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Columbus, Ohio - Fresh A.I.R. Gallery is pleased to present FoR / Faces of Recovery by Columbus artist Jacs Fishburne. The exhibit will be on display from October 21, 2020 - January 6, 2021 at the Sew to Speak Shoppe (752 High Street in Worthington, OH), which is open daily with occupancy limits to allow for social distancing. Please visit the store website for hours of operation. During the COVID-19 pandemic, Fresh A.I.R. is grateful to partner with Sew to Speak and other community venues to display exhibitions. If you are unable to attend the show in person, an online version is also available on the Fresh A.I.R. Gallery website www.southeasthc.org.

Jacs Fishburne is a process artist whose work seeks to answer the question: What do we create in the space pain occupies? They are interested in the intersections of writing, photography, movement, fiber arts, and photoweaving as a means to convey stories and express emotion. Art has given Jacs a safe outlet to explore life experiences and heal from long-held traumas.

Southeast Healthcare operates the Fresh A.I.R. Gallery (Artists in Recovery). The gallery's mission is to exhibit the work by individuals affected by mental illness and/or substance use disorders. Through art, we educate the community and work to break down the stigma of mental illness and/or substance use by bringing focus to the artist vision. Southeast Healthcare is a comprehensive provider of mental health, chemical dependency, physical healthcare, vocational and homeless services that has been serving Columbus since 1978 and is in eight Ohio counties. Project support funding in part thanks to the Greater Columbus Arts Council, the City of Columbus and Franklin County for Fresh A.I.R. Gallery in 2020.

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Fresh A.I.R. Gallery is located at 131 North High Street in downtown Columbus and is open weekdays from 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Fresh A.I.R. Gallery's phone number is 614-744-8110. The gallery is currently closed to the COVID-19 pandemic but exhibitions are currently for viewing on our website www.southeasthc.org.

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