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## The National Employment Expansion Project

The National Employment Expansion Project is a multifaceted approach to expanding employment opportunities for members of “Clubhouse” rehabilitation and recovery centers. The Project seeks to raise awareness about the employment success of people who are recovering from mental illness and receive support from these centers. The social and vocational rehabilitation centers participating in this Project are certified by the International Center for Clubhouse Development for quality assurance purposes.

The photographs in this booklet represent the thousands of workers in the United States who have experienced the effects of mental illness and, with the support of over 120 Clubhouses, are successfully employed.

“Our employees we hired through the Clubhouse have been dependable and conscientious.”

**CVS/pharmacy**  
**Stratford, Connecticut**

Jerry Sistrunk, *CVS/pharmacy Store Manager*



**CVS/pharmacy**

Member of Elm Brook Place, Bedford, Massachusetts  
*Merchandise Processing and Organizing, Cleaning*



### **Marathon Press, Norfolk, Nebraska**

Member of Liberty Centre, Norfolk, Nebraska  
*Book Assembly, Preparation of Promotional Materials*

“ We have a very busy operation and appreciate the dependability of our employees from the Clubhouse. We are proud of our company’s success with the program and strongly encourage you to consider employing members from the Clubhouse in your area.”

### **Marathon Press**

Bruce Price, *President*



### **Zagara’s Marketplace Cleveland Heights, Ohio**

Member of Magnolia Clubhouse, Cleveland, Ohio  
*Bagging, Cart Retrieval, Custodial Work*

“ The Clubhouse provides quality job training, follow-up, and offers a guarantee of no absenteeism that ensures that the job gets done.”

### **Zagara’s Marketplace**

John Zagara, *President/Store Director*



**Botainica, The Wichita Gardens  
Wichita, Kansas**

Member of Breakthrough, Wichita, Kansas  
*Outdoor Landscaping*



**Marden's Surplus & Salvage  
Waterville, Maine**

Member of High Hopes Clubhouse, Waterville, Maine  
*Stocking, Pricing, Customer Service*

“The program provides excellent service and commitment to both its employers and members.”

**The Atlanta Bread Company**  
**Virginia Beach, Virginia**

Catherine and Michael Gettier, *Owners*



**The Atlanta Bread Company**

Member of Beach House, Virginia Beach, Virginia  
*Dishwashing and Cleaning*



**Milford Regional Medical Center  
Milford, Massachusetts**

Member of Crossroads Clubhouse  
Hopedale, Massachusetts  
*Hospital Laundry*



**Quinsigamond Community College  
Worcester, Massachusetts**

Member of Genesis Club  
Worcester, Massachusetts  
*Switchboard Operation*

“Our Clubhouse employees support the work of over 75 attorneys and the guarantee of no absenteeism saves valuable time and resources. We have been very happy with our employees from Alliance House, our local Clubhouse.”

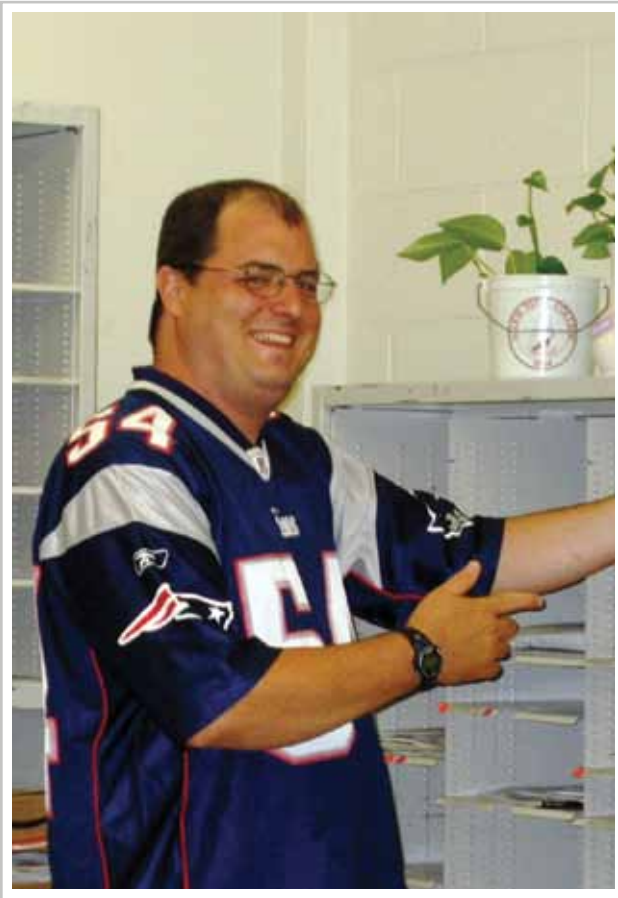
**Jones, Waldo, Holbrook  
& McDonough, PC  
Salt Lake City, Utah**

Sharon Opfermann, *Human Resource Manager*



**Jones, Waldo, Holbrook  
& McDonough, PC**

Member of Alliance House, Salt Lake City, Utah  
*Mailroom, Office Support*



**Salem State College  
Salem, Massachusetts**

Member of Pioneer House, Peabody, Massachusetts  
*Mailroom, Sorting and Delivering Mail*



**Re:Sources / Publicis Groupe  
New York, New York**

Member of Fountain House, New York, New York  
*Dispatching, Indoor Mail Delivery*

“Marden’s relationship with High Hopes Clubhouse has been very successful. Our Clubhouse employees have contributed to the success and expansion of Marden’s Stores, helping to prepare our new Waterville location for opening.”

## **Marden’s Surplus & Salvage Waterville, Maine**

Paul LePage, *General Manager  
& Mayor of Waterville, Maine*



## **Marden’s Surplus & Salvage**

Member of High Hopes Clubhouse, Waterville, Maine  
*Stocking Shelves, Pricing, Customer Service*



### **TJ Maxx, St. Louis, Missouri**

Member of Independence Center, St. Louis, Missouri  
*Shoe Processing*

“ We are proud of the many TJ Maxx, Marshalls, HomeGoods, and A.J. Wright stores that are working with Clubhouses, a national program that helps people with disabilities gain employment and support in the community.”

### **The TJX Companies, Inc.**

Patrick Flavin, Manager, *Workforce Initiatives*



### **ServiceMaster, Norfolk Division Canton Massachusetts**

Member of Neponset River House, Norwood, Massachusetts  
*Cleaning, Grounds Maintenance*

“ Hiring members from Neponset River House is one of the best business decisions that I have ever made.”

### **ServiceMaster Norfolk Division**

Jeremy Scott, *Vice President Operations*



**Lakewood Continuing Care Center  
Waterville, Maine**

Member of High Hopes Clubhouse, Waterville, Maine  
*Food Preparation, Serving, Dishwashing*



**Norwalk Maritime Aquarium  
Norwalk, Connecticut**

Member of Laurel House, Stamford, Connecticut  
*Managing Information Center and Guest Services,  
Supervising Ushers*