

Opioid Abatement Funds Overview

Understanding the allocation of resources

New York's opioid **abatement funds** are monies received from settlements with companies involved in the manufacturing, distribution, and sale of prescription opioids. These funds are intended to address the harms caused by the opioid crisis and are allocated to the state, counties, cities, and other subdivisions. The funds are managed by the Office of Addition Supports and Services (OASAS) and are divided between state agencies and localities, with a significant portion going directly to counties. In Putnam County, these funds are managed by the Putnam County Department of Mental Health.

The rest of the funds are managed through the New York State Opioid **Settlement Fund** (OSF), which is overseen by the Attorney General's Office of NYS. Allowable uses for the funds generally fall into categories like treatment, recovery, prevention, and harm reduction, and they are meant to supplement, not replace, existing funding. In Putnam County, these funds have been awarded to community partners via Request for Proposal(RFP) in 2023, 2024, and 2025.

Putnam County Initiatives Overview

Prevention Council of Putnam: Focus on harm reduction, prevention and education.

Green Chimneys: Focus on youth substance use prevention, harm reduction and education.

People USA: Focus on peer recovery support, and educational marketing campaigns.

CoveCare Center: Focus on integrated treatment, peer recovery support and education.

Mental Health Association: Created a Peer Engagement Center for recovery support and education.

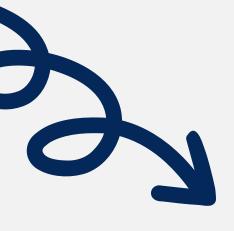
Abatement

Settlement

Create a Dual Recovery Position to support a co-occurring system of care for people who are experiencing mental health and substance use disorders and related costs.

Support the Local Outreach for Survivors of Suicide (LOSS) Team to support family and loved ones after a death by suicide and related costs.

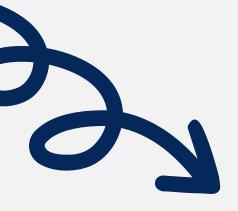
Opioid Abatement Funding



Total Amount Received YTD: \$1,436,542.00

2024 EXPENSES (ACTUAL)		2025 BUDGET		
PERSONNEL SERVICES	\$81,669	PERSONNEL SERVICES	\$171,976	
FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS	\$3,729	OFFICE SUPPLIES	\$2,500	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	\$1,772	PRINTING AND FORMS	\$4,100	
KITCHEN EQP AND APPLIANCES	\$189	CELLPHONES	\$1,000	
PRINTING AND FORMS	\$53	EDUCATION AND TRAINING	\$2,500	
CELLPHONES	\$405	TRAVEL	\$300	
EDUCATION AND TRAINING	\$30	LICENSING AND ACCESSORIES	\$100	
FRINGE	\$20,867	FRINGE	\$58,998	
		EMERGENCY HOTEL PLACEMENT	\$4,000	
Total:	\$108,714	Total:	\$245,474	

Opioid Settlement Funding



Total Amount Received YTD: \$1,590,476.99

		2023 (\$- Actual)	2024 (\$- Actual)	2025 (\$-Awarded)	2026 (\$-Awarded)
Awardees	Prevention Council	84,984.64	134,603.17	108,458.00	TBD
	CoveCare Center	X	64,865.08	129,000.00	TBD
	PeopleUSA	X	221,291.22	151,500.00	TBD
	St. Christopher's Inn	X	80,594.00	X	TBD
	Green Chimney's	X	39,740.23	49,900.00	TBD
	Mental Health Association	X	X	174,317.00	TBD
	Wayfinder Recovery	X	X	X	TBD
	Total (\$):	84,984.64	541,093.70	613,175.00	351,223.65



Questions and Feedback

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