The Community Overdose Action Team was established in the fall of 2016 to address the opioid/heroin epidemic in Montgomery County.

Montgomery County Alcohol, Drug Addiction & Mental Health Services and Public Health – Dayton & Montgomery County are the lead agencies in the effort to combat the epidemic.

The work of the Community Overdose Action Team seeks to stabilize the number of people dying from drug overdoses and reduce the number of fatal overdoses. In addition, it will identify what services are being offered, look for any existing gaps in services and explore potential new or expanded ways to combat the drug overdose problem.

As part of this inter-agency collaborative approach over 60 community leaders from numerous public and private organizations throughout Montgomery County are members of the Steering Committee that will help guide the work.

All aspects of reducing deaths due to drug overdoses are included in the effort.

Specific teams are working on prevention, treatment, law enforcement, the court system, opioid prescriptions, education and outreach.

It is the team’s hope that this collaborative, community-wide approach will make an impact in combating the problem of rising deaths from drug overdoses in our community.

For more information call 225-5700
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Community Overdose Action Team Goals
Stabilize the number of people dying from drug overdoses
Reduce the number of fatal overdoses

Community Resources

Addiction Services 937-461-5223
- Drug addiction counseling services

ADAMHS 937-443-0416
- Referrals to drug addiction counseling and treatment services

Samaritan CrisisCare 937-224-4646
- 24/7 Crises services and screenings

CarePoint 937-496-7133
- Naloxone distribution and clean needle exchange program

Families of Addicts 937-307-5479
- Support meetings for addicts and families

Project DAWN 937-734-8333
- Drug overdose education and naloxone distribution

Lead Agencies

Dayton & Montgomery County Public Health

Montgomery County Alcohol, Drug Addiction & Mental Health Services