



MOAR

Massachusetts Organization for Addiction Recovery

Join **MOAR** for Community, State, Region,
and National Recovery Action

- ❖ **MOAR** Executive Director Maryanne Frangules is the Faces and Voices of Recovery Board Secretary!
- ❖ **MOAR** is excited about the National Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA) of 2016, the most comprehensive effort to address the opioid epidemic.
- ❖ **MOAR** is pleased to have an expanded Bureau of Substance Abuse Services contract to help format a peer-to-peer recovery support services network.
- ❖ **MOAR** is moving ahead with as SAMHSA RCSP-SN Grant, SOAR- Speaking Out for Addiction Recovery, to build a statewide recovery community network. We are part of SAMHSA grants led by the Boston Public Health Commission and Parent Professional Advocacy League!
- ❖ **MOAR** is an advocate for improved treatment access & length of stay, LADC1 and recovery coaching reimbursement, and prescription monitoring. All are on the move.
- ❖ **MOAR** is spreading the word about Knowing Your Rights Regarding Insurance Parity. Health Law Advocates might help, call 617-338-5241.
- ❖ **MOAR** looks forward to improved MassHealth Coverage.
- ❖ **MOAR** will continue to advocate for improved emergency services for people suffering from substance use and mental health problems.
- ❖ **MOAR** is a MA Coalition for Addiction Services member—moving to keep the continuum of care alive and well.
- ❖ **MOAR** AREAS, Addiction Recovery Education Access Services, facilitators are now helping others navigate the system.
- ❖ **MOAR** is a leader in The Good Samaritan Public Awareness Campaign to spread the word about the law that makes calling 911 to reverse a fatal overdose the right thing to do!
- ❖ **MOAR** believes that when it comes to prison sentencing—treatment and re-entry need to be immediately available!



Windia Rodriguez

My name is Windia Rodriguez, and I am the Boston and North East Regional Coordinator for MOAR. I have been in

recovery since October 9, 2011, and I am most grateful for a second chance at life.

My professional journey began when I joined the STEP Rox Recovery Support Center in 2013 as a Volunteer Coordinator. As a person in recovery, I became very invested in my community's healing from trauma, addiction, and domestic violence. I began working for MOAR in June 2015. During the past year, I've focused on getting to know the organizations and people in my region and what resources they offer. I have meetings with individuals, coalitions, and various other organizations. I learn about them and offer information about MOAR. I facilitate meetings to inform people about legislation, recovery services and recovery messaging. I also serve as a member of the Consumer Advisory Board for DPH in order to become more of a voice for people in recovery.

In the upcoming year, I will be working on a diversity plan with my coworkers, creating and building MOAR Regional meetings, and helping to implement a statewide peer-to-peer network. I love the work that I do because not only does it help others but it helps me too. **It's important for me to be part of MOAR to help advocate for people and be a power of example that women do recover!**

MOAR Mission

Our mission is to organize recovering individuals, families and friends into a collective voice to educate the public about the value of recovery from alcohol and other addictions.

MOAR Vision:

We envision a society where addiction is treated as a significant public health issue and recovery is recognized as valuable to our communities.

Join **MOAR** or Contribute **MOAR** By Mail or Online www.moar-recovery.org

MOAR membership financial support helps pay for mailings, scholarships and activities. **MOAR** membership drives the **MOAR** Mission and Vision. **MOAR** volunteers help plan and support projects. **MOAR** has a Student/Volunteer Category because we understand anyone can have financial issues.

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Work Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Home Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

MOAR Membership and Contribution Categories

Organization \$75 ☐ Founder \$50 ☐ Student/Volunteer \$0 ☐

Individual \$20 ☐ Family \$25 ☐ Other Amount _____ ☐

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September is National Recovery Month

JOIN THE VOICES FOR RECOVERY:

OUR FAMILIES,
OUR STORIES,
OUR RECOVERY!



National
Recovery Month
Prevention Works • Treatment is Effective • People Recover
SEPTEMBER 2016

Join Events Across Massachusetts!

Friday, September 2nd

Sober in the Sun Festival starts (3-days)- Treasure Valley Scout Reservation, Rutland, Christine- 617-896-9334

Saturday, September 3rd

6th Annual David Lewis 5k Run/Walk – 200 Ter Huen Drive, Falmouth. 9 AM, Jodi (508) 540-6550 ext. 5241

Sunday, September 4th

MOAR Presents Recovery Messaging at Sober in the Sun, Contact **MOAR** at (617) 423-6627

Friday, September 9th

10th Annual Dorsey-Leary Open Golf Tourney -- Franklin Park, Dorchester, 7:30AM, 857-496-0052 ext. 806

Recovery in the Park -- 4PM. 31 Main St, Marlboro, Recovery Connection, (508) 485-0298

Saturday, September 10th

Road to Wellness 5k Walk/Run – Dimock Center, Roxbury, 7AM, registration [@roadtowellness5k](#)

MOA Kicking Addiction Kickball Tournament – Tufts Park, Medford, 9AM-7PM, Alysia, (781) 526-0260

E.B. H.O.P.E. Celebrates Recovery – East Bridgewater Common, 4-10PM, ebhope@comcast.net

Ryan Harrington Corn Toss Tourney – Trum Field, Somerville, 10AM-6PM, Cathy (617) 909-3120

The Addict's Mom Light's of Hope – Plainville Town Park, Starts at 6PM [@patti.robinson.560](#)

Monday, September 12th

Turn It Around Charlestown Kickoff BBQ – Eden St. Park, Charlestown, 3-6PM, Shannon (617) 320-9058

Wednesday, September 14th

MOAR & Friends Statewide Recovery Day March and Celebration

Rally Starts 9 AM at Parkman Bandstand on Boston Common. March to Faneuil Hall for the Celebration!

Call **MOAR** at (617) 423-6627 [@MOARRecovery](#)

Breakfast/Walk to Recovery Day Rally –15 Green St, Charlestown, 8 AM, Shannon, (617) 320-9058



Thursday, September 15th

Recovery Homes Collaborative Luncheon, Florian Hall Dorchester, 11:30AM-2:30PM, Bob (617) 773-7023

Friday, September 16th

Gavin Foundation Awards & Comedy Show Honoring Maryanne Frangules & EOHHS Marylou Sudders, IBEW Hall, 256 Freeport St, Dorchester, 6:30PM, Susan (857) 496-0052 x806

Saturday, September 17th

Charlestown 8th Annual Candlelight Vigil – Hayes Square, Charlestown, 630PM-930 PM, Shannon (617) 320-9058

STEPROX All Recovery Day—Malcolm X Park, 131 Dale St, Roxbury 12-4PM. STEPPOX- (617) 442-7837

Fitness Boot Camp for a Cause to benefit Justin's Voice – Woburn Senior Center, 10AM, [@FreddyliveFitness](#)

A New Way Recovery Center Health & Wellness Fair – 85 Quincy Ave, Quincy, 1-4PM, Susan (617) 302-3287 ext. 407

Sunday, September 18th

Recovery Month Liturgy – St. Mary Church, 55 Warren Street, Charlestown, 630PM, Shannon (617) 320-9058

Saturday, September 24th

Meridian House Alumni Celebration -- 4-8 PM, 408 Meridian St., E. Boston, Deb (781) 300-1991

Greenfield Recovery Jam – Camp Apex, Shelburne Falls, 12-8PM [@TheRECOVERProject](#)

Open Doorway's Cape Cod Run For Recovery– Public Library, Bourne, 7AM (2 days), Rachel (844) 843-6322

End Addiction Pancake Breakfast – 1315 Main St, Brockton, 8-10AM, Teen Challenge (508)408-4378

One Heart, One Recovery Yogathon – 785 Albany St. 4th Fl, Boston. 10AM, [@OneRecoveryBoston](#)

Allston-Brighton Task Force Annual 5k Walk for Recovery, Herter Artesani Park, Brighton, 9AM Registration, Helen (617) 789-2967

Sunday, September 25th

Recovery Day Worcester – Common at Worcester City Hall. 1PM, Mattie Castiel (508) 269-2428

Plus many **MOAR**! Visit www.moar-recovery.org