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Erie County Health Department Launches Kaptur Recovery Services, Creating a Single-Campus Continuum of Addiction Treatment and Care

Sandusky, OH, November 12, 2025 – The Erie County Community Health Center (ECCHC), under the umbrella of the Erie County Health Department (ECHD), today announced the official rebranding of the former Kaptur Rogowski House to Kaptur Recovery Services. This strategic change signifies the expansion and integration of the ECHD's comprehensive continuum of care for addiction treatment and recovery, all centralized on one campus.

Kaptur Recovery Services operates as a 28-day residential treatment center dedicated to helping individuals achieve and maintain sobriety. The facility also retains its crucial two crisis stabilization beds, ensuring immediate support for those experiencing acute behavioral health crises. The greatest benefit of the name change is the clear articulation of the comprehensive, wraparound services available on the single campus. Individuals seeking care now have streamlined access to multiple essential resources, eliminating common barriers to treatment:

- Erie County Detox: Onsite detoxification services to safely manage withdrawal.
- Erie County Community Health Center (ECCHC): Co-located services providing essential primary medical care, dental services, and mental health counseling.
- Kaptur Recovery Services: Offering 28-day residential treatment.
- Intensive Outpatient (IOP) and Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT): Available through ECCHC to support long-term recovery efforts post-residency.

"This new structure is about breaking down the silos in care," said Stephanie Salyer, RN, Chief Behavioral Health Officer, ECHD. "By consolidating these critical resources—from detox to primary health to long-term recovery support—on one campus, we are making the path to recovery clearer, more accessible, and more effective for every individual who walks through our doors."

The consolidation ensures seamless transitions between levels of care, maximizing the chance for successful, sustained recovery by addressing medical, mental, and behavioral health needs concurrently. To inquire about admission to Kaptur Recovery Services or to learn more about the ECHD's full range of addiction services, please call 419-624-3353.

About the Erie County Health Department

The Erie County Health Department's mission is to promote and improve the health and safety of the communities and environment within Erie County while preventing disease through essential public health services. ECHD operates the Erie County Community Health Center, the Erie County Detox, Kaptur Rogowski House, and Compass Point, providing adult day services for Alzheimer's and Dementia patients.

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