

NCDHHS Opioid and Prescription Drug Abuse Advisory Committee

Date: September 20, 2024

Time: 9:00AM – 12:00PM

Location: Hybrid; in-person at the McKimmon Center and virtual via Zoom

Topic: Progress and Promise: NC's Achievements and Future Plans

Meeting Objectives:

1. Reflect on the impact of the overdose crisis in North Carolina
2. Discuss the development, implementation and evolution of the North Carolina Opioid and Substance Use Action Plan
3. Highlight the innovative and collaborative initiatives that are taking place across the state to address the overdose crisis
4. Provide insight into past and current substance use and overdose related trends and the role of illicit drug market
5. Elevate the work of community-based programs that are providing direct services to people who use drugs and people with substance use disorders
6. Develop an understanding of the importance of trauma-informed, prevention services and evidence-based treatment modalities for SUD treatment of children, parents and families.

AGENDA

TIME SLOT	ITEM
8:55AM – 9:00AM	Call to Order and Moment of Silence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Tobias LaGrone, Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Use Services
9:00AM – 9:05AM	Welcome and Introductions! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Betsey Tilson, NC Department of Health and Human Services
9:05AM – 9:15AM	Opening Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secretary Kody Kinsley, NC Department of Health and Human Services
9:15AM – 9:25AM	It Takes a Village: Collaboration Across State Government <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Betsey Tilson, NC Department of Health and Human Services • Dr. Kelly Kimple, Division of Public Health • Kelly Crosbie, Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Use Services
9:25AM – 9:45AM	Back to the Future: The History and Evolution of NC's Role in Overdose Prevention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scott Proescholdbell, Division of Public Health • Amy Patel, Division of Public Health • Nidhi Sachdeva, North Carolina Association of County Commissioners
9:45AM – 10:45AM	Showcasing Successes Through Partnerships across the State: <u>Overdose Prevention and Harm Reduction</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Louise Vincent, North Carolina Survivors Union • Tony Locklear, TiaHart/Hoke LHD/Tribal Communities Liaison, Injury and Violence Prevention Branch <u>Justice-Involved Populations Work</u>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juan Tuset, NC-FIT Recovery • Victor Vincent Jr., NC-FIT Recovery <u>Treatment Access Achievements</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jason Hines, Acadia • Louis Leake, Acadia • Mike Campbell, Stanly County EMS
10:45AM – 11:10AM	Remarks from Attorney General Josh Stein <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Video Keynote: Governor Roy Cooper
11:10AM – 11:35AM	Current Data and Future Directions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mary Beth Cox, Division of Public Health • Adams Sibley, UNC Street Drug Analysis Lab
11:35AM – 11:55AM	What Lies Ahead - Supporting Children, Adolescents, and Families <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lauren Kestner, Queen City Harm Reduction • Dr. Blake Fagan, Mountain Area Health Education Center
11:55AM – 12:00PM	Closing Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tobias LaGrone, Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Use Services
Next NCDHHS OPDAAC Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • December 5, 2024 (Thursday) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Topic: Syringe Service Programs and Harm Reduction • Save the Date! March 18-20, 2025: NC Summit on Reducing Overdose <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Raleigh Convention Center ○ Registration opens September 30th! 	