



Michael Joseph Lassiter Foundation- Organizational Objective

Create an atmosphere consistent with the empowering nature of its vision. When individuals or community members receive support and/or services from Michael Joseph Lassiter Foundation, Inc, they will experience a noticeable feeling of love, warmth, acceptance, and security.

Build an organization that is community oriented and is respected by the mental health communities.

Develop programs, intervention strategies and raise awareness to protect individuals and communities from the continued trauma of untreated mental illnesses, addiction, and chronic pain.

Support and empower individuals and communities by using a collaborative approach which honors individuality by designing unique plans that will fulfill the needs of each participant to provide safe and effective support to promote optimal wellbeing.

Raise awareness by implementing and maintaining a grassroots education campaign in the communities where mental illnesses, addiction, and chronic pain are prevailing.

Create open lines of communication and serve as a resource within the organization and community.

Break the cycle and pervasiveness of these traumas through communication and community awareness/education.

Provide a safe, non-judgmental, destigmatized, supportive, and therapeutic environment for individuals to escape their situation, heal, and receive assistance needed to rebuild their lives.

Conduct educational and provide resources for therapeutic group sessions for community members to further empower those who have overcome their past traumas, persons who are at risk of these traumas, and any other member of the community in need of support.

Use and develop evaluation tools to determine whether it has accomplished its goals in facilitating mental illness, trauma recovery, and enhancing the quality of life for every participant.

Grow and expand organizations throughout the U.S. and continuously learn from feedback.