

Newsweek Names NOLA Detox One of America's Best Residential Treatment Centers

NOLA Detox and Recovery Center made Newsweek and Statista's 2026 list of America's Best Residential Addiction Treatment Centers.

NEW ORLEANS, LA, UNITED STATES, August 31, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- NOLA Detox and Recovery Center has been named to America's Best Residential Addiction Treatment Centers 2026, the annual list Newsweek publishes with Statista.

The award category is residential care. At NOLA Detox that means an eight-acre campus with walking trails, private bathrooms, king and queen beds, and three meals a day from local kitchens including Copeland's. A board-certified psychiatrist sees every patient, and doctors and nurses staff the building 24/7.

The [inpatient residential treatment](#) program runs in four phases. Stabilization comes first, with withdrawal managed under nursing care. Education and clinical therapy follow. Mentoring and peer support come next, and the final stage builds out what a patient does after discharge. Cognitive behavioral therapy, medication-assisted treatment, and individual and group counseling run throughout the stay.

Most patients start in the [medical detox program](#). It uses FDA-approved medications including Suboxone, Sublocade, and Vivitrol, and covers withdrawal from alcohol, opioids, benzodiazepines, stimulants, and poly-substance use. Physicians assess each patient individually and build the protocol from there.

NOLA Detox was founded by Chris Copeland and Dan Forman, both with hospitality backgrounds and personal experience with addiction. The place operates accordingly. Meals come from local restaurants, the campus hosts crawfish boils and BBQs, and the premise of the whole model is that a person can get sober in the city they love. "Feel better faster" is how the company puts it.

The center is CARF accredited and LegitScript certified, affiliated with Tulane Medicine, and treats veterans through VA Community Care. It was also named LASACT Provider of the Year in 2024.

[Same-day admissions](#) are available. The team answers at 504-446-1111 around the clock, verifies insurance benefits on the call, and arranges free transportation from communities across South

Louisiana. NOLA Detox accepts all commercial insurance plans, VA insurance, and Medicaid, and offers private pay and treatment scholarships for people without coverage.

Past the residential campus, the provider runs intensive outpatient programming, recovery residences, and outpatient aftercare from locations in New Orleans and Slidell.

About NOLA Detox and Recovery Center

NOLA Detox and Recovery Center is a full-continuum drug and alcohol treatment provider in New Orleans offering medical detox, inpatient residential treatment, intensive outpatient care, recovery residences, and aftercare. The center is CARF accredited, LegitScript certified, and affiliated with Tulane Medicine. Call (504) 446-1111 or visit noladetox.com.

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