THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE

COLLEGIATE RECOVERY COMMUNITY

The Recovery House at Penn Place

The Recovery House at Penn Place was created for Buckeyes in recovery to be able to live together on campus and develop a sense of community in a recovery atmosphere. Marty, a current resident and buckeye, shared about his experience in the Recovery House. "Moving into the Recovery House was a huge step for me and the decision to move in has been something that I am grateful for each day. One thing that stands out to me the most and is worth noting is the location of the house. For me, living in this area of campus, located near the medical center, has provided a much safer, quiet, mature and responsible student living environment."

Living on a college campus can be difficult for students in recovery. Living in the Recovery House at Penn Place allows for students in recovery to have the extraordinary experience that being a buckeye offers without sacrificing their recovery. Marty goes on to say, "When I lived off campus I wouldn't say that I felt 'disconnected,' I just didn't feel that true sense of belonging that Penn Place has been able to provide for me. I now feel like a proud, active, successful, and contributing member of The Ohio State Community. Living in Penn Place has been a staple to my recovery and to my success going forward, it is a decision I don't regret making."

Marty was kind enough to share two images that tell the story of his life before beginning his journey of recovery at the Recovery House and his life today!



To learn more about the Recovery House at Penn Place, please contact the Collegiate Recovery Community by emailing recovery@osu.edu or by calling 614-292-2094.