

Priority Area: Opioid

Priority Type: Substance Abuse Prevention (SAP), Substance Abuse Treatment (SAT)

Priority Population: PWWDC, PWID, PP, Other

Goal: Equip first responders and emergency departments with Naloxone to increase statewide access and to support distribution in high need communities.

Objective: Create an awareness campaign and conduct at least 40 trainings for key stakeholders, (i.e. law enforcement, emergency room staff, emergency medical technicians, substance use treatment providers, etc.) on the use and distribution of Naloxone by the end of SFY 2019.

Strategy: The Division of Behavioral Health (DBH) was awarded a two year Opioid Crisis Grant. A portion of the funding was used to conduct a comprehensive statewide needs assessment which will be used to guide the state's opioid related efforts.

#1 Annual Performance Indicator: Creation of a training and distribution strategy.

Baseline Measurement: None at this time.

First-year target/outcome measurement: By the end of SFY 2018, the DBH will have convened a kick-off meeting; defined expectations and set an interim meeting schedule for the training and distribution of Naloxone.

Second-year target/outcome measurement: By the end of SFY 2019, the DBH will have equipped and trained first responders and emergency departments with Naloxone.

Data Source: The DBH

Description of Data: The DBH will track training events and distribution of Naloxone.

Data Issues: None