

'BUILDING RECOVERY' - HAVE YOUR SAY ON THE SHAPE OF THE NEW DRUGS FRAMEWORK

The NTA is asking those with a personal or professional interest in drug treatment to be involved in designing a new service framework that will support local areas in delivering the government's new drug strategy. Under the working title, *Building Recovery in Communities*, the NTA is consulting on the development of this new framework until 4 May 2011.

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'INTEGRATING TREATMENT WITH TRAINING, HOUSING AND EMPLOYMENT IS CRITICAL TO SUSTAINED RECOVERY'



Ex service user David Ryan knows what a difference the right kind of treatment can make to a recovering addict. Clean now for 11 years, the former heroin and crack user has worked his way up from volunteer to supported housing lead at Acorn Treatment and Housing, a large recovering community rehab in the North West of England.

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DRUG TREATMENT CASH TO COUNCILS MAY HINGE ON RECOVERY RATES



Local authorities could soon get funds for treating drug addicts on the basis of how many successfully recover from dependency.

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News in brief

Service users and people in recovery have a key role to play in leading the development of local recovery-oriented drug treatment systems, [Paul Hayes](#) told Seize the day! DDN's 4th service user conference on 10 February 2011.

Addiction psychiatrists have a key role to play in leading the development of a recovery-orientated drug treatment system, [Paul Hayes](#) told the Royal College of Psychiatrists on 2 February 2011.

Latest contributions to the [Guardian and NTA recovery themed microsite](#) by Phoenix Futures and UKDPC:

- [Phoenix Forest: a growing symbol of recovery](#)
- [Time to get serious about stigma](#)



The local VfM tool is a web-based model that enables local partnerships to estimate the economic and social benefits of investment in drug treatment and recovery services for their area.

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- [DDN Service User Directory](#)
- [Rehab Online](#)
- [Drug Strategy](#)
- [Skills Consortium](#)
- [Acorn Housing](#)

PAYMENT BY RESULTS UPDATE



Sixteen local areas in England have been short-listed as potential pilot sites for exploring the introduction of payment by results for drugs recovery.

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