



2021 -2022

Impact Report



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Introduction

The Keith Dixon Foundation was established to honor the life of Keith Dixon, who passed away in 2014 from a drug-related overdose.

Our Vision

Is that all Tennesseans who struggle with substance use disorder will know how to get the help that they need and also have the opportunity to receive the quality of care necessary to recover and heal from active addiction.

We were inspired to honor his memory and the memory of all the other Tennesseans who has lost their battle with addiction by helping to provide all of the recovery support services necessary to recover and heal from addiction.

Our Mission

Our mission is to raise awareness and resources to assist people seeking recovery from addiction.

Our Story

After years of wanting to find a way to honor Keith's memory, Lisa Woodard and Logan Terry sat down at a Texas Roadhouse and discussed the possible ways of doing that while also helping those still struggling with addiction in the state of a Tennessee. Lisa decided that she wanted to have a Nonprofit dedicated to Keith's memory that raised money to provide scholarships for Tennesseans struggling with addiction into recovery programs.

Neither Lisa or Logan knew the first thing about starting or operating a nonprofit organization. So naturally, Logan asked some of his childhood friends, Kat, Cameron, and Lindsey who also grew up with Keith (That also knew absolutely nothing about operating a nonprofit), and without hesitation they all agreed immediately. Kim Granier who, just like like Lisa, had lost her son to an opioid related overdose also joined as did Logan's Mother Cynthia Terry. In May of 2021 they registered the Keith Dixon Foundation, Inc. as a nonprofit organization with the Tennessee secretary of state.

Why is the Overdose Deaths per capita worse in Tennessee?

In 2018 The State of TN had a

32%

Higher Overdose Deathrate that the U.S. Average

EASE OF ACCESS

Prescriptions written per 100 people:

National Average: 51.4

Tennessee: **81.8**

Lack of Funding

Mental Health and Substance Abuse treatment spending per patient:

National Average: \$5,500

Tennessee: **\$2,500**

Insurance Shortages

Uninsured Tennesseans in 2019: **675,000**

Lack of Extended Care Treatment

The state of Tennessee does not have enough state-funded extended care facilities. Most Funding is directed to an individuals first 30-days of recovery ONLY

Our 2021-2022 Goals



To Raise

\$32,000

For the 32% Higher Overdose Deathrate in Tennessee

EDUCATE

Tennesseans that There is help available and to bring awareness about the vital importance of QUALITY of Care and CONTINUATION of care

PROMOTE

outdoor recreational activities for people in early recovery

CULTIVATE

A progressive outlook about the substance abuse problem in our state

PROVIDE

Financial assistance for individuals seeking treatment for substance abuse

What We Accomplished Together

Thanks to our Donors we were able to kick off our mission by starting three funds to immediately provide direct assistance to Tennesseans who were suffering from substance use disorder.

**From 2021
Through 2022,
We Raised**

2021 TOTAL = \$19,120

2022 TOTAL = \$43,052

\$62,181!

PROJECTS	DETAILS	OUTCOME
Tennessee Recovers Together Scholarship Fund	This fund provides scholarships into long-term recovery programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 26 Scholarships Provided
Recovery Retreats	Provides the funding to host intensive recovery retreats for individuals in early recovery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st Intensive Recovery Retreat was hosted with 12 participants
Therapy & Wellness Fund	Provides direct assistance for individuals to receive Therapy, Healthcare, Psychiatric Care, & Counseling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 31 Counseling & Wellness Sessions Provided

We thank you for your ongoing support of our program and for helping Tennessee Recover Together



Acknowledgements

We want to express a special thank you to all of our donors and supporters, it is only because of your generosity that we have been able to accomplish all that we have. We look forward to continuing this our mission of helping Tennesseans get the support they need to find a life of sustained recovery.

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