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Our Place appoints new Director of Therapeutic Recovery Community

VICTORIA, B.C. – Our Place is pleased to announce that Dana Young has joined its leadership team as Director of the Therapeutic Recovery Community.

Dana brings more than 30 years of experience in providing front line service in the criminal justice field, and for the past 25 years in the alcohol & drug field, specifically in the areas of Therapeutic Community and program development. She was the Program Manager of the Guthrie Therapeutic Community at the Nanaimo Correctional Centre where she spearheaded the development and implementation of this successful program.

Our Place has ambitious plans to develop a Therapeutic Recovery Community (TRC). Its vision is to create a long-term TRC that fosters individual change and promotes positive growth to help individuals return to society to lead productive lives. Residents in the TRC will be committed to changing their lives and have a responsibility to hold both themselves and others accountable. A professional treatment team will guide and support members through the program.

“We couldn’t be happier to have found someone with Dana’s broad scope of expertise in the Therapeutic Community model,” says Don Evans, executive director of Our Place. “Dana is well respected for her work at Guthrie Therapeutic Community over the last 11 years and I am excited to have someone of her caliber join the Our Place leadership team.”

An Open House for the public to learn more will happen on Thursday, April 5th at 94 Talcott Road from 5:00pm to 8:00pm.

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