Rural Communities Opioid Response Program (RCORP)

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AHI RCORP BY-THE-NUMBERS – March – August 2022 (2nd half Year 1)

Community Capacity

5	Consortium Partners – 7 Counties
113	Providers (SUD Tx, mental health, recovery support)
69	Sites offering at least one Prevention, Treatment and/or Recovery Service:

50	Prevention Services	5	HIV or HCV Testing
27	Screening/ Assessment	13	Mental Health Treatment
12	MAT	27	Recovery Support
13	SUD Treatment other than MAT	16	Supportive Housing; plus 1 new Detox Srvc

28	Sites offering Harm Reduction Services: naloxone: 26; fentanyl test strips: 26; Deterra Pouches: 5
1780	Individuals screened for SUD
855	Individuals diagnosed with SUD
785	Individuals with a Dx of SUD were also screened for depression
624	Individuals received MAT (new/prior Dx)
1588	Individuals received Recovery Support Services (new/prior Dx)

Provider Education

A total of 55 providers participated in:

23	Documentation, Coding, and Billing for SUD/OUD via Medication Assisted Treatment
11	X-Express: Buprenorphine Prescribing for Beginners with the NYS Clinical Education Initiative New info participants learned: *"Medicaid H-codes", "Information for billing telehealth CPT codes", "FQHC and RHC billing differences…"*
9	National Health Professional Shortage Area & Health Service Corps Webinar
12	Best Practices: Low-Threshold MAT Access and Peer Support with Joe Cavallo *Participant comment: "I was able to learn more about MAT treatment and another resource to refer some of my clients to."*

Community Education

103 people 16 agencies	Family Resource Day with **CVFC** and **MHAB** • Narcan Training: 29; Science of Addiction: 16 • SUD/OUD Community Resource Tables: 103 What participants liked: *"Available community resources"; "Excellent presentations!", "I learned that the community is doing more for addictions/mental health than I knew."*
75	RCORP table at Massena Family Spring Fest *sponsored by Massena DFC Coalition*
25	RCORP table at Overdose Awareness Day in Wilmington, NY *sponsored by Lake Placid/ Wilmington Connecting Youth & Communities Coalition, Inc.*

Provider & Consortium Support

20	Clients received RCORP transportation subsidies for travel to recovery services *Barrier: bus passes & Uber have limited utility for residents in remote rural areas*
9	Scholarships for partner staff to attend: • CCAR Recovery Coach Academy • **S**creening **B**rief **I**ntervention & **R**eferral to **T**reatment (SBIRT) training
2	Collaboration and coordination with two SUNY Research Foundation RCORP III grantees: Hudson Mohawk AHEC and Northern AHEC

Community Outreach & Support

Provided harm reduction supplies through Partners and at community events to help prevent overdoses:

- Fentanyl Test Strips with Information Sheet: 2430
- Deterra® Pouches for safe medication disposal: 81

Created resources to increase community knowledge:

- *What You Need to Know About Counterfeit Pills*
- *Treatment Providers, Recovery Supports, and Prevention Services for SUD and OUD: Regional Resource List*

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