

We are a local non-profit connecting with our local community for those seeking substance use recovery, in treatment, in active recovery, families dealing with a struggling loved one or those that have suffered the loss of a loved one due to substance use disorder to find healthy, positive outlets of expressions in the arts. We are also pushing the proper education and resources forward in our county to stop the stigma of addiction/the individual affected by substance addiction to further public health, family unity and dignified living for the "forgotten". Our organization was founded in memorial of our lost soldier in the fight for sobriety, Yaritza Rollan.

Yaya por Vida Foundation has integrated work in the areas of harm reduction supplies, especially for our houseless SUD victims living on the streets with limited access to care. Wound care, meals, clothing, Naloxone kits/training and resources to seek no to low cost treatment, permanent housing and more in collaboration with Camillus House as well as Thriving Minds. Care kit drives are conducted the last Saturday of every month. Since our first drive in September 2020, we have passed out a total of 350 care kits and 24 saved lives thanks to our houseless residents using our Naloxone to revive a bystander or friend. We also combine our care kit drives with community clean up and deep relationship building with the folks we meet. Funding is used to create community outreach events, fundraisers, create life savings programs for youth and adults alike with cultural compliance in mind, wellness and art programs for victims of SUD.