

State Opioid Response (SOR) Grant

(11/18/2019)



Project Period: 9-30-18 to 9-29-20

Federal Funding Amount: \$11,129,713 annually

TREATMENT INITIATIVES	SERVICE PROVIDERS
1. Fund ten outpatient clinics to provide medication assisted treatment , (and recovery coaching and <i>vocational support</i> at the first 6 listed only) for people with opioid use disorders.	CNV Help (Waterbury) The Village (Hartford) Cornell Scott-Hill Health (New Haven) BH Care (Milford) United Services (Putnam) SCADD (New London) CMHA (New Britain) CHR (Willimantic) Wheeler Clinic (Bristol) McCall Center – Torrington
2. Provide “vouchers” for residential treatment in conjunction with medication assisted treatment for people with opioid use disorders who are un-insured or under-insured.	ABH – administrator; and various residential service providers statewide
3. Fund the CT Department of Correction to provide medication assisted treatment to inmates with opioid use disorders, in three community and two long-term correctional centers.	Bridgeport Correctional Hartford Correctional New Haven Correctional Osborne Correctional Corrigan-Radgowski Correctional
4. Fund the CT Department of Correction to provide pre-release and post-release treatment to inmates with opioid use disorders.	Community Mental Health Affiliates (New Britain)
5. Provide street-based medication assisted treatment in Milford and West Haven.	Bridges (Milford)
RECOVERY SUPPORT INITIATIVES	SERVICE PROVIDERS
6. Provide temporary housing “vouchers” to individuals in early recovery who are in urgent need for safe housing.	ABH – administrator; and Various supported recovery housing providers statewide
7. Provide on-call Recovery Coaches at hospital Emergency Departments.	CT Community for Addiction Recovery (CCAR)
8. Fund “ Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion ” (LEAD) for the Hartford and New Haven police departments.	Cornell-Scott (New Haven) Inter Community (Hartford)
9. Provide Recovery Coaches at seven methadone clinics .	APT Foundation (New Haven & West Haven)

	CASA (New Haven) RNP (Bridgeport & Shelton) Cornell Scott (Ansonia) CT Counseling (Waterbury) Liberation (Stamford)
10. Fund the faith-based initiative, “Imani Breakthrough” , in New Haven and a similar Latino faith-based initiative .	Yale/PRCH (New Haven)
11. Provide employment support at recovery houses and halfway houses to assist people newly in recovery with getting employment. (“Mobile Employment Support”)	Laurel House (Stamford) BH Care (Ansonia) United Services (Putnam) Inter Community (East Hartford) McCall Center (Torrington)
12. Support a Youth Coordinator that will facilitate a statewide recovery support system for youth.	DCF/Wheeler Clinic/CT Clearinghouse
13. Fund recovery specialists in each of six DCF regions to conduct support services including Recovery management Check-ups.	DCF
14. Support the staffing at a “hot-spot” drop-in center.	Greater Hartford Harm Reduction (Hartford)
15. Fund clinicians at courts to conduct assessments and refer individuals with substance use disorders to treatment. (“Treatment Program Pathways”)	MCCA (Waterbury, Torrington) SCADD (New London)
PREVENTION, EDUCATION & AWARENESS	SERVICE PROVIDERS
16. Continue the opioid targeted social media campaign “Change the Script” .	Wheeler/CT Clearinghouse
17. Provide mini-grants to 20 college campuses under the Connecticut Healthy Campus Initiative.	Wheeler/CT Clearinghouse/ 20 College Campuses
18. Provide mini-grants to a minimum of seventy five community coalitions for opioid awareness, disposal, storage and other prevention activities.	Five RBHAOs/ 75 community coalitions
19. Develop an Opioid Education and Awareness interactive web based training and a webinar along with an accompanying users guide.	Cross Sector/Training & Technical Assistance Service Center
20. Provide five in person parent/guardian trainings on communicating effectively with children on the dangers of drug use; design, develop, and produce a web-based Courage to Speak® – Courageous Parenting 101 “Parenting through the Opioid Crisis and Beyond” online training for parents/guardians.	“Courage to Speak”
21. Develop and provide opioid-related curriculum to school systems .	State Education Resources Center
22. Provide Multi-Dimensional Family Therapy training for DCF clinicians and supervisors	DCF

23. Provide referral and support services to suicide hotline callers , some who are in need of substance use disorder services and possibly active rescues by EMS.	United Way of CT/211
OVERDOSE PREVENTION/HARM REDUCTION	SERVICE PROVIDERS
24. Support the five DMHAS Regional Behavioral Health Action Organizations to conduct Narcan training and distribution and include suicide screenings at such events; and provide mini-grants to a minimum of seventy five community coalitions for opioid awareness and prevention activities.	Regional Youth Adult Social Action Partnership (SW CT) Alliance for Prevention Wellness/BH Care (S Central CT) Southeastern Regional Action Council (Eastern CT) Amplify , Inc. (No Central CT) Housatonic Valley Coalition against Substance Abuse (Western CT)
25. Fund eight community-based “ How Can We Help? ” initiatives in overdose “hot-spots”.	Ledge Light Health District (New London); Norwich Human Services; Cross St. Training (Middletown); CHD (Torrington); City of Bristol; Central CT Health District (Wethersfield); Coram Deo (New Britain); Columbus House (Middletown)
26. Fund six organizations to provide opioid education and support to families .	Clifford Beers, CRT, McCall, NAMI, Sound, TriCircle
27. Purchase and distribute a minimum of 12,000 Narcan kits.	DMHAS; Regional Behavioral Health Action Organizations; Department of Public Health; Department of Correction; hospital Emergency Departments
TRAINING & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT	SERVICE PROVIDERS
28. Provide opioid-related pastoral counseling training.	Dr. Marcus McKinney/Day Kimball Hospital
29. Provide education and awareness to businesses.	Governor’s Prevention Partnership
30. Provide training and technical assistance to behavioral health professionals statewide related to opioid use disorders and overdose prevention.	Yale School of Medicine CT Women’s Consortium