



Governor's Advisory Commission on Opioids and Addiction

Treatment & Recovery

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State Partners:

DBHDS, VDH, DHP, DMAS,
DSS, DHCD, DOC, DCJS,
VSP, VCCS, DARS, DOE,
ARNG, Judiciary, SCHEV,
VFHY, CCoVA



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Goal 1

Support Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Workforce Development.

Objective 1

Increase the # of actively prescribing waived providers

Objective 2

Establish guidelines for recovery housing in Virginia

Objective 3

Address impact of barrier crimes on employment opportunities for Peer Recovery Specialists

Metrics

- Number of actively prescribing waived providers-approx. 30% of the total
- Number of certified recovery housing units-working w/ community stakeholders & the Virginia Association of Recovery Residences;
- Decreased numbers of individuals turned away from employment with DBHDS licensed providers, due to barrier crimes

State Lead

DBHDS

State Partners

DMAS, VDH, DHP, DSS, DCJS, DBHDS, DARS, VCCS

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Goal 2

Increase capacity for SUD services.

Objective 1

Continue to support integration of peers in all treatment systems

Objective 2

Broaden use of peer recovery services in emergency depts. (EDs) w/ ANCHOR ED Model; have available in all regions of the Commonwealth

Objective 3

Establish minimum standards for Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) services

Objective 4

DMAS seeking MCO reimbursement for home visiting w/nurses and pregnant and parenting women

Metrics

- Number of certified Peer Recovery Specialists (PRS)
 - Number of hospitals utilizing PRS
 - DBHDS to work with stakeholders to identify standards and determine metrics
 - Track reimbursement numbers
- DBHDS

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Goal 2 cont.

Increase capacity for SUD services.

Objective 5

Engage EDs to implement protocols to initiate buprenorphine in the ED

Objective 6

Identify barriers to becoming Office Based Opioid Treatment providers (OBOTs) for CSBs & FQHCs (DMAS, DBHDS, VDH, DHP)
Ex: funding, licensing regulations, lack of prescribers, others

Objective 7

Reduce barriers to becoming OBOTs

Objective 8

Incentivize & support all CSBs to become OBOTs

Objective 9

Establish/maintain warm line for buprenorphine
waivered/prescribers

Metrics

- Number of Emergency Departments utilizing buprenorphine
- Number of OBOTs
- Number of CSBs operating OBOTs
- Number of waived prescribers

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Goal 3

Develop permanent supportive housing opportunities for this population.

Objective 1

Continue efforts to increase housing and wrap around services for individuals with SUD

Metrics

Number of calls to provider warm-lines looking for assistance

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State Partners

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Goal 4

Establish ongoing funding for treatment and recovery in Virginia.

Objective 1

Achieve sustainable funding for treatment and recovery programs beyond current grant funding through ongoing federal and/or state resources.

Metrics

State budget allocations for treatment and recovery

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Questions/Comments