### BECOMING CERTIFIED

THE STEP-BY-STEP PROCESS TO BECOMING A CERTIFIED MARR OPERATOR

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# MARR MARR

Michigan Association of Recovery Residences, Inc.

### Top 4 Reasons to Become Certified

- National recognition of the NARR Standards
- You will be added to our referral list of accredited operators and will obtain use of the MARR/NARR Certified Residence Logos
- Government Funding Opportunities
- Higher sobriety percentages and better scientifically proven outcomes based on the social model





The Social Model: Emphasizing the process of learning through "doing" and "experiencing" and providing positive role models.



### **Certification Breakdown**





#### Application/Payment

Create a Certemy Profile, fill out an application and submit payment. There is a \$300 initial application fee along with a \$300 fee for every residence being certified.

#### Welcome Letter/ NARR Standards

After app and payment are received and approved, your welcome letter, NARR Standards checklist and form for your level of housing will be available on your profile.

#### Submit Documents

Required documentation for your level of housing must be submitted through your profile and can be complete at your leisure. Your form will automatically save to your profile as you complete each section.



Once all documentation is received, it will be reviewed by a MARR representative. Your site review will be scheduled after all documentation is approved.



Certification

Site reviews can be approved, conditionally approved, or not approved. Once your site review is fully approved, your certificates along with letter of certification will be available on your profile.





#### MARR APPLICATION

#### Beginning the Certification Process

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Certified Recovery Program Operator. Please note all of the following information before beginning your application for certification;

- Your program must be up and running for at least 30 days.
- You must include ALL of the recovery residences within your program in the certification process.
- You must be prepared to submit a payment along with your application.
- You will be creating and monitoring an online profile for your Recovery Program.

Once your Application is received and approved, a Welcome Letter will appear in your profile detailing your next steps regarding your documentation and site review of your residence/s.

#### Contact Us

Name Email\*

#### Email

Feel free to contact us with any questions/concerns, or to receive a paper copy of our application. Please fill out the section to the left to be contacted by email, or give us a call at the number below. Please note that email is the most efficient way to get a hold of a MARR Representative at any time.

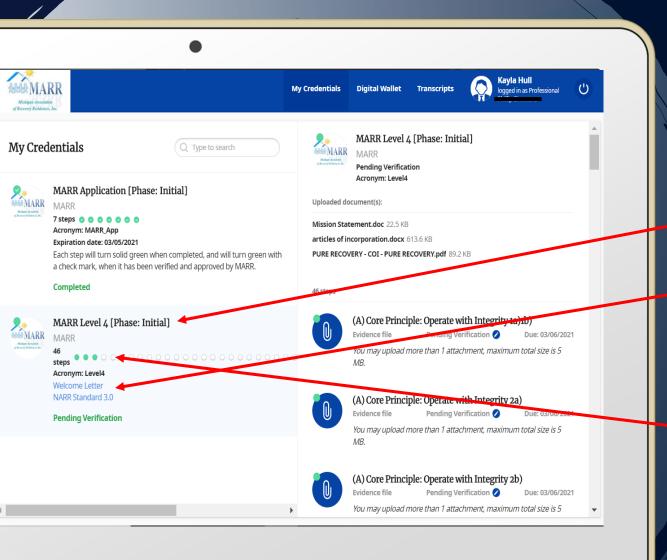
Click the button below to access your application.

APPLICATION

# Application and Payment

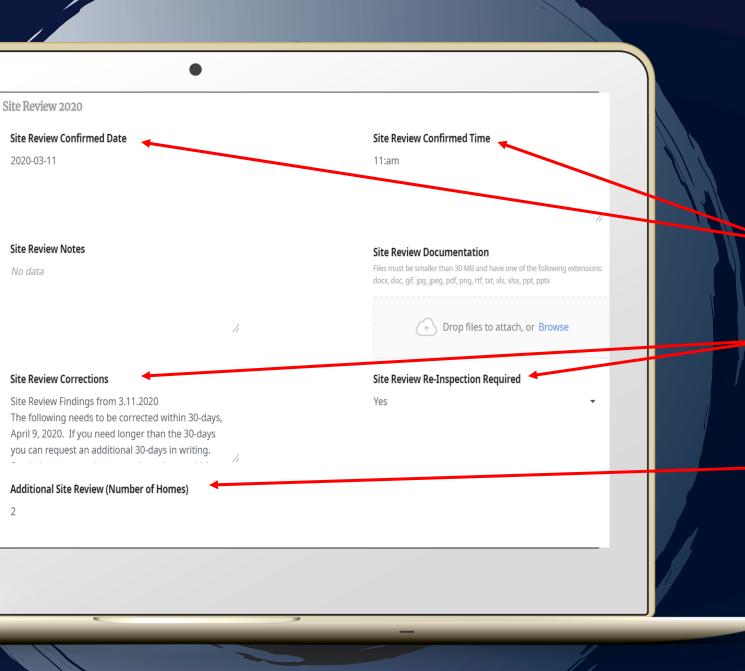
- 'Become Certified' tab of our website
- Click application or contact MARR to request paper application.
- Create a profile
- Fillout application
- Pay Fees online or check/ money order by mail
- Once approved, your welcome letter, NARR standards checklist and form for your level of housing will be available on your profile





### Submit Documentation

- A form for your level of housing will be available on your profile
- Click to view your welcome letter and NARR standards checklist
- The form may be completed at your leisure and automatically saves to your profile
- Sections that are complete will turn green
- Sections that are approved will be green with a check mark
- Sections that not approved will turn red and you will be able to submit a new document at that time.



# **Site Review**

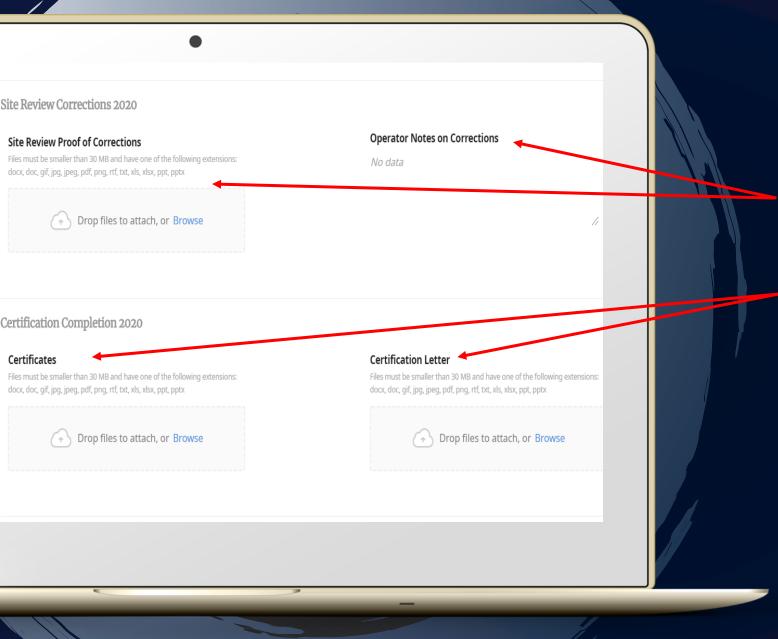
- Confirmed date and time will be listed on your profile upon emailed agreement along with any notes
- Site review corrections will become available after your site review has been completed and will note whether a revisit is necessary.
- If a revisit is required, the number of homes will be specified, and a Re-Inspection Fee will become available to you upon login to pay your fees online.
- Cost of revisit is \$100 per home to be revisited.



- Section 2 of the NARR Standards will be focused on during site review
- Site reviews are completed once a year or at MARR's discretion
- There is a flexible schedule for your first review, but site reviews for renewal will be scheduled on or before the same date as the original
- Annual reviews are scheduled within a month of your certificate's expiration date
- **Approved** Home meets all the NARR standards, no health or safety violations, no corrections need to be made.
- Conditionally Approved- Home met majority of the NARR standards, there are some corrections that need to be made, 30 days are alloted to correct and submit evidence of corrections.
- Not Approved- Home met some of the standards, too many health/safety concerns, 30 days to correct, and a revisit is required. \$100 is due for every location that needs to be revisited.

### **Site Reviews**

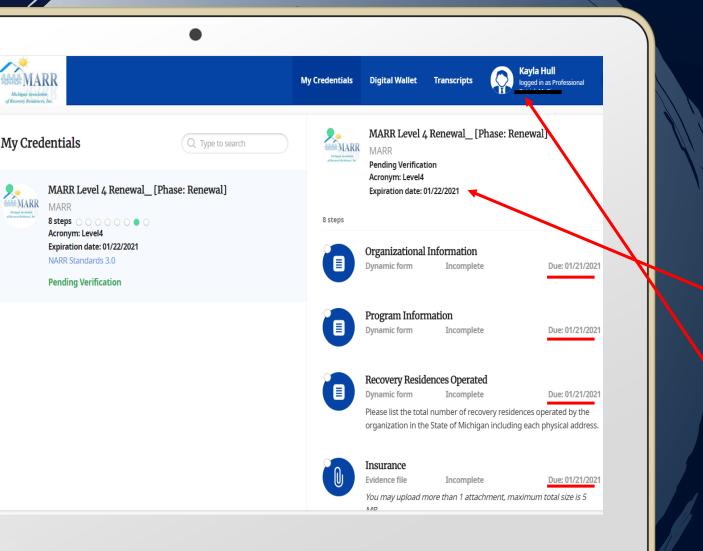
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### Site Review Cont.

- Once you have made your corrections, submit evidence of under Site Review Corrections along with any notes
- Once your corrections are reviewed and approved, copies of your certificates and certification letter will be available on your profile
- Please note that the renewal process for the following year will automatically appear on your profile but DOES NOT have to be completed until you approach your expiration date.
- Automatic emails will be sent out once your renewal date approaches.





## Certification Renewal

- Once you complete your certification process, the process for renewal will automatically appear in your Certemy account upon login as shown on the left.
- Please note that this process DOES NOT need to be completed until you approach your renewal date
- Emails will automatically generate about renewal once your date appraoches
- In the meantime, we ask that you keep your profile as up to date as possible with vacancies, contact information, the opening and closing of any residences etc. Some PIHP's will require prompt postings of vacancies within your residence/s.



### **OurTeam**

Your site review will be completed with 1-2 of our team members



#### Jeff Van Treese, Esq.

President

• Chief Executive Officer

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#### Katherine O'Hare

Chief Compliance Officer, Inspector

- Lead inspector on site reviews
- Contact for site review support & scheduling
- Creates and mails your certificates

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#### Kayla Hull

Project Manager, Inspector

- Reviews and approves your application and documentation
- Contact for MARR website, NARR standards, Certemy online support, certification process
- Creates your certification letter

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Congratulations!	
The following recovery locations have been certified:  • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
See you next year!	
-The MARR Team	
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### Certification

- Your site review is passed.
- Certificatates and ceritification letter will be available on your Certemy profile.
- Original certificates for each of your certified residences are mailed to you.





# QUESTIONS COMMENTS CONCERNS

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