**Recovery Continuum 2000 Timeline**

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Description: This is a timeline going from left to right with words and pictures . For recreating the timeline in text, it will go down the page rather than across the page.

**1960 - The Dark Ages**

Civil Rights

No control

“only the wealthy survive” (a song)

Warehousing

Institutional care

Treatment as punishment

Over Medicated

Sedation?

First CRO in nation

No info about meds

No trust

A few good Docs

**1970**

Su and Dennis Pioneer the State – Kansas or Bust

Hello – no outreach

Community Mental Health Centers

First ex-patients survivors conference

Social clubs

Secret Rx diagnosis

Bad parenting

stigma ignorance

Project Acceptance first Kansas CRO -1975

strength in numbers

Broken lives

Laws change

LINK opens

Rays of Hope

Groups form

Community begins to care

**1980 – Staying Alive!**

Roll the dice medication roulette

Chemical handcuffs

Treated as criminals

Why was I hospitalized?

Experimental medications

Day Hospital, State Hospital, Group home – I’ve got a ticket to ride – Get on the bus!

Legislative Action

Breakthrough!

Community Support Programs

In CPS we (must) trust (on a dollar bill with Grants written beside it)

Compeer

State Hospitals – Do we need these? Do we need so many? Where should we invest?

Meds improve

Non traditional approaches – housing, case management, clubhouse

**1990 – Mental Health Reform**

Let’s talk about it!

Families, comsumers, state officials

MHC, KMIAC, NAMI, Consumers on boards

POWER SHIFT

Strengths, Consumer run organizations

Self-help

High Plains opens

Sunshine Connection opens

Project independence opens

SIDE opens

My own home

New meds

Spirit III opens

Nuts and Bolts opens

PS club and Oakleaf opens

Explosion of CSS programs

Increase of case managers

Increase of attendant care

Increase crisis

Increase supported living , ed, employment

The amazing shrinking Hospital!

Short stays

Recovering consumers as providers

Fewer side effects – look mom, I can move my feet!

Monarch house opens

Ties that bind - peer support

Sorry – no room!

Gaps

How about the term “humans”?

We have the keys

Going to school!

Consumer Leadership

Open Door

Helping Hands

CRO’s Nest

**2000**

Recovery Conference

Learning about Recovery

State funds new CROs – Caring place, Reno Angles, Crystal Palace

CRO Network