

**A LEGACY OF HOPE.  
A FUTURE OF HEALING.**



**2025 IMPACT REPORT**

# ROOTED IN COMMUNITY. FOCUSED ON RECOVERY.

With deep roots in the community and a strong foundation built over half a century, IBH Addiction Recovery has served as a cornerstone of hope and healing in Northeast Ohio. Our longevity is not simply a measure of time, but a testament to the thousands of lives restored and the generational impact of recovery made possible within our walls.

A legacy of more than fifty years is built by weathering change. This past year, we navigated a shifting federal funding

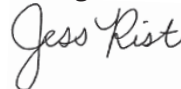
landscape and complex policy decisions that have challenged the behavioral health sector nationwide. Yet we met these obstacles with the same resilience and determination we see in our clients every day. While the external environment may evolve, our mission remains unwavering: our clients are at the heart of everything we do.

Recovery is about more than treating addiction. It is about rebuilding families, reunifying parents with children, restoring hope to loved ones, and returning healthy, productive citizens to our community. Each individual who walks through our doors represents a ripple effect of healing that extends far beyond our campus, into homes, workplaces, neighborhoods, and future generations.

This year's milestones, including national recognition, expanded services supported by federal investment, and continued growth under strong leadership, reflect the dedication of our team and the trust our community places in us.

As we look ahead, we remain committed to expanding access to care, strengthening partnerships, and ensuring that IBH Addiction Recovery remains a place where recovery begins and hope endures.

With gratitude,



Jess Rist, Chief Executive Officer



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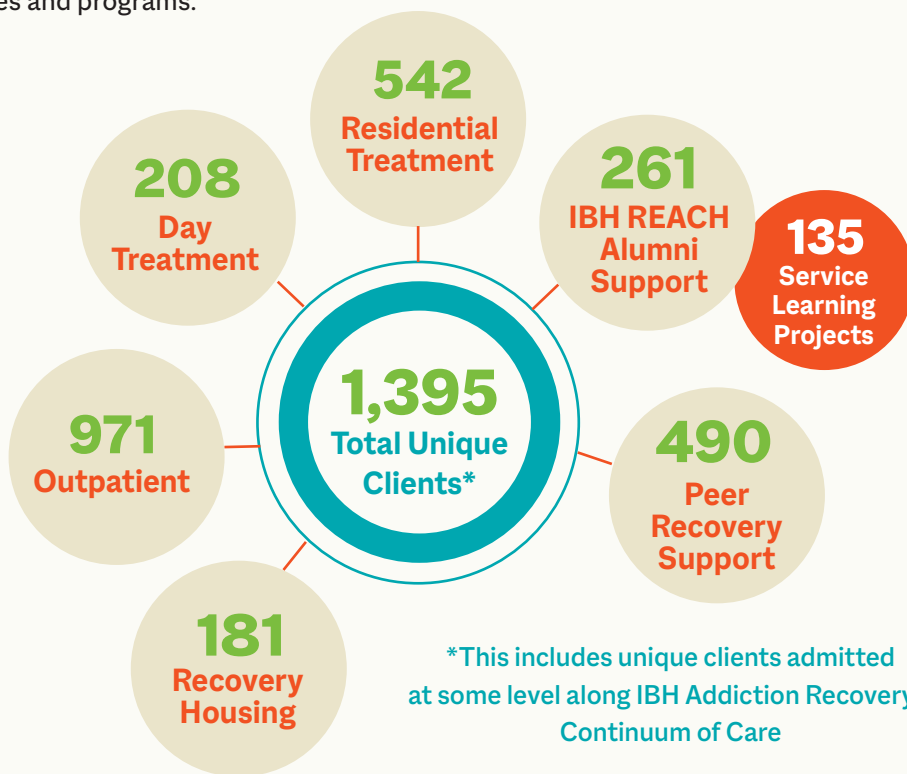


## Our Mission

IBH Addiction Recovery offers persons with alcohol and drug addiction, including those with a co-occurring mental health disorder, the opportunity to restore hope and gain skills for a lifetime of sobriety.

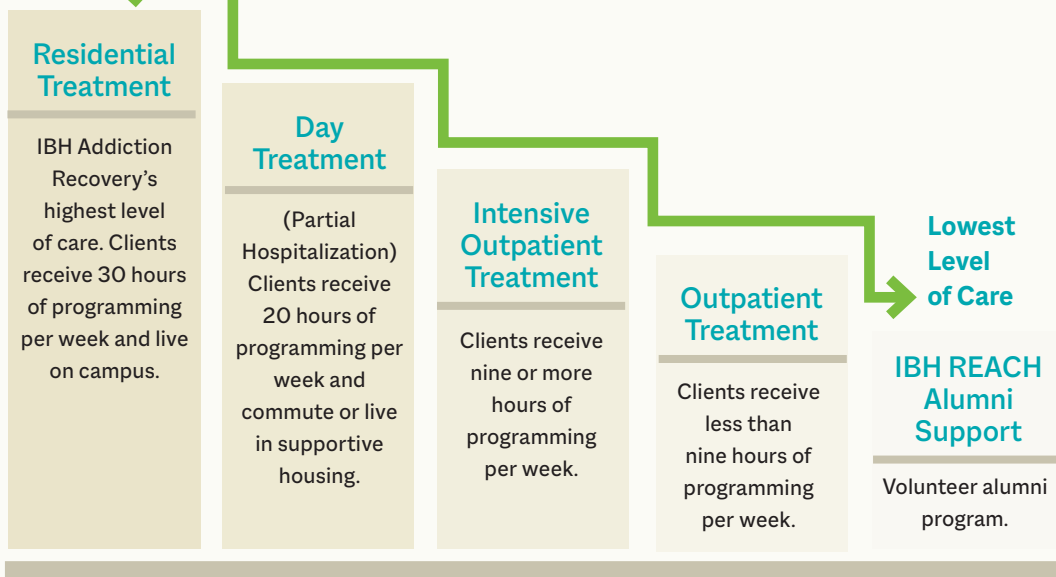
# TRANSFORMING LIVES, ONE CLIENT AT A TIME

IBH Addiction Recovery provided a total of **117,297 services** to **1,395 unique clients** during 2025. The chart below identifies the number of unique clients served by each of our core services and programs.



## IBH Addiction Recovery's Continuum of Care

Highest Level of Care ←



# NEWSWORTHY ACCOMPLISHMENTS



## Leading the Way in Addiction Treatment

IBH Addiction Recovery has once again been recognized by *Newsweek* as Summit County's #1 Addiction Treatment Center, reflecting our longstanding commitment to an evidence-based, comprehensive approach to drug and alcohol addiction treatment.



## Expanding Access. Strengthening Recovery.

IBH Addiction Recovery was honored to receive a federal grant award from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), expanding our ability to serve individuals with substance use and co-occurring mental health disorders. The funding supports enhanced access to treatment for underserved populations, including expanded outpatient capacity, recovery support services, and care coordination.



## New Leadership

In 2025, IBH Addiction Recovery proudly welcomed Jess Rist as Chief Executive Officer. A respected leader with a deep commitment to community impact, Jess stepped into the role with a clear vision for strengthening clinical excellence, expanding strategic partnerships, and advancing IBH Addiction Recovery's mission.

*New CEO Jess Rist with Tom Pitts, 2025 Board Chair, and Carol Klinger, 2025 Board Treasurer.*

“ My life changed the day I stepped foot on these grounds!  
I'm so thankful for IBH loving me until I could love myself!! ”

# 2025-2029 STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

IBH Addiction Recovery is embarking on an energized vision for the future, one that builds upon our rich history while embracing new opportunities to enhance the lives of those we serve. Our strategic plan is a testament to this vision, focusing on providing individualized and holistic services that prioritize the unique needs of each person, fostering a deep sense of belonging, and ensuring our programs are representative of our community.

## 1. TREATMENT

We will provide individualized substance use and co-occurring disorder services that encompass a holistic approach across our continuum of care.

## 2. COLLABORATION

We will provide a professional, collaborative, diverse, and highly engaged team in support of client care.

## 3. IBH ADDICTION RECOVERY CORPORATE BOARD

We will provide a competent, enthusiastic, and engaged corporate board of trustees that offers prudent oversight and instructive guidance to the organization across multiple disciplines.

## 4. FUNDRAISING AND COMMUNITY PRESENCE

We will enhance visibility and funding for IBH Addiction Recovery through comprehensive awareness campaigns, strategic partnerships, and effective messaging.

## 5. FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY

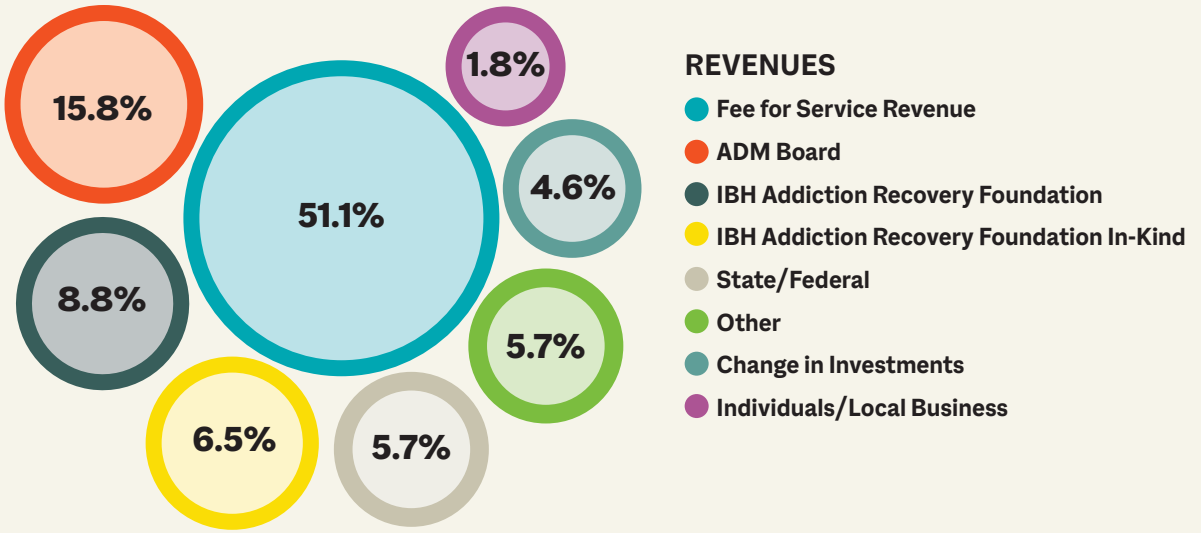
We will provide financially sustainable, market-driven, and community-focused services and facilities that maximize revenue sources.

## 6. RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, AND PLANNING

We will create a strategic research, development, and planning team, comprised of board members and staff, working collaboratively to develop new business opportunities to better position IBH Addiction Recovery's relevancy in the community.

“ I know you saved my life and have saved countless others over the decades. Thank you for giving me the tools to have my life back, to be trustworthy for my family, and to be a help to other alcoholics. ”

# 2025 FINANCIAL REPORT

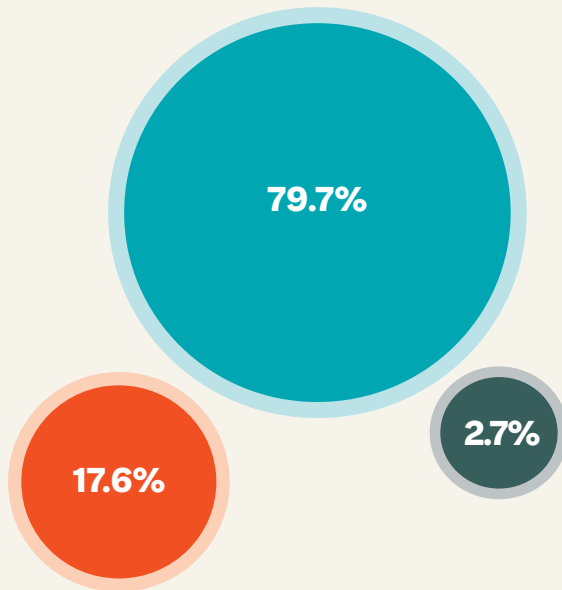


## REVENUES

- Fee for Service Revenue
- ADM Board
- IBH Addiction Recovery Foundation
- IBH Addiction Recovery Foundation In-Kind
- State/Federal
- Other
- Change in Investments
- Individuals/Local Business

## EXPENSES

- Program Operations
- Administrative Personnel
- Fundraising



*“I’m so grateful that these facilities continue to grow and adapt to the recovering addicts’ needs. I wouldn’t be here if it weren’t for IBH and all of the outreach programs that they coordinated for me.”*



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