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The Central Michigan Recovery and Education Network is a consortium of institutions and agencies working collaboratively to implement a plan to amplify the communities within ability to educate, treat, support recovery, and prevent opioid and substance misuse in Mecosta, Newaygo, and Osceola Counties.
Prevention - Year 2

**Narcan Education & Kit Distribution**
- Area bus banners
- Jail distribution
- Faith based - church and retreat staff distribution
- Ferris State University - Students, faculty, staff
- Area High School/Middle School Staff

**Difficult Dialogue Education**
- Pharmacists in 10 pharmacies trained
- Required training for Family Health Care FQHC Pharmacists

**At-home Drug Disposal**
- Area Agency on Aging; Commission on Aging & Meals on Wheels
- Research Study: 83% of participants using improper drug disposal
- Perceived ease of use increased 33% after brief intervention
Treatment - Year 2

**MAT Services**
Currently fewer than 3 MAT providers per county
Spectrum Health: MAT/Waiver required
Striving for Addictions Clinic in CMREN area

**Billing & Coding**
ArchPro Training
17 attendees
13 requested CEU/CME
Overall response very positive

**Telehealth**
Pharmacy Telehealth through MHE Foundation Grant
Partner project with Family Health Care FQHC
Includes new Pharmacy Residency program
Recovery - Year 2

Families Against Narcotics
Mecosta/Osceola Chapter - planning September 2022 launch
Hope Not Handcuffs - 1 police agency agreed, others discussing
Several Angels trained

Early Relapse Recovery Group
Family Healthcare FQHC - Launch January 2022

Jonah Foundation
Recovery community - 6 homes (3 for men, 3 for women)
Will serve all CMREN counties; Faith-based Program
Other Happenings

01
CMREN Multi-county Stigma Survey Launch - August 2022

03
CMREN Dental SUD Intake Assessment Project FSU Graduate Study

02
CMREN Outpatient Surgery SUD Intake Assessment Project FSU Graduate Study

04
SUD/OUD Pharmacogenomics Research FSU Research Dr. David Bright, PharmD
Challenges to Rise Above Year 3

- Stigma
- MAT
- Employment
- Housing
- Data
- Sustainability
Thank you for listening!

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