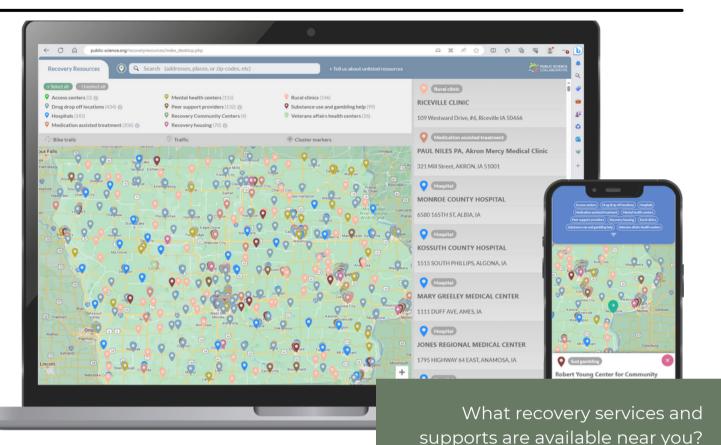
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Finding Recovery Support

Community-based recovery resources are incredibly important but can be hard to find or not well-known. The Recovery Resource Finder addresses this issue by serving as a convenient and centralized platform to aid individuals in finding recovery services and support more efficiently. The Public Science Collaborative's team of experts have gathered, verified, and organized the data of about 1400 recovery resources in 11 distinct categories throughout the state. As a result, lowans can now find the resources they require with greater ease and speed.

The Recovery Resource Finder is an interactive, user-friendly map that is compatible with both desktop and mobile devices. The customizable search feature allows individuals to filter by service type and city. This tool showcases a variety of services and care options to respond to the diverse needs of individuals within communities. The map-based format provides easy access to nearby resources while showing resources available in a broader geographic area.

Key Recovery Resources

Some of the resources categories include:

- Drug drop-off locations, which allow individuals to dispose of their unneeded prescription drugs to limit abuse of these substances.
- Medication-assisted therapy, which helps alleviate withdrawal symptoms for individuals in recovery,
- Mental health resources, as mental health needs are often co-occurring for those with SUDs these resources are important for managing mental health and well-being,
- Mutual aid and recovery housing groups, which are designed to provide a community of support to help address the material needs of people using substances, and
- SUD treatment centers and Veterans Affairs health clinics, which are facilities that provide medical care to individuals using substances.

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