

URGENT NOTIFICATION FOR PROVIDERS

Opioid Remediation Programs Requests for Funding

Trillium is accepting proposals to support opioid remediation programs throughout our coverage area.

These funds are restricted to the following use:

- 1. To purchase low-cost naloxone, lock boxes, and other supplies for distribution free of charge to harm reduction programs located in the 28 counties covered by Trillium. These items will be used to help reduce the number of opioid-related overdoses and deaths.
- 2. To purchase all forms of medications approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration for the treatment of opioid use disorder and distribute them free of charge to jails located in Trillium's 28 counties.
- 3. To fund community-based opioid treatment programs located in our 28 counties that provide opioid agonist treatment or facilitate the provision of opioid agonist treatment from other providers.
- 4. To purchase equipment for local opioid use disorder treatment programs located in our 28 counties to enable rapid analysis of opioids and other drugs causing overdose and overdose related deaths.

Trillium is focused on increasing health equity and will prioritize funding in counties that are Tier I and programs operated by historically underutilized providers. Tier I counties include Columbus, Bladen, Jones, Hyde, Tyrrell, Washington, Martin, Bertie, Pasquotank, Chowan, Hertford, Northampton, Halifax and Nash. Trillium will focus resources on programs that address marginalized populations to include the uninsured and underinsured, people with disabilities, Black, Indigenous or people of color and areas that experience health care disparities throughout our 28 covered counties. An example of a program could be to start a needle exchange program or purchase needle and sharp deposit boxes.

Trillium is requesting proposals from our counties, community partners, healthcare providers, schools and universities, and faith-based communities to provide these options to the people who live, work and play in our 28 counties. Interested parties should submit a proposal that follows the above funding restrictions to Cindy.Ehlers@TrilliumNC.org and in the subject line include, "RE: Opioid Remediation Request for Funding" by August 15, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.

Please include the following in your written proposal:

- Specific county, counties, or cities within Trillium's 28 counties the funding will support
- A Specific area(s) in 1-4 (above) for which you are requesting funding. If you are requesting funding of medications for jails, please include a letter of support from the local sheriff.
- A Please also include the amount of funding you are requesting along with information supporting estimates. For example, if you are going to propose that you will purchase 500 Naloxone kits or other supplies and distribute them free of charge, include an estimate for the number of naloxone kits (or other supplies) and the estimated price from the vendor you plan to use.
- A If you are going to purchase equipment for local opioid treatment programs that enable rapid analysis of opioids and other drugs causing overdose related deaths please attach the estimate from the vendor for the equipment.

All questions are due by August 1, 2022 for a timely response before proposals are due on August 15, 2022 by 5:00 p.m.

Submit your Questions

DO NOT REPLY to this email, as this is an unmonitored email address. If you have any questions, please email NetworkManagement@TrilliumNC.org.

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