

CHARG Resource Center welcomes you

to the

David Quarton Drop-In Center @ CHARG

About us:

The David Quarton

Drop-In Center @ CHARG

*is run by and for people who live
with major mental illness.*

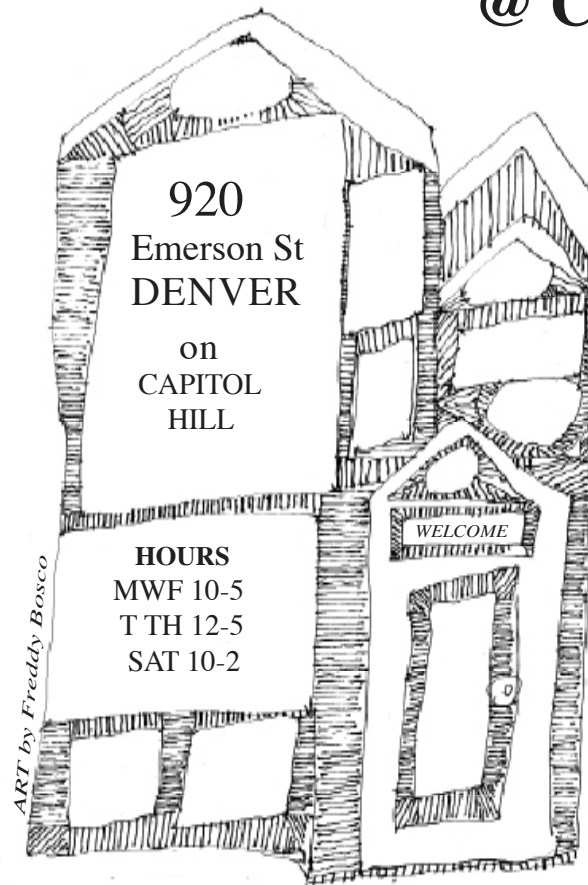
The center is free of charge

and open to any adult,

age 18 and over,

living with a mental illness

and currently in treatment.



- Message Center
- Computer Lab
- Food Bank
- Snacks & Coffee
- Friendly Staff
- Tuesday Lunch \$1.25
- Thursday Bingo
- Friday Movies
- Groups & Classes
- Outings
- Clothing Bank

303-830-2130

www.charg.org

What is CHARG Resource Center?

It is an innovative community established in 1989 that serves adults who live with major mental illness.

It includes the Heartland Clinic and the David Quarton Drop-In Center @ CHARG.

What is the Drop-In Center @ CHARG?

It is a place for consumers of mental health services to have social contact away from their place of residence.

It is dedicated to the memory of David Quarton, CHARG founder and champion of mental health for one and all.

Is it free?

The Drop-In Center is free of charge.

It is open to anyone over age 18 who is currently in mental health treatment.

How do I join the Drop-In Center?

If you are a CHARG clinic client, you are automatically a member of the Drop-In Center.

All others must fill out a *Contact Information Form* during their first visit, and they will be asked to bring *verification of treatment* to their second visit.

What is *verification of treatment*?

It is a note written to us by your provider on his/her agency stationery telling us you are currently in mental health treatment.

What if I'm waiting for treatment?

If you are on a waiting list for mental health treatment, bring us an official appointment card with your name and the date of your first appointment.

Will CHARG ever call my therapist?

If there is concern about your safety or the safety of others, we reserve the right to contact outside medical or legal assistance.

This might include calling your therapist or the emergency contact person you gave us.

Can I become a clinic client at CHARG Resource Center?

In addition to joining the Drop-In Center, you might apply to receive outpatient therapy at CHARG's Heartland Clinic.

It is located a few blocks away at 709 E. 12th Avenue.
Call 303-830-8805 for more info.

Are groups & classes for clinic clients only?

When you join the Drop-In Center, you may attend the groups & classes offered by CHARG.

What is *not* acceptable at CHARG?

Weapons

Illegal Drugs

Alcohol & Marijuana

(You'll be asked to leave if you smell like either one.)

Stealing

Panhandling

Bumming Cigarettes

Discrimination

Sexual Harrassment

Sleeping on Premises

(Inside or Outside)

Loud Talk, Disrespect or Name-Calling

Aggressive Behavior