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>>> SOR-MOMS-Implementation Site Continuation Grant (MHA-19-MEDDIR-MOMSCONTINUATION-65)

As part of the Ohio State Opioid Response (SOR) Project, the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (OhioMHAS) seeks to award funding to current CURES-funded Maternal Opiate Medical Support (MOMS) programs with co-located medication-assisted treatment to implement and provide MOMS services to pregnant women with opioid use disorder. Awardees will develop an integrated maternal care home model of care utilizing the MOMS toolkit to support clinical practices for this population. Awardees will be responsible for participating in training and technical assistance events, learning communities, co-locating OB/GYN services, and coordinating with managed care plans and other entities (e.g., accountable care organizations (ACOs), comprehensive primary care centers (CPCs), and federally qualified health centers (FQHCs)) to encourage program sustainability. Additionally, awardees will participate in an evaluation of MOMS services. All questions must be submitted to SORTreatment@mha.ohio.gov by March 15. Responses will be posted to the [OhioMHAS Funding Opportunities webpage](#). **Applications must be submitted to SORTreatment@mha.ohio.gov by March 22.**

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[Budget Expenditure Form](#)

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>>> Early Childhood System Conference – March 25-28

Registration is still open for the [Early Childhood Systems Conference](#) to be held March 25-28 at the Hilton Columbus at Easton. This year's conference is an expansion of the Early Childhood Mental Health conference, and features input from Ohio's six early childhood lead agencies. The conference features: 79 sessions, three keynotes; cross-cutting themes of equity, trauma and successful transitions; daily mindfulness sessions for heart/meditation/yoga/movement/photography; 35 wellness exhibits and a half-day leadership development forum by Flashpoint Leadership Challenge. Click the link for more information and to register. Questions? Please contact Dr. Valerie Alloy at valerie.alloy@mha.ohio.gov or 614.728.0251.



>>> Best Practices for Legal Compliance for Recovery Housing Operators – April 1

As part of its annual [Recovery Housing Conference](#), Ohio Recovery Housing will host a "Best Practices for Legal Compliance for Recovery Housing Operators" pre-conference workshop on April 1 from 12:30-5:30 p.m. at the Embassy Suites in Dublin. Recovery housing operators must navigate a complex system of federal, state and local regulations to ensure their operation is in compliance with all applicable laws. This workshop will assist operators in the development of best practices for addressing common compliance issues. Early registration rates for the pre-conference workshop and regular conference scheduled for April 2-3 are available until March 11. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

>>> Registration Open: Sixth Annual TIC Summit – May 14-15

Registration is now open for the Sixth Annual Trauma-Informed Care Summit Creating Environments of Resiliency and Hope in Ohio scheduled for May 14-15 at the Marriott Columbus – University Area. Click [HERE](#) to view the Summit agenda and [HERE](#) for registration information. CEUs for licensed social workers, counselors, marriage and family therapists, psychologists, chemical dependency counselors, nurses, and DODD will be submitted. For more information, contact Kim Kehl at kim.kehl@mha.ohio.gov.

In the News

- 3.3.19 | Elyria Chronicle-Telegram [Erasing the stigma among African-Americans about mental health care](#)
- 3.3.19 | Canton Repository [Data review may help show why people abuse opioids](#)
- 3.2.19 | Lima News [Naloxone credited with decrease in overdose reports in Lima region](#)
- 3.2.19 | Youngstown Vindicator [Youngstown program lauded on national level](#)
- 3.1.19 | New Philadelphia Times-Reporter [Tuscarawas, Carroll County ADAMHS board receives notice of grants](#)
- 2.28.19 | Columbus Dispatch [Ohio is a leader in approach to battling opioid epidemic, AMA official says](#)
- 2.28.19 | WTVG-TV [Mental health recovery center reopens after massive expansion, renovation](#)
- 2.28.19 | Akron Beacon-Journal [Ohio human trafficking victims say what they really want is to be ‘normal’](#)
- 2.28.19 | WCMH-TV [YouTube addresses ‘Momo Challenge’; suicide prevention program recommends talking to kids](#)
- 2.27.19 | Piqua Daily Call [March is Problem Gambling Awareness Month](#)
- 2.27.19 | Cincinnati Enquirer [OD deaths down 20 percent, but Hamilton County Heroin Coalition says the epidemic continues](#)
- 2.27.19 | Dayton Business Journal [County director talk Dayton’s health care scene](#)
- 2.26.19 | Akron Beacon-Journal [Portage County sees spike in suicides](#)
- 2.26.19 | Zanesville Times-Recorder [Keeping families together during recovery](#)

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