Housing Overdose Prevention & Peer HOPPS Services

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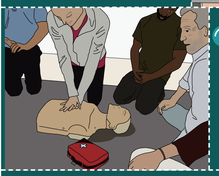
Linking Our Actions to Overdose Prevention & Response in Supportive Housing & Shelters

Our Partners

- HOPPS Team Members
- Funders & Government
- Residents of Housing Sites

Critical HOPPS Team Activities

- WITNESS people consuming substances
- RESPOND to on-site overdoses
- TRAIN OTHERS to recognize, respond, & administer naloxone
- DEVELOP & ADMINISTER voluntary Resident Safety Plans
- DISTRIBUTE harm reduction supplies



Fewer overdoses and fewer or no overdose deaths

OUTCOMES

INCREASED *knowledge & understanding* of toxic supply & overdose prevention & response

RESIDENTS are able to *respond* to overdose & *practice prevention* in their community

RESIDENTS are *supported* based on strengths, wellness goals & service needs

INCREASED *access* to needed health & social services

HOPPS Team Member Attributes

Trauma-informed • Team-oriented • Non-imposing

Self-aware • Respectful • Empathetic

Other HOPPS Team Activites

- HEAR & ADDRESS resident concerns & connect to resources
- MONITOR building exterior
- SUPPORT ACCESS to virtual services
- KEEP RECORDS
- REPORT Critical Incidents
- CONDUCT Feedback Surveys
- LEAD & PARTICIPATE in Advocacy & social events

IMPROVE THE MODEL

The Environment We Create

- *Guided by lived experience*
- *Collaborative & community-building*
- *Supports personal agency*

How does the work I do everyday support resident well-being & safer use, while increasing capacity to prevent & respond to overdoses?

- *Hopeful & optimistic*
- *Respectful & empathetic*