



# 21<sup>st</sup> Century Cures Act Year 1 Accomplishments

Promoting Wellness and Recovery

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## Achievements from Year One

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### **ASAM Criteria Training**

Ten two-day live ASAM Criteria trainings were offered throughout Ohio. Additionally, two online training modules, ASAM Multidimensional Assessment and ASAM from Assessment to Service Planning, were offered to up to 1,500 participants (a total of 3,000 trainings). Out of 221 live training attendees, 89% considered the training a success.

### **Opiate MAT ECHO**

This effort provides a Mentorship ECHO and a Continuing Education ECHO for prescribers to receive support, mentorship, and education related to MAT and Opioid Use Disorders. Three Mentorship ECHO trainings sessions were held over three eight-week periods, with the Continuing Education ECHO running concurrently. 84% of participants rated the Mentorship successful.

### **Emergency Department Case Managers Grant**

Three emergency departments received funding to hire case managers to coordinate clinical care for patients with substance use disorders including opioid use disorders (SUD/OD). 246 clients were served by the three hospitals.

### **PAX Good Behavior Game Training**

This intervention teaches self-regulation in young people with dramatic effects on behavior, academics, and even long-term outcomes such as preventing mental health and addiction disorders. 1,879 Ohio teachers received initial PAX training with 84% of the trainees citing an improved understanding of the impact of mental health in their classrooms.

### **Botvin LifeSkills Training**

In 12 total trainings across Ohio, 177 prevention staff were instructed in this evidence-based substance abuse and violence prevention program used in schools and communities throughout the US.

### **Criminal Justice MAT Symposia**

Ten eight-hour trainings on the nature, application, efficacy, and implementation of MAT were provided to 396 criminal justice staff throughout Ohio.

### **Opiate Sequential Intercept Mapping (SIM) Workshop**

Four Ohio counties hosted 1.5-day Opiate SIM workshops. Each county identified five to six priorities for change and developed action plans accordingly. 97% of attendees felt that the SIM workshop did a good or excellent job of helping them establish action steps that will result in positive changes within their community.

### **OhioSTART**

In 36 live trainings, 626 individuals learned about this intervention program that provides specialized victim services, such as intensive trauma counseling, to children who have suffered victimization with substance abuse by a parent being the primary risk factor.

### **Collective Impact / Community Trauma**

Twelve community organizations received funding to coordinate long-term, local efforts aimed at recognizing and reducing opioid use, misuse, and abuse and decreasing the number of overdose deaths in their communities.

### **DATA 2000 Waiver Trainings**

Throughout Ohio, 715 physicians, assistant physicians and nurse practitioners were trained through the CURES program, and 606 applied for the waiver that allows them to prescribe the buprenorphine form of medication-assisted treatment for opioid use disorder.