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D.C. Update: NASADAD Releases Chart on FY 2024 Funding for Federal SUD Programs, New SAMHSA Funding Opportunities, HRSA Funding Opportunity for Health Centers to Support Transitions in Care, and More.

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Meet The Member

Yomi Makanjuola, National Treatment Network (NTN) Coordinator for Georgia

Yomi Makanjuola has over 35 years of experience working in the field of addictive diseases and mental health services. He currently serves as Director of Treatment Services for the Georgia Department of Behavioral Health & Developmental Disabilities (DBHDD) in the Office of Addictive Diseases, as well as Project Director for the Georgia State Opioid Response (SOR) Project. Mr. Makanjuola also currently serves as the National Treatment Network (NTN) Coordinator for Georgia.



The first 20 years of his career, he worked as a clinician with different community providers in both residential and outpatient services, including jail-based residential treatment programs, before moving to the State office in 2006 to serve as the Assistance Project Director for the State Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment Coordination Grant (SAC). Mr. Makanjuola has been the Project Director for all opioid grants starting with the Georgia State Target Response to the Opioid Grant (STR) and all Georgia SOR Project forms SOR-I, SOR-II to current SOR3 Grants from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). He oversees both the budget/financial, and all aspects of the programmatic, policies and procedures related to all substance use disorder (SUD) services for adults, women, young adults, and adolescent treatment programs for the State.

Mr. Makanjuola is also a board member of the Georgia School of Addiction Studies.

2024 NASADAD National Prevention Network Conference Registration Now Open



The NASADAD National Prevention Network (NPN) Conference highlights the latest research in the substance use prevention field. It provides a forum for prevention professionals, coalition leaders, researchers, and federal partners to share research, best practices and promising evaluation results for the purpose of integrating research into prevention practice.

The NPN Conference will take place August 13-15 in Phoenix, Arizona, at the Arizona Grand Resort. This year's theme is: *Shining a Light on Prevention: Connecting Research, Practice, Innovation, and Equity*.

Register for the conference here: <https://nnpconference.org/registration/>.

NASADAD Participates in SAMHSA Policy Academy Regarding Overdose Reversal Medications Saturation

On April 9, NASADAD's Melanie Whitter, Deputy Executive Director, and Robert Morrison, Executive Director, participated in a State Policy Academy held in Bethesda, Maryland sponsored by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) that focused on strategies to effectively purchase, distribute, and provide training on overdose reversal medications. States that participated included Alaska, Connecticut, Kansas, Mississippi, New Jersey, Montana, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Nevada, and Arkansas.

Opening remarks were provided by Miriam Delphin-Rittmon, Assistant Secretary for Mental Health and Substance Use, SAMHSA, Dr. Rahul Gupta, Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP), Dr. Allison Arwady, Director, National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and Dr. Chris Jones, Director, SAMHSA's Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP). Other speakers at the event included Dr. Grant Baldwin, CDC, Richard Cho, Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), and others. States met to share, learn, and develop plans for expanding access to overdose reversal medications.

NASADAD Develops Resource Document Summarizing Fiscal Year 2024 Funding for Federal Substance Use Disorder Programs

NASADAD has developed a comprehensive resource that summarizes final fiscal year (FY) 2024 funding for key federal programs related to substance use disorders (SUD).

As you may recall, Congress adopted a tiered approach to FY 2024 appropriations that saw two separate appropriations packages composed of six of the individual appropriations bills in each.

President Joe Biden signed the first package, the [*Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2024 \(H.R.4366\)*](#) now, [*Public Law No: 118-42*](#), on March 9, 2024. This minibus included FY 2024 appropriations for six appropriations bills: Agriculture, Commerce-Justice-Science, Energy-Water, Interior-Environment, Military Construction-VA, and Transportation-HUD.

President Joe Biden signed the second package, the [*Further Consolidated*](#)



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[Appropriations Act, 2024 \(H.R.2882\)](#), now [Public Law No: 118-47](#), on March 23, 2024. This minibus included FY 2024 appropriations for the remaining six appropriations bills: Defense, Financial Services-General Government, Homeland Security, Labor-HHS-Education, Legislative Branch, and State-Foreign Operation.

The document includes a chart that summarizes final FY 2024 funding for SUD programs housed within the following federal agencies:

- Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)
 - Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)
 - Substance Use Prevention, Treatment, and Recovery Services (SUPTRS) Block Grant
 - Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT)
 - Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP)
 - Center for Mental Health Services (CMHS)
 - National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA)
 - National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)
 - Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
 - Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
 - Administration for Children and Families (ACF)
 - Department of Justice (DOJ)
 - Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP)

The resource document can be found on NASADAD's webpage, [here](#).

Around the Agencies

SAMHSA Funding Opportunity: Building Communities of Recovery



The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) announced a new funding opportunity for the [Building Communities of Recovery](#) program. This program intends to mobilize an array of community-based resources to increase the availability of quality long-term recovery support for individuals with a substance use disorder (SUD) and co-occurring SUD and mental health disorders. Specifically, grant recipients will support the development and delivery of recovery support services directly to individuals as well as promote education about recovery at the community level. Priority is given to applicants with lived experience of substance use and recovery from SUD or co-occurring disorders.

SAMHSA will provide up to 20 awards of up to \$300,000 per award per year for up to 3 years for total program funding of \$6,000,000. Applications are due April 29, 2024.

Additional details on eligibility and how to apply can be found in the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for the [Building Communities of Recovery](#) program, [here](#).

New SAMHSA Funding Opportunities: Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) announced two new funding opportunities as part of the *Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care* program. Both programs are designed to promote the integration of mental health and substance use disorder (SUD) services within primary care to expand access to treatment. Details on the two programs can be found below:

[Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: Collaborative Care Model:](#)

- “The purpose of this program is to support implementation of the Collaborative Care Model (CoCM). The CoCM is an evidence-based, integrated care approach that addresses mental and substance use conditions in primary care settings. Care is provided by a primary care team and includes a case manager, consulting psychiatrist, and other mental health professionals. With this program, SAMHSA

aims to increase the identification and treatment of mental health conditions for individuals who access care through primary care practices that too often go untreated and cause disability.”

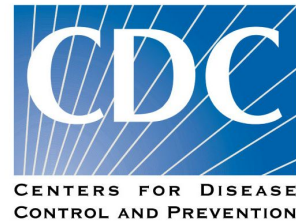
- Total program funding: \$5,200,000
- Total number of awards: 5 (\$900,000 per award per year)
- Length of project: up to 5 years
- Application due date: May 20, 2024

[Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: States:](#)

- “The purpose of this program is to (a) promote full integration and collaboration in clinical practices between physical and behavioral health care; (b) support the improvement of integrated care models for physical and behavioral health care to improve overall wellness and physical health status; and (c) promote the implementation and improvement of bidirectional integrated care services, including evidence-based or evidence-informed screening, assessment, diagnosis, prevention, treatment, and recovery services for mental and substance use disorders, and co-occurring physical health conditions and chronic diseases through integrated care.”
 - Total program funding: \$6,000,000
 - Total number of awards: 3 (\$2,000,000 per award per year)
 - Length of project: up to 5 years
 - Application due date: May 20, 2024

Additional information on eligibility and how to apply can be found in the Notice of Funding Opportunities (NOFO) for the [Collaborative Care Model](#) and [States](#).

CDC Office on Smoking and Health Campaign for AI/AN Communities: *Tips from Former Smokers*®



The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s (CDC) Office on Smoking and Health (OSH) recently launched a series of new ads for American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) communities as part of the [Tips From Former Smokers®](#) campaign. This campaign features real members of AI/AN communities who describe how their lives and their loved ones’ lives have been impacted by the negative health effects of smoking and secondhand smoke exposure. This year’s ads focus on the harms from smoking menthol cigarettes. The new ads will run through September 22, 2024 in Tribal communities and nationally on broadcast cable TV, as well as social media channels.

CDC’s press release announcing the campaign can be found [here](#).

HRSA Releases First-Ever Funding Opportunity for Health Centers to Support Transitions in Care for People Leaving Incarceration

Yesterday, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) announced the “... availability of \$51 million for the first-ever funding opportunity for HRSA-funded health centers to implement innovative approaches to support transitions in care for people leaving incarceration. Aligned with the White House Second Chance Initiative, today’s action, for the first time, explicitly supports the provision of health services to individuals during the 90 days prior to their release to help them return to the community by expanding access to primary health care, including mental health and substance use disorder treatment, furthering public health and strengthening public safety.” Resources from the press release:

Draft Guidance: [DRAFT Health Center Program Policy Guidance Regarding Services to Support Transitions in Care for Justice-Involved Individuals Reentering the Community](#)

HHS Press Release: [During Second Chance Month, HRSA Takes Policy Action, Releases First-Ever Funding Opportunity for Health Centers to Support Transitions in Care for People Leaving Incarceration](#)

TA Webinar: Wednesday, April 24 - 11:00 a.m.-noon ET - [Join the day of the session](#)

Webinars to Watch

HRSA Webinar: Strategies to Address Substance Use in Maternal Health Within Tribal Communities



The Health Resources and Services Administration's (HRSA) Office of Intergovernmental and External Affairs (OIEA) is hosting a webinar on [Strategies to Address Substance Use in Maternal Health within Tribal Communities](#). This no-cost webinar is on April 18, at 2:00 pm ET. The webinar is intended for partners within Tribal communities and will examine the impact of substance use on maternal health in Tribal communities, how communities are addressing the issue, and available HRSA resources and regional contacts to support maternal substance use services in Tribal communities. Learning objectives include:

- “Learn more about HRSA programs, resources, and funding to support tribal communities.
- Hear examples of how Tribes and Tribal community members have utilized HRSA funding to address substance use in maternal health.
- Identify HRSA regional contacts and opportunities for technical support for Tribal Partners.”

Registration is required.

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