

As a clinician I have been working with John and Candace L for over ten years. Sending patients to them I worked with in 3 Portland area hospitals after stabilizing and in need of sober housing.

Many specifically appreciated the availability of an affordable Christian Sober Home offering a chance at a new start.

Galia House has homes in suburban communities supporting the ability to move away from previous "old neighborhoods", where they are more easily triggered.

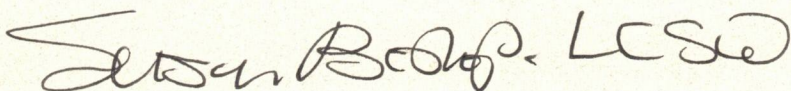
This increases potential for success when a newly sober man or woman isn't constantly running into the buddies they were drinking or using with before.

The homes are in quiet neighborhoods where they receive support from peers and the House Mentors who are there providing support from a place of experience and understanding.

While Oregon passed measure 110 to establish easier access to treatment when they are ready to discharge, they need an affordable, supportive place to live in the community. Galia homes have been an incredibly supportive place to go on the day their inpatient treatment ends.

The recovery community needs many more homes to meet the needs.

Thank you,



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