Mastering Recovery



Foundations of Recovery: A Self-Check

What grounds you in long-term recovery?.

Use this guide to reflect on what grounds you today. What's active in your life right now? What might need fresh attention?

The Essentials

Core Recovery Virtues (These anchor your heart and spirit)

- Honesty With yourself, with others, with reality
- Openness Willingness to accept new truths
- Willingness Courage to act, even when uncertain
- Humility Letting go of ego, staying teachable
- Forgiveness Releasing resentments, especially toward self
- Grace Offering and receiving what can't be earned

Grounded Mindsets (These shape your perspective and choices)

- Curiosity Replacing judgment with interest
- Self-awareness Seeing patterns clearly
- Responsibility Owning choices without shame
- Patience Trusting time and process
- Consistency Small daily actions build strength
- Integrity Aligning values and actions

Relational Anchors & Daily Practices (These keep you connected and embodied)

- Accountability Staying tethered to truth-tellers
- Vulnerability Letting yourself be seen
- Boundaries Protecting time, energy, and priorities
- Service Giving back as a form of grounding
- Community Sharing mutual support
- Daily Rhythms Prayer, movement, reflection, creativity



You don't need all of these at once.

Start where you are. Let what matters most root you again.

Self-Check Questions

- Which of these foundations are strong in my life right now?
- Which feel quiet or in need of restoration?

• What practices bring me back to center when I'm off-balance?

• What helps me stay aligned with my values when life gets loud?

• Which part of my foundation am I most grateful for today?

