

Grant's HARBOR Rose HOUSE



Official NEWSLETTER Summer 2025























RECOVERY is real!

Our program is peer-led, with 57% of our team members being graduates of our recovery program and have personally experienced and triumphed over addiction. This first-hand experience fosters understanding and empathy towards those currently battling addiction. Our CEO, Josh Torbich, is a prime example of this success, having graduated from the program 12 years ago and now dedicating his career to helping others overcome addiction.



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My name is Allyana, and I'm a 28-year-old from Transylvania County who struggled with meth addiction. I grew up in a broken home with parents battling their own addictions and a childhood spent between family, foster homes, and therapeutic foster homes. At 9, I was molested, and at 13, I was raped – an experience that deeply affected me. As I grew older, I turned to meth, losing myself further in addiction. The loss of my grandmother, to whom I was very close, was devastating. I became homeless, sleeping in tents and staying wherever I could. I endured abusive relationships and found myself in and out of jail and prison.

While incarcerated, I learned about CRCI. Arriving at CRCI on October 15th straight from jail, I rededicated my life to God and got baptized. I'm immensely proud of my growth and grateful to the CRCI (Rose House) staff for their support. Trusting in the Lord and seeking His will has guided me on a new path.

Allyana M.
Rose House Graduate



I hit rock bottom before coming to CRCI. I was hopeless, living for my next high, and had abandoned my family, loved ones, and God. I was miserable, angry, and stuck in the past. I realized Satan was holding me back. I stopped listening to negativity and started listening to those who cared. That led me to a Wilmington bus station, broken and confused, but wanting one last shot at life. When Bo from CRCI couldn't pick me up due to flooding, I almost gave up, but God intervened. CRCI found me a hotel room, and I promised myself to complete the program and let God work on me.

I got baptized and rededicated my life. 2 Corinthians 5:17 says, "Anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!" My past sins are forgiven, and I'm excited about my future with Christ. I know I can overcome anything. Colossians 3:17 guides me. I now have hope and care for others. I'm rebuilding relationships and becoming the man God intended me to be. I have a long way to go, but I'm grateful to CRCI, Jesus, and Bo Grasty.

Tristian F.
Grant's Harbor Graduate



[rēdə'veləpm(ə)nt] - "the action or process of developing something again or differently.

 带 C R C I CABINET & COUNTERTOP

Our Workforce Redevelopment Program (WRP) is a vital resource within the recovery setting as it empowers residents by equipping them with the skills, training, and resources needed to successfully reenter the job market. This not only aids in their personal and financial stability but also reduces the risk of relapse by fostering a sense of purpose and self-worth. Ultimately, it strengthens communities by turning lives around and reducing the societal costs associated with addiction.

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FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Jan 1, 2024 - Dec 31, 2024

Public Support and Revenues:

\$1,304,017	Contributions	
\$2,006,087	Workforce Redevelopment (Enterprise Revenue)	
\$389,043	In-Kind Contributions	
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Efficiency Rating*:

\$.84 of every **dollar** generated go directly to charitable services at Christian Recovery Centers.



What's This?

Agencies report this rating by directly measuring the cost of direct care services compared to administrative and fundraising expenses.

Expenses:

\$2,153,113 Pr	rogram Service	es	
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A note from our CEO

Recovery has proven to be so elusive for some. Since my time at Christian Recovery Centers I've seen and met many new faces. I have also seen many familiar faces who just can't seem to put the plug in the jug and never look back. I recall a recent conversation I had with our admissions department that circled around the idea of how many times we should allow someone to reenter our program. I didn't share this in the meeting, but there is a natural radar that I have that seems to go off around the third time that somebody is coming back into our doors after yet another failed attempt to put their life on a different track. The thought comes in the form of a question that sounds like "are we the right place for them or are we just their most convenient option?" Ironically enough, with all the responsibilities I have on my plate today, it's questions like these that push me to the limits and drive me to a place to seek God's wisdom. Coming from a life of addiction, I know how easy it is to enter into multiple failed attempts in recovery. I also know how easy it is to continue to choose the most familiar pathway when you've made the decision to give it a go again. The problem is I have been around long enough to see countless different pathways to finding success in recovery. Many people might find it on their first attempt by settling into a huge dose of resolve and moving forward no matter what the obstacle. Others may find themselves easily discouraged and continue to make a couple more trips on the merrygo-round of addiction before their spirit comes to terms with the reality that there is no way to manage without immediate and permanent change. Everything I just described is what I would consider the circumstances that lead us into recovery. And yes, there are many different versions of circumstance that lead a person to true and lasting recovery. On the other hand, I have only found the same common "principles" that must be adopted to lead and keep people in true recovery.

Principles are much more powerful than circumstances. I consider them the things that run the entire world. It's fascinating to me that the spiritual principles God created in our world are so powerful and consistent that the results of them ring true for everyone who would be willing to adopt them. I was recently sharing a message for our women's program "Rose House," something I do every Friday. Somewhere about halfway through the message I felt the Holy Spirit's leading to remind them of the characteristics and ideals that they would desire to be found in their future partner. Many of them quickly spouted off some of the more common answers. He would need to be a gentleman, a provider, good-looking, a Christian. As the more obvious answers started to wear off, the women in the chapel started to ponder a little bit deeper. The next thing they tapped into explains where success in life is found. One of the women broke the ice and named the first principle, "he would need to be honest", another one joined in, saying "he would need to be generous."

Honesty, generosity, integrity, resolve, forgiving, selflessness, the list goes on and on as they started to delve into the core characteristics found inside of every version of the perfect husband. "This is quite the list," I exclaimed, then asked them the question, "are you striving to be all of those things as well?" They all seemed to get a little bit more somber as the exercise turned drastically from a fun daydream about their future husband into an intense session of self-reflection.

The point is, there are always different circumstances that lead us into recovery, but there is always one, God-created, list of spiritual principles that keep us spiritually well. I thank God that in 2013 Christian Recovery Centers taught me how to become spiritually well through adopting these age-old spiritual principles. Thank you, Lord!

Josh Torbish

Josh Torbich, CEO Christian Recovery Centers Inc (CRCI)

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God Has Done It Again!

This past year, a property formerly known as "The First Tee of the Carolinas" was put up for sale. While CRCI was immediately interested in the property due to its already turnkey features, we were not in a season to stretch ourselves financially to make such a significant real estate purchase. In a turn of God's favor, a generous partner and donor from the community made the offer to purchase this property on Christian Recovery Center's behalf. A pending special-use permit hearing is our last obstacle to make it officially the new home for Christian Recovery Center's Motivational Track for men.

This property features 28 beautiful acres. Tucked right behind a small community close to Black's Tire off of Highway 17, this space offers an abundance of tranquility and privacy. The buildings on the property could not have been better for the needs in this season for the ministry. The largest building on the property is about 10,000 ft² and offers dormitory-style living for 50 people (And yes, the beds are already there!), a large commercial kitchen that adjoins directly to a spacious dining room. There's also a large administrative building on the other end of the property that is across the parking lot from a large maintenance building.



With God's continued favor, CRCI has continued to grow and offer more and more resources to people who need it the most.

Bryant's Orchard will continue to be a tool that allows Christian Recovery Centers to reach and restore people for the Kingdom of God.

Stay tuned for our ribboncutting ceremony! We would love to have you come out and be a part.