During substance use disorder treatment, therapies that help people quit smoking do not interfere with an individual’s recovery.

Studies have shown that as many as 80% of clients in substance use disorder treatment have expressed an interest in tobacco cessation. Research has shown substance use disorder treatment attendance did not differ between the groups receiving smoking cessation treatment and those receiving treatment as usual. In fact, 85% of participants completed the 10-week active treatment period concurrent with smoking cessation treatment.

Incorporate smoking cessation therapies into your substance use disorder treatment programs. You are making a difference.