



Recovery Oriented System of Care
West Central Illinois ROSC Council
Meeting Minutes

Location: Hybrid – Zoom and Bridgeway (Galesburg)

Date: June 19th, 2025

Time: 1:00pm

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. What's new at Bridgeway? Events? Open Forum
3. Questions, Comments, & Open sharing

Sign In: 15 Attendees

8 People with Lived Experience

The June meeting for Bridgeway's West Central Illinois ROSC was a success. Taking place on Juneteenth, the meeting was smaller than usual. The meeting was hybrid format, with many attendees being in person at Bridgeway's Galesburg location. We were able to introduce and hear from Lynsey Glass, Bridgeway's newest CPRS. Lynsey gave a brief background on her recovery journey and shared some of her goals in her new position. We were also able to hear from Bridgeway employee Amber Edwards, who was celebrating 9 years in long term recovery on the same day as our meeting. We promoted our upcoming event "Our Stories Have Power" and had some light discussion. WCI ROSC coordinator has met with council members, Bridgeway staff and superiors to discuss the strategic plan and direction of the WCI ROSC Council.

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"Collaborating to build and empower communities of recovery"

ROSC Vision:

- People can and do recover.
- Individuals and families determine the supports and services they need.
- Services and supports are continuous and cohesive across different phases of care and are coordinated across the various agencies involved in their delivery.
- Support of recovery is a community responsibility and value.
- There is inherent flexibility in the system, so it can be responsive to different pathways to recovery.
- Measuring quality and outcomes is a system priority.

ROSC Values:

- Recognize the right of a person to direct their own recovery
- Recognizing that there are many models of, and paths to, recovery
- Operate with integrity and a sense of personal responsibility
- Include the "voice" of peers, family members, and the community in planning and decision-making
- Implement programs with competency and good stewardship
- Empower individuals and families

- Embrace cultural diversity

ROSC Goals:

- Inform, educate and empower individuals and communities
- Determine existing services available as well as the needs to expand necessary services in the areas of prevention, treatment, peer recovery support and systems improvement
- Partnerships that are rich and diverse
- Increase in the number of people pursuing recovery, improving recovery capital to strengthen capacity to build and maintain lives in recovery and build recovery sustainability