



NUEVO AMANECER (NEW DAWN) SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM

An Intensive
Outpatient Treatment Program
certified by the
Department of Mental Health Division
of Alcohol and Drug Abuse



WHAT IS NUEVO AMANECER?

Nuevo Amanecer (New Dawn) Substance Abuse Program:

- ◆ Is an Intensive evidenced-based outpatient treatment program (12 weeks or longer)
- ◆ Is certified by the Missouri Department of Mental Health Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse
- ◆ Was created to target the Spanish-speaking Latino community
- ◆ Is funded by the Jackson County community supported quarter-cent anti-drug sales tax (COMBAT) and United Way
- ◆ Uses “Living in Balance” – an evidence-based substance abuse program
- ◆ Employs a bilingual/bicultural staff of Missouri Certified Counselors

OBJECTIVE OF NUEVO AMANECER:

To effectively assist Spanish-speaking clients, families, and youth seeking substance abuse intervention and counseling to improve individually, intra-personally, and socially. The program is designed to increase knowledge of addiction and recovery principals, and decrease illicit drug and alcohol abuse.

WHAT DOES THE PROGRAM PROVIDE?

Program provides:

- ◆ Screening/Intake assessments
- ◆ Individual substance abuse counseling
- ◆ Group substance abuse counseling
- ◆ Family substance abuse intervention
- ◆ Gang intervention related to substance abuse
- ◆ Case management

* The MRC Nuevo Amanecer Substance Abuse Program admits all individuals who are eligible based on the funding mandates of the grant.

WHO MAY PARTICIPATE?

Client eligibility:

- ◆ Jackson County resident (requires proof of residency)*
- ◆ Between the ages of 12-17 years (Youth Program) and 18-older (Adult Program)
- ◆ Spanish-speaking clients who are court referral and do not meet other English-only treatment program eligibility
- ◆ Client admission status must be illicit drug use or abuse
- ◆ Motivated for treatment

All services are provided with respect to client privacy and confidentiality.

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Our Mission

Mattie Rhodes Center bridges cultures and communities through arts, mental health and social services. We empower individuals and families through culturally competent bilingual services in a respectful and compassionate environment.

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