

**Recovery Friendly Workplace,
an integral part of a Recovery Friendly Community**

**RFW Workshop
July 27, 2023**




**Part D
Recovery Allies & Advocacy**




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Government & Quasi-Gov Allies
















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Community Allies



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WAR ON DRUGS	
52 YEARS	SINCE IT BEGAN
\$39 BILLION	SPENT IN 2022
\$1 TRILLION	SPENT SINCE 1971

Recovery Advocacy & Policy



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Cultivate Recovery Capital

Recovery is Purple
Recovery is September

- Stigma is a noxious force
- Peers play a vital role in recovery
- Conditions lead to addiction, not the drug
- Addiction is a treatable disease / illness
- Allies are powerful (Families, Friends,)
- Communities have influence capacity
- Communities benefit from Recovery Friendly



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Recovery Friendly Initiatives

- Recovery Friendly Workplace movement in New Jersey
- Somerset County – Pilot Project Launch April 2023
- NJ State-wide movement via CPRCs
- Funding Requirements / Sources

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Q&A



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