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>>> **FY19 RFA: Ohio Institutional Expert MAT Trainer Grant (MHA-19-MEDDIR-OIEMATWAIVER-44)**

As part of the 21st Century Cures Act, OhioMHAS is seeking to partner with 10 hospitals with active and accredited residency programs throughout Ohio to provide DEA DATA 2000 Waiver trainings for resident physicians and physicians in Ohio. The awardee will have two of their waived physicians engage with Providers Clinical Support System (PCSS) to complete PCSS requirements to become a Course Instructor for MAT Waiver Training. The hospital will then sponsor two (2) MAT Waiver Trainings at their facility for physicians and resident physicians both at their hospital and/or from other areas in the grant year. The awardee will provide general course management and oversight, as well as CME tracking and provision. All proposals must be submit CURESWORKFORCE@mha.ohio.gov by 5:30 p.m. on July 20. Questions must be submitted to CURESWORKFORCE @mha.ohio.gov by 5:30 p.m. on July 6. Responses will be posted [HERE](#) and updated frequently. Awards are expected to be announced in August for project implementation to begin no later than Sept. 1, 2018.

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>>> **FY19 RFA: Emergency Department Grant Application (MHA-MEDDIR-EmerDep-45)**

As part of the 21st Century CURES Act, OhioMHAS will fund case management positions in up two (2) additional hospital emergency department settings to coordinate clinical care for persons with substance use disorders including opioid use disorders (SUD/ODU). Case managers will engage behavioral health physicians, primary care physicians, or physician specialists (e.g., obstetric/gynecological) to provide interim medication assisted treatment (MAT) if immediate entrance to an office-based opioid treatment program (OBOT), opioid treatment program (OTP), or residential program offering MAT is not available. Case managers will follow up with patients and treatment programs to monitor whether there is follow-through with treatment. Applications must be emailed to CURESTREATMENT@mha.ohio.gov by 5:30 p.m. on July 20. All questions must be submitted to CURESTREATMENT@mha.ohio.gov by 5:30 p.m. on July 13. Responses will be posted on the [OhioMHAS Funding Opportunities page](#).

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>>> **Opioid STR/CURES Act Technical Assistance Calls: June 2018 Schedule**

OhioMHAS is facilitating a series of statewide technical assistance calls to discuss projects and topics related to the State Targeted Response to the Opioid Crisis grant through the 21st Century CURES Act. Each call covers different topics and includes about 10 minutes of content presentation, while the

remaining time is utilized for participant questions and open discussion. Click [HERE](#) for the June 2018 call schedule and select the hyperlinked topics to register for the call through the webinar system. Please send future topic requests and direct any questions related to the calls to: CURESteam@mha.ohio.gov.

>>> MACSIS Retirement June 29

The Multi-Agency Community Services Information System (MACSIS) has reached its end of life. MACSIS began in 1998 as a centralized system to automate the payment and management of mental health and addiction services. Over the years, MACSIS has processed over 172 million claims worth more than \$11 billion. MACSIS will be taken off line permanently at 6 p.m., on June 29, 2018. Many thanks to all of the providers, boards and state staff that made MACSIS such a success.

In the News

6.4.18 | *Wilmington News-Journal* [Write new chapters in your life story, Ohio Supreme Court Justice tells drug court graduates](#)

6.3.18 | *Columbus Dispatch* [10-year-old's suicide highlights need for mental health services](#)

6.3.18 | *Columbus Dispatch* [Ad campaign aimed at discouraging opioid use](#)

6.2.18 | *Akron Beacon Journal* [Healthy Actions: Let's talk about depression and ways to cope](#)

6.1.18 | *TIME* [Deaths by suicide and firearms are rising sharply among kids](#)

6.1.18 | *Medscape* [Mobile health app effective for Serious Mental Illness](#)

5.31.18 | *WFMJ-TV* [Local doctors report abuse of gabapentin is a problem in Mahoning Valley](#)

5.31.18 | *Marion Star* [Group hopes to find answers to drug crisis through numbers](#)

5.31.18 | *WKBN-TV* [New Mahoning County court program seeks to help those with mental illnesses](#)

5.31.18 | *WEWS-TV* [Cleveland State professor brings attention to mental health of kids with incarcerated parents](#)

5.29.18 | *PsychiatryAdvisor.com* [Court-mandated substance abuse treatment: exploring the ethics and efficacy](#)

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