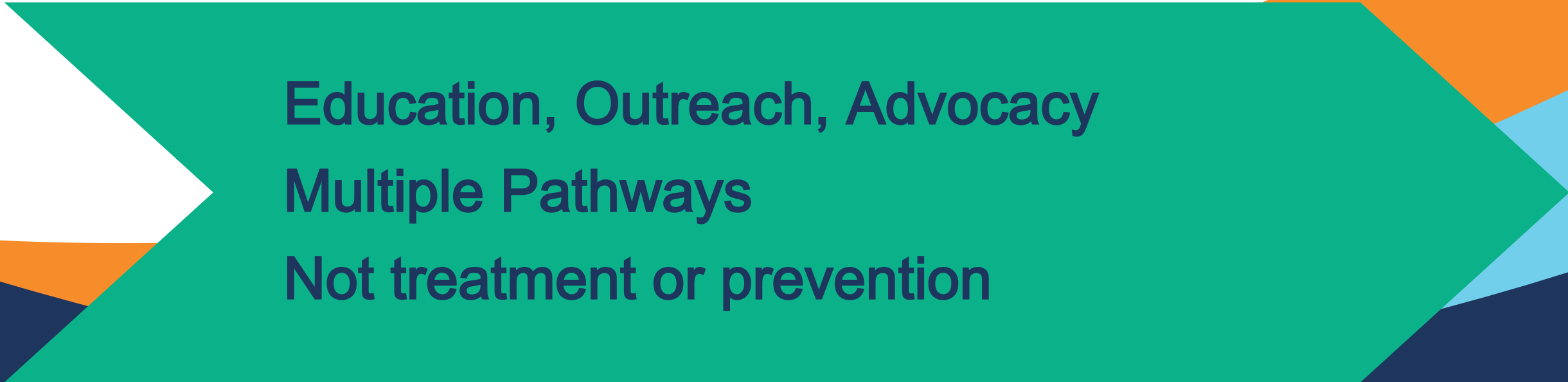
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# What is an RCO?

## Recovery Community Organization



Grassroot Nonprofit  
Peer -Governed  
Recovery from SUD



Education, Outreach, Advocacy  
Multiple Pathways  
Not treatment or prevention



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## OUR MISSION:

As a Community Recovery Organization and Center, CRA's mission is to **serve anyone seeking recovery from substance use concerns, with or without mental health complications, by creating safe and healthy recovery friendly communities in northern Lower Michigan.**

## OUR VISION:

We envision Northern Michigan communities **rich with resources and opportunities** for people to seek and sustain recovery.

# Role of RCOs

- Continuum of Care

Before getting into treatment

After leaving treatment for ongoing support

For those who do not use formal treatment

- Lower barriers to accessing support
  - Peer Driven, nonclinical
  - Community and Connection
- Focused on building Recovery Capital

# Recovery Capital

The breadth and depth of internal and external resources that can be drawn upon to initiate and sustain recovery  
(William Cloud and Robert Granfield)

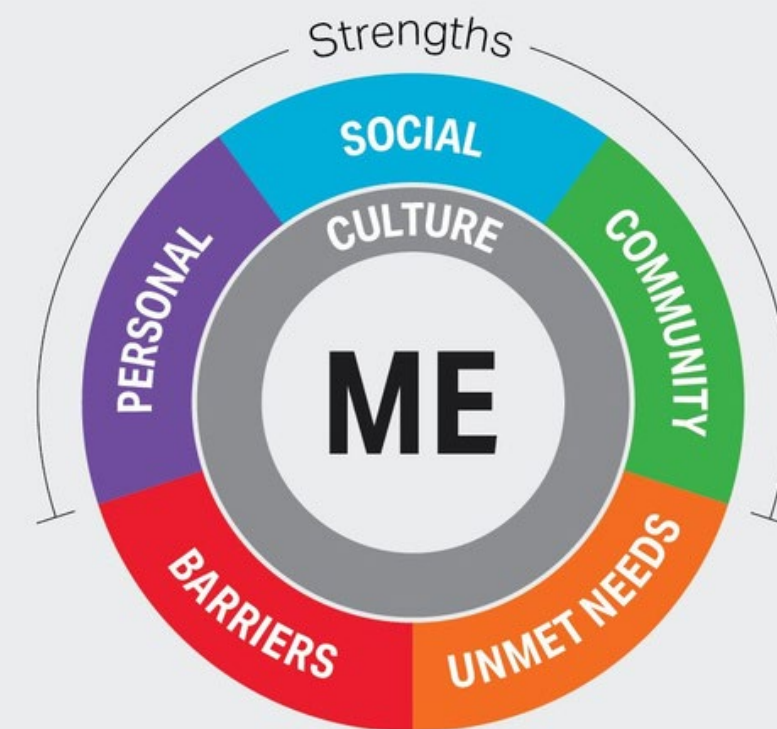
## Personal Recovery Capital

(health, skills, knowledge, etc.)

**Family/Social** (relationships, recovery community, events)

**Community** (policies, resources, and Treatment, Recovery Groups, RCOs, Meetings in your area)

## Recovery Capital





# What this means to us:

- Hub - Resource Center
- 5 Main Counties: Emmet, Charlevoix, Antrim, Otsego, Cheboygan
- Individuals and Families
- All stages, all pathways
- SUD & Co-occurring mental health concerns
- Peer Led Services
- Share hope, learn, grow, celebrate
- Bring together the Recovery Community
- Safe Space - Everyone is welcome

**BUILDING RECOVERY READY COMMUNITIES WHERE EVERYONE CAN  
FIND AND SUSTAIN A SUCCESSFUL PATH TO RECOVERY.**



# RCOs in Michigan

Accredited through  
**Faces and Voices of Recovery** ,  
a national recovery organization.

**Michigan Association of Recovery  
Community Organizations**

[www.michiganarco.org](http://www.michiganarco.org)

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# NEWFORM Recovery App

Join the CRA Space



[www.newform.org](http://www.newform.org)

Created and Run by The Phoenix.

Social Media App for Recovery

- Recovery Events
- Virtual Meetings
- Community Boards

FREE TO ADD YOUR ORGANIZATION.  
SHARE YOUR EVENTS AND MEETINGS.



# STORY

**2018**

Planning, focus groups, jail outreach

**2019**

Incorporated, contact employees, became an RCO

**2021**

First full time staff, events post-pandemic

**2022**

Increased funding for additional staff & expanded space

**2023**

New Center opened, 5 staff

**2024**

Moved to new 4,000 sq.ft. space to meet the needs.

**FUTURE!**

More growth, more services, more Recovery Friendly Communities.



# The Center

Opened new location  
September 2024

Coaches on Staff

Multiple Pathway Meetings  
Monday - Friday at Noon - Hybrid

Computers, Resource Library,  
Coffee, Games, and more

Events and workshops



322 Bay Street, #3  
Petoskey, MI 49770













# WEEKLY MEETINGS SCHEDULE

ALL MEETINGS ARE HYBRID VIA ZOOM

## MONDAY

Open:  
9am- 2pm

10am- Hybrid  
Book Club  
Zoom Meeting Code:  
852 8893 2508

12pm- Hybrid  
Drama  
Zoom Meeting Code:  
859 1525 9719

## TUESDAY

Open:  
9am- 5:30pm

12pm- Hybrid  
SMART  
Zoom Meeting Code:  
859 1525 9719

6pm- Hybrid  
All Recovery  
Zoom Meeting Code:  
895 5985 9859

## WEDNESDAY

Open:  
9am- 2pm

12pm- Hybrid  
Trauma and SUD  
Zoom Meeting Code:  
859 1525 9719

## THURSDAY

Open:  
9am- 2pm

12pm- Hybrid  
LifeRing  
Zoom Meeting Code:  
859 1525 9719

## FRIDAY

Open:  
9am- 2pm

12pm- Hybrid  
SMART  
Zoom Meeting Code:  
859 1525 9719

Coaching Hours  
available by appointment

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# Region 2 Meeting Finder

[www.crami.org/find](http://www.crami.org/find)



-a-recovery -meeting/

- Find links to Recovery Meetings throughout Region 2 (21 counties) on our website.
- Listed by County and then City
- Includes multiple pathways (SMART, 12 -step, All Recovery, etc.)
- Are we missing your meeting?
  - Send your flier/information to [support@crami.org](mailto:support@crami.org)



# SMART Recovery Meeting in Charlevoix



**THURSDAYS @ 6PM**

220 Clinton St.

Charlevoix Public Library Meeting Room

Questions - Email [coach@crami.org](mailto:coach@crami.org)

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# Re-Entry Programs

- Returning from incarceration, treatment, or transitional housing.
- Coaching, connections, support with lived experience.
- Peer Support during the driver's license restoration process including hybrid monthly check -ins.





# Recovery Friendly Workplace Initiative

Help businesses support  
employees on their team  
who are in Recovery with  
training and on -going  
support.





# Events & Workshops



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## RECOVERY FAMILY FIELD DAY

Children are welcome and encouraged to attend!

Saturday, August 16, 2025  
1:00pm – 4:00PM  
Curtis Field – 1650 Standish Ave

This is a FREE, family friendly event open to the entire recovery community.  
Make sure to bring your own : chairs, blankets, sunscreen, bug spray, umbrellas.  
This is an outside event, so dress accordingly.



Craft Areas



Relays and Challenges



Outdoor Activities

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Reduce the stigma  
Build Recovery Capital  
Recovery is FUN!





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