



SHE RECOVERS® Foundation Receives \$250,000 Grant from Conrad N. Hilton Foundation to Build National Chapter Network Helping Women In or Seeking Recovery to Access the Support They Need to Heal and Grow

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(CITY, STATE) NOVEMBER 1, 2022 – SHE RECOVERS®-Foundation recently received a \$250,000 grant from the Conrad N. Hilton Foundation that will go toward finalizing the organizational infrastructure of a chapter network for the nonprofit organization and global grassroots movement of more than 325,000 women who are in or seeking recovery from life challenges including trauma, substance use, grief and loss, eating disorders, burnout and moral injury, love addiction and mental health issues such as anxiety and depression. The new chapter network will enable SHE RECOVERS to expand its many virtual and in-person behavioral health and recovery support platforms to women in communities throughout the United States and beyond.

“We are so grateful to the Hilton Foundation for their recognition of the need to connect, support and empower women in or seeking recovery and meeting people where they are, whether that is online or in person,” said SHE RECOVERS Executive Director Susan Carter. “The pandemic forced us to expedite our plans of building out our online communities, but now that the world has opened up, it is important to connect with one another in-person again.”

“The work SHE RECOVERS is doing in the recovery space is incredibly important and we are proud to play a role in bringing this support to more women in the United States and across the globe,” said Conrad N. Hilton Foundation Vice President of the Board Linda Hilton. “By expanding their efforts on a community level, the organization is creating relationships and a sense of belonging for so many.”

The Hilton Foundation grant will help SHE RECOVERS:

- Identify service areas for the new network
- Build an infrastructure that is legally and operationally sound
- Recruit and train trauma-informed volunteers to establish and manage chapter network activities and SHE RECOVERS sanctioned events in local communities
- Position SHE RECOVERS as an accessible recovery management solution within local recovery-oriented systems of care
- Finalize a chapter implementation plan
- Ensure chapters are appropriately registered to raise funds
- Financially support mission programs in Chapter communities
- Develop a measurement system to determine community impact

The first SHE RECOVERS chapters have been identified for Long Island, New York, and the New England region of the United States. The chapter sites were selected based upon the current number of women involved in SHE RECOVERS activities and events in these locations. The volunteer-led chapters will officially begin their work in January, 2023.

SHE RECOVERS® FOUNDATION

SHE RECOVERS® Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit public charity and a global grassroots movement serving more than 325,000 women and non-binary individuals in or seeking recovery from life challenges including trauma, substance use, grief and loss, eating disorders, burnout and moral injury, chronic pain, love addiction and mental health issues such as anxiety and depression. The organization's mission is to redefine recovery, inspire hope, end stigma and shame, and empower women in or seeking recovery to increase their recovery capital, heal themselves and help other women to do the same. SHE RECOVERS connects women through its virtual offerings and in-person community networks, provides resources and support to help women develop their own holistic recovery patchworks, and empowers them to thrive, share their experience, and celebrate success. SHE RECOVERS believes in a world where all women in or seeking recovery are celebrated, supported, and deemed essential to healthy communities. Please visit www.sherecovers.org for more information.

Conrad N. Hilton Foundation

International hotelier Conrad N. Hilton established the grantmaking foundation that bears his name in 1944 to help people living in poverty and experiencing disadvantage worldwide. Today, the work continues, concentrating on efforts to ensure healthy early childhood development and sustainable livelihoods for youth, support young people transitioning out of foster care, improve access to housing and support services for people experiencing homelessness, identify solutions to safe water access, and lift the work of Catholic sisters. Additionally, following selection by an independent, international jury, the Foundation annually awards the \$2.5 million Conrad N. Hilton Humanitarian Prize to an organization doing extraordinary work to reduce human suffering. The Foundation is one of the world's largest, with approximately \$8.5 billion in assets. It has awarded grants to date totaling more than \$2.4 billion, \$339 million worldwide in 2021. Please visit www.hiltonfoundation.org for more information.