Community Access to Recovery Services

Addiction and Recovery Services Network

Agenda

Welcome

CARS Addiction and Recovery Services Network

Current projects

Next steps, including plans for opioid settlement funding

CARS Addiction Services Network



Prevention

Description:

Implementation of evidence-based prevention practices throughout all of Milwaukee County

Programs: Media campaigns, education to at-risk youth and families, dissemination of harm reduction materials, MCSAP coaliation

Numbers:

4 community-based vendors

Dollars allocated: \$1,322,800

Detoxification (Withdrawal Management)

Description:

A safe, medically monitored environment for individuals withdrawing from alcohol, sedatives, opiates, and other substances

In 2021:

Unique Clients Served:

1387

Programs:

- 1. Residential Intoxication Monitoring
- Residential Withdrawal Management

Total Dollars Spent:

\$2,537,955

Access Points

Description:

Community-based agencies with office hours, outreach, and telephonic services to conduct assessments and help people get connected to services.

Programs:

Community Access Points

In 2021:

Unique Clients Served:

2539

Total Dollars Spent:

\$914,040

Care Coordination

Description:

A single point of contact to help individuals access services, navigate the system, and get the help them need on their recovery journey.

In 2021:

Unique Clients Served:

1650

Programs:

- 1. Recovery Support Coordination
- 2. AODA Targeted Case Management

Total Dollars Spent:

\$3,302,231.29

Bed-Based Services

Description:

A variety of facilities where individuals live while working on their recovery journey.

Programs:

- 1. Transitional residential
- 2. Medically monitored residential
- 3. Bridge housing
- 4. Outpatient Plus

In 2021:

Unique Clients Served:

799

Total Dollars Spent:

\$2,863,498.70

Treatment

Description:

Community-based services individuals may access on an outpatient basis to treat their addiction.

In 2021:

Unique Clients Served:

467

Programs:

- 1. Outpatient Treatment
- 2. Day Treatment
- 3. Medication Assisted Treatment

Total Dollars Spent:

\$458,999

Recovery Support Services

Description:

A variety of non-clinical services that support an individual's path of recovery; often tied to social determinants of health.

In 2021:

Unique Clients Served:

54

Programs:

- 1. Employment Services
 - 1. Job Training
 - 2. Individual Placement and Support
- 2. Educational services
- 3. Peer support
- 4. Spiritual support

Total Dollars Spent:

\$36,574.25

How the Network is Funded (Braided Funding)

Total Clients: 5395

Total Spend: \$13,387,631.91

Total Funding Sources: 9

Current Initiatives

- 1. Detoxification Services Redesign and RFP July 2022
- 2. SAMHSA grant pending to develop a facility to capably meet the needs of individuals with mental illness and addiction issues
- 3. Focus on unmet needs for individuals with high utilization of detoxification services
- 4. Expanding employment services for individuals with substance use disorders
- 5. Increase of bridge housing capacity
- 6. Increase of residential treatment capacity
- 7. Community scan by Public Policy Forum
- 8. Wide distribution of harm reduction supplies

Possible Next Steps and Investments

- 1. Hiring of a Project Manager to oversee the implementation of the variety of initiatives aimed at reducing opioid-related deaths in our community
- 2. Strategic Nalox Box distribution and/or Harm Reduction vending machines
- 3. Partnership with the City of Milwaukee distribution of Hope Bags
- 4. Continuation of "MAT Behind the Walls" project
- 5. Sobering Center specifically for opioid withdrawal
- Increased investment in social determinants of health: housing, employment, peer specialists
- 7. Increased investment in prevention activities via partnerships with community-based and grass roots organizations
- 8. Start up investments to increase residential treatment capacity in our community