



Recovery Partners of Vermont, Rutland Turning Point

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House Corrections & Institutions Committee

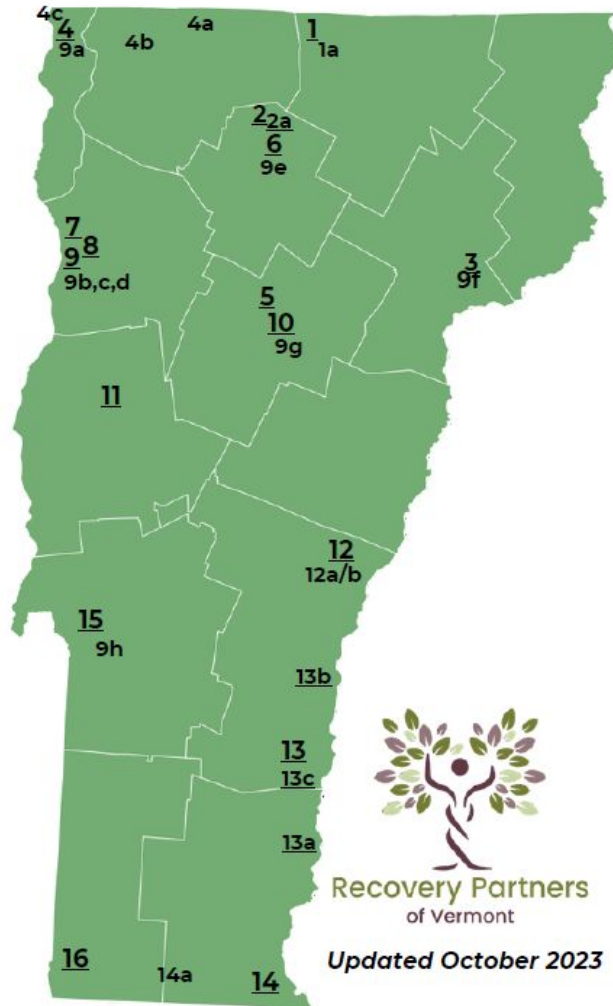
RPV Mission Statement

To support our member recovery organizations such that they can be world class establishments empowering all Vermonters and their families who are in recovery from an alcohol or other substance use disorder.



Where We Are Located

Member Organizations of Recovery Partners of Vermont



Recovery Partners
of Vermont

Updated October 2023

- 1 - Journey to Recovery Community Center | Newport | (802)624-4156
1a - Satellite Office | North Country High School
- 2 - Jenna's Promise | Johnson | (802)343-8741
2a - Recovery Residence - Rae of Hope
- 3 - Kingdom Recovery Center | St. Johnsbury | (802)751-8520
- 4 - Turning Point Franklin County | St. Albans | (802)782-8454
4a - Satellite Office | Richford
4b - Satellite Office | Enosburgh
4c - Satellite Office | Alburgh/Islands
- 5 - VAMHAR/RecoveryVT | Montpelier | (802)223-6263
- 6 - North Central Vermont Recovery Center | Morrisville | (802)851-8120
- 7 - Turning Point Center of Chittenden County | Burlington | (802)861-3150
- 8 - Vermont Alliance for Recovery Residences | Burlington | info@vtarr.org
- 9 - Vermont Foundation of Recovery | Essex | (802) 753-4340
9a - Recovery House - St. Albans
9b, c, d - Recovery House - Essex (3)
9e - Recovery Residence - Morrisville
9f - Recovery Residence - St. Johnsbury
9g - Recovery Residence - Barre
9h - Recovery Residence - Rutland
- 10 - Turning Point Center of Central Vermont | Barre | (802)479-7373
- 11 - Turning Point Center of Addison County | Middlebury | (802)388-4249
- 12 - Upper Valley Turning Point Center | White River Junction | (802)295-5206
12a - Recovery Residence - Willow Grove
12b - Recovery Residence - Jack's House
- 13 - Turning Point Center of Springfield | Springfield | (802)885-4668
13a - Satellite Office - TP South | Bellows Falls
13b - Satellite Office - TP North | Windsor
13c - Recovery Residence - Springfield
- 14 - Turning Point Center of Windham County | Brattleboro | (802)257-5600
14a - Satellite Office - Wilmington
- 15 - Turning Point Center of Rutland | Rutland | (802)773-6010
- 16 - Turning Point Recovery Center of Bennington | Bennington | (802) 442-9700



Community-Based Peer Coaching

- RPV is proud to partner with the Department of Corrections to request **\$1,500,000 in FY25** to expand the [Turning Point Center of Rutland's successful pilot](#) of community-based peer coaching statewide.
- This funding would support peer “Recovery Coaches” at every RPV site across the state, fostering continuity of care where individuals are able to access recovery services across institutional and jurisdictional boundaries.



\$1.5M for Recovery Coaches

A total **FY25** appropriation of **\$1,500,000** will fund:

- Core center project staffing: \$900,000
 - “Core center” – RPV Centers that have a correctional facility within their service area
 - 1.5 FTEs x6 centers @\$100,000 per FTE per year
- Auxiliary center support: \$350,000
 - “Auxiliary center” – RPV centers that do not serve communities with a correctional facility
 - 0.5 FTEs x7 centers @\$100,000 per FTE per year
- Recovery Partners of Vermont administrative support & staffing: \$100,000
 - 0.275 FTE per year (includes 10% fund management)
- DOC administrative staffing/new coordination facilitation duties: \$150,000
 - Covers annual cost for staff time + 0.25 FTE project manager + executive oversight



The Need, The Capacity

- Getting into treatment is just the first step in someone's lifelong journey of recovering from an addiction. Treatment helps someone break free from their addiction in that moment, **recovery helps that person break free from their addiction for life.**
- The Turning Center of Rutland's pilot shows that RPV members are uniquely suited to provide the tools and resources people need to live a sober, self-directed and fulfilling life. **Community-based peer coaching is a key element to the success of those resources.**

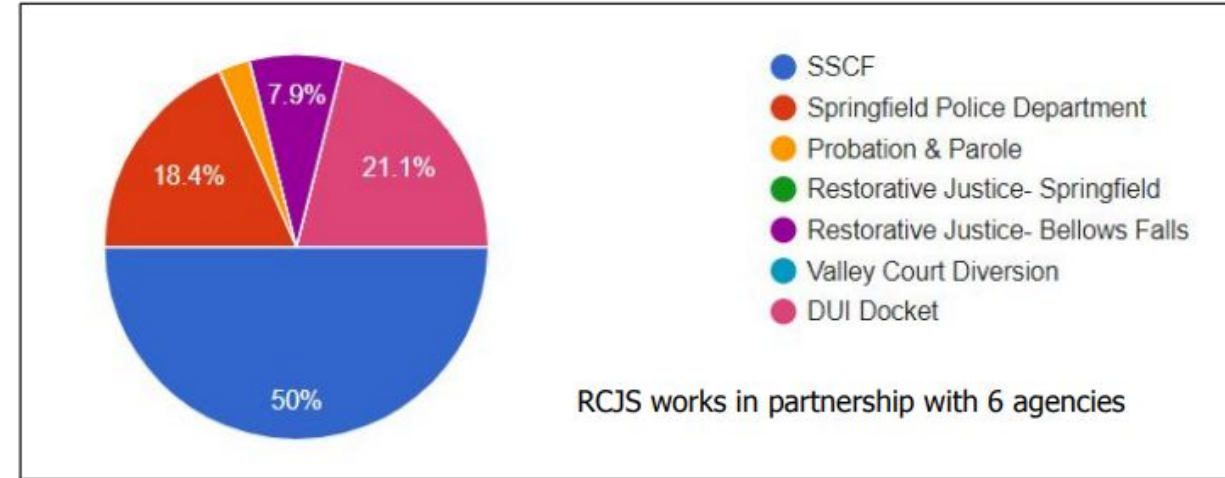




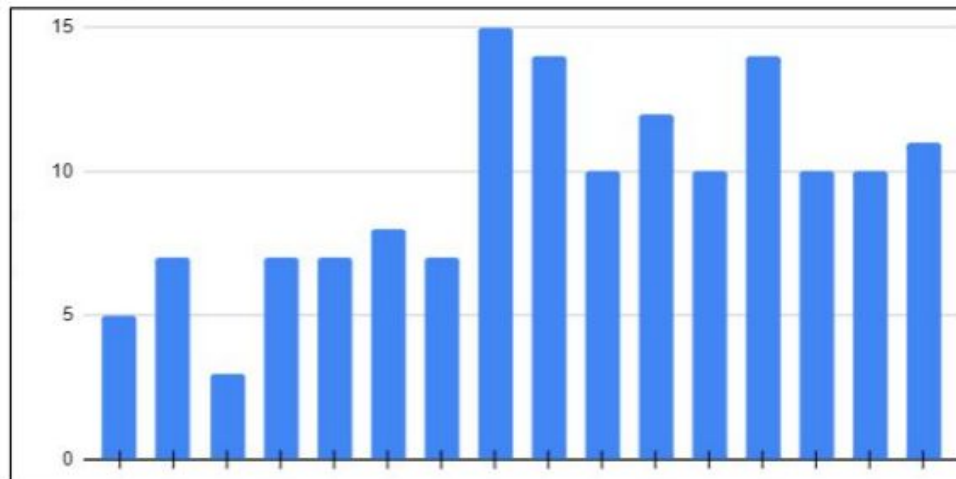
Recovery Coaching in Justice Settings (RCJS) Data for Southern State Correctional Facility Recovery Groups FY 2024 Sept 2023-Jan 2024

Through SMART Recovery, group work, 1:1 Recovery Coaching, participants explore:

- goal setting
- recovery-based problem solving
- using the tools of recovery in day-to-day interactions



group participants per visit



- 1st onsite group at SSCF: 8/28/2023
- # of groups: 27
- # of average group participants: 10-15
- # overall participants: 280
- # of unique participants: 40 +/-
- # referrals to partner agencies: 27
- # of participants submitted recovery coach applications: 3





Turning Point Recovery Center

7 Morgan St. Springfield, VT 05156

802.885.4668 - spfldtp.org

RCJS Participant Sketch

Participant: Male from SSCF, late 30s.

Summary: Participant began attending onsite Recovery Coaching/ Recovery Group at SSCF in late October 2023. He shared about his anxiety around an upcoming release date, and a desire to successfully navigate a relationship. As his release date grew closer, he identified wanting to 'stay clean' as his primary motivation to change what's not working. He also identified he 'didn't understand what it meant to NOT be institutionalized'. He also identified he'd been incarcerated 'all but 2 years of my adult life'.

Through SMART Recovery programming & identifying triggers, he shared that he now 'has some tools' to *respond* rather than *react* to situations that might arise.

Coach & participant met onsite on his release date. Participant and Coach walked out of prison together. Participant stated 'the sun hits you different when you're a free man'. Participant had been arrested in summer clothes- we provided winter clothes, coordinated transportation to Brattleboro, and helped connect him to temporary housing. He is working with a Recovery Coach from the Windham Co Turning Point in Brattleboro.

Participant identified a desire to continue working with their recovery coach and 'stay in recovery'. Follow up is ongoing by both Turning Point Centers in Springfield and Brattleboro.

