Opioid Response Network

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Introduction to the Opioid Response Network

✧ **Mission:** Provide no-cost, evidence-based consultation and training to enhance prevention, treatment, recovery and harm reduction efforts at the local level to address the opioid and stimulant crisis.
Our goal is your goal! ORN rapidly connects requestors to expert consultants through a dedicated specialist in each state and territory.
ORN is led by the American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry (AAAP) in collaboration with the Addiction Technology Transfer Center Network (ATTC), at the University of Missouri-Kansas City, and Columbia University Division on Substance Use Disorders.
Partner Organizations

- American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP)
- American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)
- American Association for the Treatment of Opioid Dependence (AATOD)
- American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP)
- American College of Medical Toxicology (ACMT)
- American Heart Association (AHA)
- American Medical Association (AMA)
- American Osteopathic Academy of Addiction Medicine (AOAAM)
- American Pharmacists Association (APhA)
- American Psychiatric Association (APA)
- American Psychiatric Nurses Association (APNA)
- Association of American Indian Physicians (AAIP)
- Association for Multidisciplinary Education and Research in Substance use and Addiction (AMERSA)
- Boston Medical Center (BMC)
- Boston Children’s Hospital (BCH)
- Coalition on Physician Education in Substance Use Disorders
- Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA)
- C4 Innovations
- Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)
- Faces and Voices of Recovery (FAVOR)
- Major County Sheriffs of America (MCSA)
- National Alliance for HIV Education and Workforce Development (NAHEWD)
- National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC)
- National Association of State Alcohol and Drug Abuse Directors (NASADAD)
- National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
- National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (NCJFCJ)
- National Center for State Courts (NCSC)
- National Sheriff’s Association (NSA)
- National Council for Mental Wellbeing
- Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board (NPAIHB)
- National Judicial College (NJC)
- Partnership to End Addiction
- Physician Assistant Education Association (PAEA)
- Police Assisted Addiction and Recovery Initiative (PAARI)
- Recovery Research Institute (RRI)
- RTI International
Ending the Opioid and Stimulant Crisis

ORN supports **Prevention, Treatment and Recovery** efforts. For example:

- Building awareness
- Decreasing stigma
- Supporting the planning and implementation of overdose prevention efforts (e.g., naloxone, medications for opioid use disorders)
- Strengthening collaboration between justice and public safety entities and treatment and recovery agencies
- Planning and implementing new models of care
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✧ In **Maryland** provided training for a recovery community organization to create a step-down and halfway house for LGBTQ+ individuals with opioid use disorder.

✧ In **Tennessee** supported a judge in a rural community to develop an implementation plan to start providing all FDA approved medications for treating opioid use disorder in a community jail.

✧ In **Alaska** convened virtual trainings on prevention programming for tribal leaders from 42 villages.

✧ In **West Virginia** provided training and educational resources for a clinic on how to incorporate substance use disorder services into their practice serving a faith-based community.

✧ In **Ohio** provided a certified recovery housing organization with best practices to help them implement peer support services.
Established in 2018, the Opioid Response Network is funded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). ORN partners representing over 2 million constituents have already made a significant difference and our impact continues to grow every day.

Impact as a result of training and education as of April 2021:

- 3 million+ people helped
- 31,000+ participants
- 40+ ORN partner organizations
- 800+ total consultants engaged with ORN teams in every state and territory with hundreds more available as needed
- 3,500+ activities
Together We Can Make a Difference

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