NH Youth in Recovery Face Many Risk Factors for Recurrence...

% of NH 12th graders reporting in the past 30 days having used ... *

Alcohol......39.3%

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Marijuana.....33.9%

Vaping Products......42.7%

% of NH 12th graders reporting that in the past year they...*

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Were offered illegal drugs at school..18%

Thought that it was "very easy to access alcohol"......40%

Thought that it was "very easy to access marijuana".....**50.6%**

...Recovery Supports **Can Set Them Up for Success**

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Alternative Peer Groups (APGs) support youth in recovery by offering...



Substance-free environment

Harm-reduction approach



Engaging group activities

Sense of belonging

Peer Support for creating connections **New Hampshire** Youth in Recovery

Creating Connections NH is building a community of recovery supports for youth who experience Substance Use Disorder (SUD) or SUD with co-occuring mental health disorders. The Creating Connections NH treatment and recovery model emphasizes evidencebased practices, a harm reduction approach, and access to Peer Recovery Supports throughout a young person's journey to wellness.

What

Alternative **Peer Groups?**

Alternative Peer Groups (APGs) offer young people a chance to connnect with peers in an environment that is safe, substance-free, and recovery-focused.

- APG Facilitators are trained recovery support professionals
- Youth help choose fun group activities that match their interests
- Youths' physical and emotional safety and privacy are a priority
- Opportunities for family/caregiver involvement

Connect with a Group in Your Area

Live Free Recovery Newton, Rochester

Seacoast Outright Portsmouth/Dover

Revive Recovery Nashua livefreerecovery.com | 603.702.2461 reviverecovery.org | 888.317.8312

Hope for NH Recovery Manchester seacoastoutright.org | 603.552.5824 recoverynh.org | 603.935.7524

*Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. 2019 Youth Risk Behavior Survey Data. Available at: www.cdc.gov/yrbs.