



ONEIDA COUNTY OPIOID TASK FORCE

PREVENTION • SURVEILLANCE • RECOVERY • TREATMENT • HARM REDUCTION

APRIL 28, 2025
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
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Welcome & Introductions

▶ Co-Chairs



ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



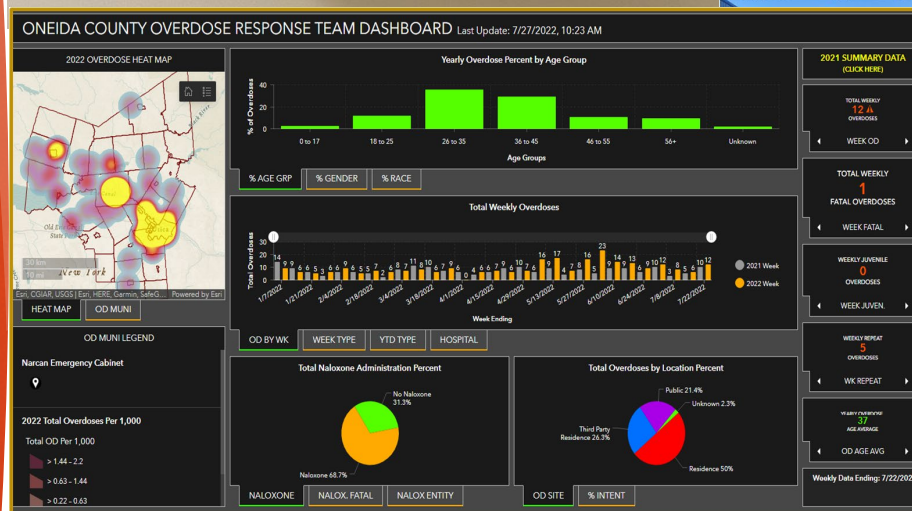
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ONEIDA COUNTY SHERIFF



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ONEIDA COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Success Over the Years

- ▶ Detera Bags
- ▶ Street Engagement Team Outreach
- ▶ Overdose and Drug Trend Dashboard
- ▶ Spike and Drug Trend Alerts
- ▶ Overdose Fatality Review
- ▶ Naloxone Kits
- ▶ Narcan Emergency Cabinets
- ▶ Check the Opioid Task Force website for more information <https://opioidtaskforce.oneidacounty.gov/>




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June 3, 2022

Oneida County Overdose Response Team Issues New Spike Alert

2 Fatal and 5 Non-Fatal Overdoses Occurred on June 2



Workgroup Outlines and Discussion

Education and
Prevention Team

Treatment
Enhancement Team

Government and
Policy Liaison (Data
and Quality
Improvement) Team

Overdose Response
and Harm
Reduction Team

Recovery Team

Lived Experience

Education and Prevention Team:

Focuses on implementing strategies aimed at individuals of all ages who do not have a substance misuse disorder. The group works to promote informed decision-making and encourage healthy behaviors.

- Education and Awareness Campaigns
- Youth and School Programs
- Community Partnerships and Engagement
- Data Collection and Program Evaluation
- Promoting Alternative Coping Strategies



Treatment Enhancement Team:

- Expanding Access to Treatment Services
- Enhancing Care Coordination
- Implementing Evidence-Based Practices
- Expanding Telehealth and Remote Services
- Addressing Barriers to Treatment
- Supporting Provider Training and Certification
- Tracking and Evaluating Treatment Outcomes
- Integrating Mental Health and Addiction Services
- Enhancing Information Flow and Trauma-informed Care (recommendation 2 from SIM)

Implements strategies to expand access to treatment services for individuals with substance or opioid use disorders.



- Policy Analysis and Development
- Advocacy and Coordination
- Regulatory Oversight
- Funding and Resource Allocation
- Data-informed Decision Making
- Monitoring and Evaluation
- Enhance Housing Continuity (priority area 1 from SIM)
- Improve Data Sharing Mechanism (priority area 2 from SIM)
- Develop Resource Transit Services (priority area 3 from SIM)

Government Policy & Liaison Team (Data Quality Improvement):

Focuses on analyzing, developing, and recommending policies, regulations, and legislative initiatives to address the opioid crisis. This group ensures that governmental actions are aligned with the overall goals of the task force, such as prevention, treatment, harm reduction, and recovery support.



- Rapid Emergency Response
- Data Collection and Monitoring
- Connection to Treatment and Resources
- Community Engagement and Prevention
- Coordination with Other Agencies
- Harm Reduction Support
- Survivor Support
- Develop a Diversion Program (priority area 4 from SIM)

Overdose Response and Harm Reduction Team:

Support individuals who overdose, monitor and identify spikes in overdose incidents, issue community spike alerts, and mobilize rapid responses to emerging threats. Acting as the data collection and analysis hub for the Opioid Task Force, the team ensures data and information are widely shared to inform Task Force strategies and actions.



Recovery Team:

- Connecting Individuals to Treatment Services
- Providing Peer Support and Mentorship
- Creating Personalized Recovery Plans
- Promoting Harm Reduction
- Building Community Resources for Recovery
- Removing Barriers to Recovery
- Tracking and Evaluating Recovery Outcomes
- Invest in Peer Services
(recommendation 3 from SIM)

Implements targeted strategies to help individuals with substance or opioid use disorders begin and sustain their journey toward long-term sustained recovery.



Lived Experience Workgroup:

Comprised of people with real-life experience who provide feedback on the work done in the Task Force. The real-world “lived experience” offers the positives and negatives of implementing these initiatives and how they would be used and/or perceived by those who are actually living with or have a loved one with substance use disorder. The group provides critical insights, perspectives, and recommendations to inform the task force's strategies, policies, and initiatives.





<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/OTF2025>

Workgroup
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Questions
& answers



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Closing remarks