

# 2023 STAR First Year Recap



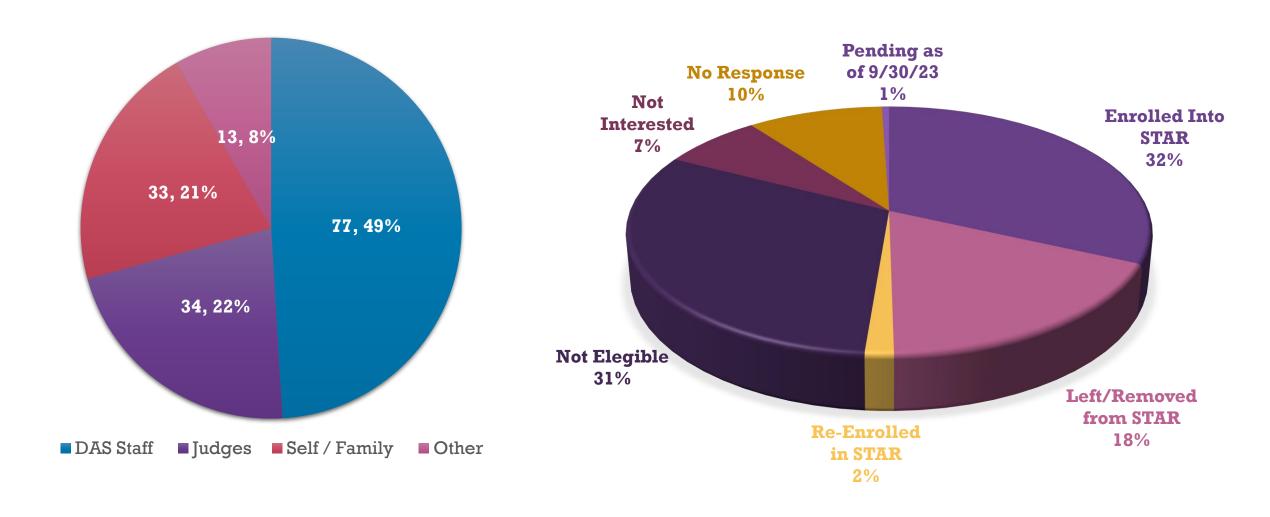


# STAR Program Overview

- Multidisciplinary supervision model focused on DAS supervisees struggling with opioid use disorder (OUD).
- Clear focus on root causes of addiction and mental illness to address criminal behavior.
- "All change is self-change." What is this individual ready for today?

#### 157 Total Program Referrals













#### 12-Month Contact Data Review

- 71 Addiction Medication (MAT) Referrals
- 234 counseling sessions completed
- 2,418 Peer Recovery Support Specialist (PRSS) contacts completed
  - 6 STAR participants currently enrolled in PRSS Certification course
- 309 Home Visits completed

#### 12-Month Recidivism Data Review



#### Redefining Success, Reinforcing Public Safety

- 17 Violation Arrests among a total of 62 participants over a 12-month period.
- 4 Participants accrued new criminal charges, with 2 being ordered to return to the STAR program.
- In the year prior to STAR's inception, 65% of the individuals currently enrolled were arrested 2 or more times and charged criminally. Since the launch of STAR, a mere 6% of the individuals engaged in the program have gone on to accrue new criminal charges.

#### 12-Month Overdose Data Review



- 11 total overdoses where medical intervention was required.
  - 18% of all participants served over the course of 12-months.
- 7 who overdosed remain active participants in STAR.
- 3 participants were removed from programming for overall program nonadherence.
- 1 overdose death.



Interactive Journaling® is a structured and experiential writing process that

motivates and guides

individuals toward positive life change.

- 103 one-on-one journaling sessions completed.
- 31 group journaling sessions completed.
- 165 journals distributed.

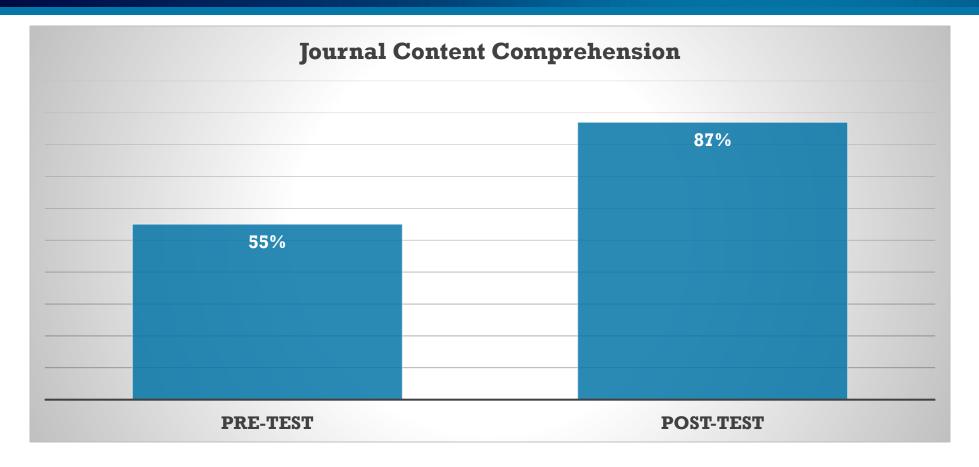






#### 12-Month Journaling Data Review





• 32% average increase in journal content comprehension when comparing pre-test/post-test data.

# STAR Drug Testing Appearance and Results Comparison By Month



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Programming	Compliance		Participants Per														
Month	Rate	Positivity Rate	Month in 1st Year	8	80% -												
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12	95%	15%		2													

## Additional Grant Funding Secured Over Year 1



STAR Program Year 1 Ext	Grantor: DHHS/	\$178,504.00			
Recovery House & MAT	Grantor: FRN		\$182,560.00		
Recovery Services	<b>Grantor: BJA</b>		\$826,852.00		
Recovery Services	<b>Grantor: DHHS/</b>	DPBH	\$32,722.00		
STAR Program Year 2	<b>Grantor: DHHS/</b>	DPBH	\$410,513.00		
	Total A	\$1,631,151.00			



- FRN funded project
- Life Changes Inc. and SilverSummit Health Plan collaboration
- Sober living for 8
   STAR program
   participants
- Live-in House Manager



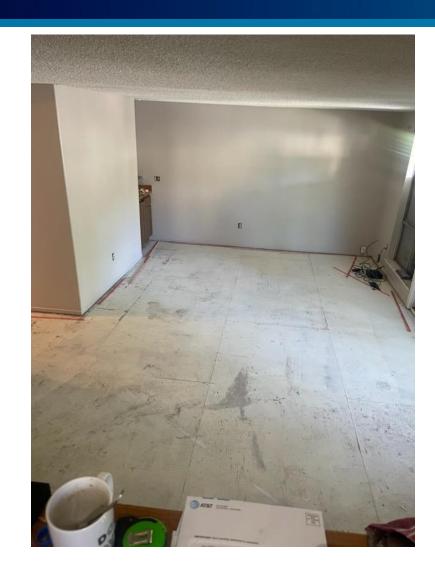
- A revolving door of prosocial opportunity
  - Reps for Recovery
  - Food Bank of Northern Nevada
  - The Change Companies
  - SilverSummit

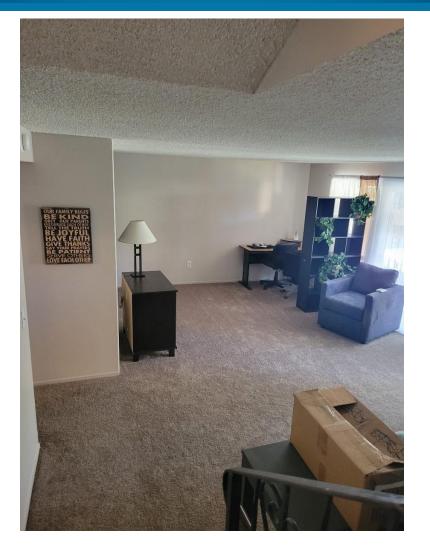












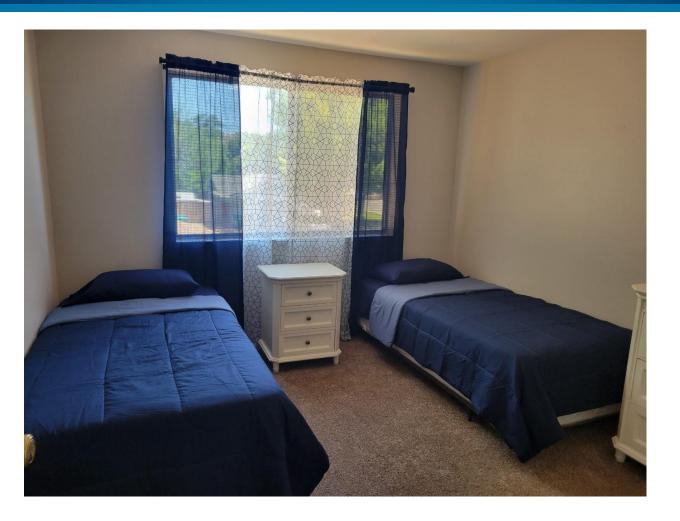
















A revolving door of prosocial opportunity.

### Leading with Compassion and Allowing For Change



And thank you for everything you do. You have really changed our perspective on people with badges.

Reflection: Some successes I've had are I've Learned alot from groups and parenting class, I walked into the program not being in understanding of how much there was to me and my addiction, challenges I've faced are understanding, identifing, and realizing it's oxay to feel some of the feelings that I've been covering up and running from.

Lelebration: I'm so proud of how far I've come with being off my suboxone and how much I've Learned about myself.

matter what happens on Monday at sentencing I just want you all to know the significant impact you have all made on my life. Other than my wife and my sister, you're probably the only 3 people that from the jump believed in me and had my back. You've made me see a lot of myself and learn a lot too. Every time I've been in trouble, I've never had a chance to prove myself before sentencing and without you three I would have never had the chance but you took a chance on me and I will be forever grateful! I hope this program gets the attention it deserves be no other program has this many selfless people that genuinely care and want to see success even through the screw ups. You guys are amazing and will forever have my love and loyalty no matter what. I appreciate all of you and love you for real! I hope you have a great day and weekend!



The Change Companies
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We're elated to be part of Washoe County's STAR program with our Courage to Change curriculum! Sgt. A. Sherbondy shared, "The success and excitement around STAR wouldn't be possible without your collective support, so thank you all for sticking with us."

January 19, 2023

PAARI Partner, Washoe County DAS, Finds Early Success in Their Newly Founded STAR Program





# Local and National Support for the STAR Initiative





# Thank you



