Opioid Overdose Prevention Program

In October 2015, the Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS), in collaboration with the Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse (GCADA) awarded funding to 3 organizations to establish regional (North, Central and South) Opioid Overdose Prevention Programs (OOPP) for the purpose of providing education to enable participants to recognize an opioid overdose and be equipped to provide life-saving rescue measures to reverse the effects of the overdose. Funded opioid overdose prevention programs provide individuals at-risk for overdose, their family members, friends, and loved ones with naloxone rescue kits and educate and train them on how to prevent, recognize and respond to an opioid overdose. Additionally, funded organizations have established a procedure to make naloxone available to those who are either atrisk or have family, friends or loved ones at-risk for an opioid overdose. Intranasal administration of naloxone is the protocol recommended by DMHAS.

OOPP Providers are:

North - Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Morris, Passaic, Sussex and Warren Counties Morris County Prevention is Key 25 West Main St. Rockaway, NJ 07866 973-625-1998 info@mcpik.org Contact: Melody Runyon

Central - Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Somerset, and Union Counties Jersey Shore Healthcare 685 Neptune Blvd Neptune Township NJ 07732 732-988-8877 jsasdrugstx@aol.com Contact: Diane Villari

South - Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Ocean and Salem Counties
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