



Leadership retreats for social change

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INNOVATION *for social change*



4 Cs

for leadership development

Competence
Confidence
Connections
Contributions



Why retreat?





In my work as a law clerk, I encounter people suffering from addiction. I have learned that addiction is very difficult to overcome, but recovery is possible through dedication and with community support. My innovation is to launch a CHIPS diversion program that would allow families to remain together while chemically dependent parents access services to assist in their recovery.

-Michael, Itasca County



I am a recovering addict who is passionate about addiction reduction, mental health stability and families. I have learned that people can change and that society as a whole is starting to notice mental health and addiction go hand-in-hand. My innovation is to help addicts and law enforcement bridge the gap by reducing stigma. The Changemaker Retreat helped me to get started, build my connections and added fire to my desire for change.

-Annette, Itasca County

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