

Fairfax – Falls Church
Community Services Board

SOME – Substance Abuse Outreach Monitoring and Engagement Unit

CSB's Substance Abuse Outreach Monitoring and Engagement Unit (SOME) reaches out to individuals with diagnosed substance use disorders to connect them with resources (such as housing, food, health care, peer support and employment) to help them stabilize their living situation, engage them in SUD treatment services, and prevent relapse. Headquartered at the [CSB's Merrifield Center](#), the four SOME staff members travel all over the county providing outreach, monitoring and engagement services as well as case management and coordination services.

To be eligible for SOME services, a person must: (1) be an adult resident of Fairfax County or the cities of Fairfax or Falls Church; (2) meet DSM-V criteria for Substance Use Disorder (SUD), and (3) complete a CSB assessment for services.

SOME is designed for individuals who:

- Frequently use detoxification services but do not subsequently engage in treatment services or recovery.
- Are waiting to enter residential treatment services and have extensive case management needs.
- Are leaving a treatment program and need help connecting with community services such as housing, employment or insurance benefits.
- Are successfully completing treatment but need ongoing support due to a history of chronic relapse.
- Need a case manager for housing services (i.e., Wedgewood, Bridging Affordability).
- Are at risk due to opiate dependence or pregnancy.
- Are receiving Suboxone from the CSB's Addiction Medication Clinic.
- Are Fairfax County residents receiving methadone at the Alexandria Methadone Clinic and need ongoing case management services.
- Are receiving services at the Alternative Incarceration Branch of Fairfax Adult Detention Center and need case coordination services.

Know someone you think could benefit from SOME services?

Contact Ella Jones, SOME supervisor, at 703-352-3431 to find out if the individual is eligible for SOME services or for more information. Note: SOME staff members are available at the following sites and times to meet and engage with individuals who are currently receiving services at these locations:

- Fairfax Detoxification Center, Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Fairfax Adult Detention Center/Alternative Incarceration Branch, Fridays and as needed.
- Alexandria Detoxification Center, Fridays, 9 a.m. to noon.
- CSB Outpatient Detox/Addiction Medication Clinic, Merrifield Center, 2nd floor, Mondays through Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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Your link to local services for people with mental illness, substance use disorders, intellectual and developmental disabilities.

For emergencies, the following numbers are answered 24/7, 365 days a year:

- Fairfax Detoxification Center: 703-502-7000
- CSB Emergency Services: 703-573-5679
- **If immediately life-threatening, call 911.**

To learn more about CSB services, during business hours call CSB Entry & Referral, 703-383-8500 (TTY 711).

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