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## SEPTEMBER IS RECOVERY MONTH

National Recovery Month, recognized in September, promotes the societal benefits of treatment for substance use and mental disorders. This month we celebrate people in recovery, recognize the contributions of treatment providers, and promote the message that recovery in all its forms is possible. Recovery Month spreads the positive message that behavioral health is essential to overall health, that prevention works, is effective, and that people can and do recover.

Friends of Youth offers a variety of prevention, assessment, early intervention, referral and treatment programs for youth and their families. For more information on our substance abuse services, counseling services, and/or prevention services please contact one of our Youth and Family Service's offices. Issaquah: (425) 392-6367, Duvall: (425) 844-9669, Snoqualmie (425) 888-4151. Or visit our website at: <http://www.friendsofyouth.org/youthAndFamily.aspx>

JOIN THE VOICES FOR RECOVERY

**RECOVERY BENEFITS  
EVERYONE**

## UNITED WAY DAY OF CARING

On Friday, September 16, Friends of Youth will welcome employees from Microsoft, Wells Fargo, Nordstrom, and Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, Seattle Branch as part of United Way's Day of Caring. The five groups will start their day at 9:00 AM and tackle projects ranging from painting and minor interior repairs, to assembling a picnic bench and a storage shed....not to mention a gamut of projects in between.

Friends of Youth is so fortunate to be the recipient of so much attention and the youth living in our facilities love having their houses feel more like homes. The personal touch that the volunteers provide is felt all throughout our agency.

Special thanks to the United Way for organizing and spearheading such a win-win event!

## SAVE THE DATE



### **7<sup>th</sup> Annual CELEBRATION OF YOUTH Luncheon!**

**Add our annual event to your calendar  
as you make plans for 2012.**

**Interested in being a table captain or sponsor?  
Let us know.**

**DATE: Friday, March 16, 2012**

**TIME: 12:00pm - 1:00pm**

**PLACE: Hyatt Regency Bellevue**

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