



Charleston Center

A division of Charleston County Government

Renewing Hope, Strengthening Lives

Our Mission

The mission of Charleston Center is to help the residents of Charleston County live productive lives, free from the impact of alcohol, other drugs, and addictive behaviors.

Charleston Center recognizes that addiction to alcohol and other drugs is a chronic, progressive disease that can be fatal if left untreated. Charleston Center provides the following programs and services, which have received Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF) Three-Year accreditation:

- Inpatient Services
- Outpatient Services
- Alcohol and Drug Safety Action Program (ADSAP)
- Medication Assisted Treatment (Vivitrol, Methadone & Suboxone)
- Urine Drug Screening Lab
- Prevention/Education Services and more...



If you or someone you know struggles with problems related to alcohol or other drugs, please give us a call...we are here to help.

Hours of Operation

Office Hours 8:30 a.m.— 5 p.m., Mon-Fri
Withdrawal Management, Residential Units and Helpline are open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Outpatient groups and services have flexible scheduling, including evening hours.

Adult Walk-In Assessment Hours & ADSAP Intakes

Monday through Friday
8:30 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Charleston Center offers a continuum of care for adult and women's services.

Inpatient Services

Withdrawal management includes medically and clinically managed treatment for adults who are withdrawing from alcohol and other drugs.

Transitional Care Unit offers 24-hour medically monitored treatment services for adults (co-ed) in recovery from chemical dependency.

New Life Unit provides medically monitored care for pregnant and parenting women who are chemically dependent. Women can bring two children (ages newborn to 5 years) who will be cared for through Therapeutic Child Treatment Services.

Outpatient Services

Outpatient Services are provided in a variety of confidential, comfortable and convenient formats with Individual and group counseling sessions available. Special programs are available for Adolescents, Women and Persons Incarcerated Entering Recovery (PIER). Classes are also offered for Parenting, Anger Management, and Alcohol & Drug Education.

Medication Assisted Treatment

Opiate addiction (heroin, prescription pain medicine, etc.) is one of the most difficult physical addictions and may require medication maintenance during treatment. Charleston Center offers Methadone, Suboxone or Vivitrol combined with clinical counseling for clients.

Prevention/Education Services

Prevention services works with schools, coalition and community organizations to provide alcohol and drug education, and risk reduction activities. ***Speakers for events are available at no charge.***

ADSAP Services

The Alcohol and Drug Safety Action Program (ADSAP) offers education and treatment services for persons required to complete ADSAP due to a DUAC/DUI/BUI conviction, or who have had their driver's license suspended due to the ALR or Zero Tolerance Laws.

Therapeutic Child Treatment Services

Therapeutic Child Treatment Services is a child development program designed to meet the needs of children who may have developmental delays due to the alcohol and drug use of their parents.