

Access Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) services in your county.

BREVARD COUNTY

Circles of Care (321) 722-5261

Specialized Treatment Education and Prevention Services, Inc./S.T.E.P.S.
(407) 522-2144

ORANGE COUNTY

Aspire Health Partners (407) 245-0014

Specialized Treatment Education and Prevention Services, Inc./S.T.E.P.S.
(407) 522-2144

LifeStream Behavioral Center
(866) 355-9394 or (352) 315-7800

New Season (407) 275-8939

OSCEOLA COUNTY

House of Freedom
Deborah Morales, (407) 957-9077 ext. 204

New Season (407) 933-8331

Park Place Behavioral Healthcare
(407) 846-0023

RASE (Recovery, Advocacy, Service & Empowerment) (407) 518-1094

The Transition House
(407) 892-4202, ext. 169 or ext.164

SEMINOLE COUNTY

Aspire Health Partners (407) 323-2036

Specialized Treatment Education and Prevention Services, Inc./S.T.E.P.S.
(407) 522-2144

Central Florida Cares Health System (CFCHS) manages state and federal funds for substance abuse and mental health services for Brevard, Orange, Osceola, and Seminole counties. CFCHS funds a services network which offers various levels of treatment options. These treatment options include prevention, interventions, crisis support, residential treatment, and outpatient services for adults, children, and families. It is important to note that CFCHS does not provide direct service to patients/clients/customers. CFCHS helps to make it possible through a network of organizations to provide the direct service.

MISSION

Central Florida Cares manages an affordable, high-quality behavioral health care system for persons with mental health and/or substance use disorders.

VISION

Achieve a comprehensive and seamless behavioral health system promoting recovery and resiliency.



OPIOID CRISIS HELP IS HERE



DID YOU KNOW 72,000 Americans overdosed in 2017, a record number that reflects a 10% increase, according to new preliminary estimates from the Centers for Disease Control (New York Time, 2018).

How soon can I get help?

Crisis counseling is available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year by simply dialing 2-1-1 on your phone. You may contact a treatment provider directly and they will discuss walk-in and appointment options with you.

What will I have to pay?

You will be screened for financial eligibility during your first appointment. Insurance coverage/lack of coverage, income, and family size will determine where you fall on a sliding fee scale. Many patients pay only copays or reduced fees. You may even qualify for free services.

Opioid addiction affects many aspects of our communities; such as, public and private sector employers, tourism, education, law enforcement, criminal justice system, child welfare, and hospitals...all tax payers. Most importantly it effects families, children, and our consumers. It affects **EVERYONE**. How can you help? Educate yourself. Learn what signs to look for. What resources are available?

OPIOID ADDICTION

The nation faces a crisis of overdose deaths from opioids, including heroin, fentanyl, and prescription opioids. Many Americans suffer from “opioid addiction”. President Trump declared opioid addiction as an epidemic across the nation.

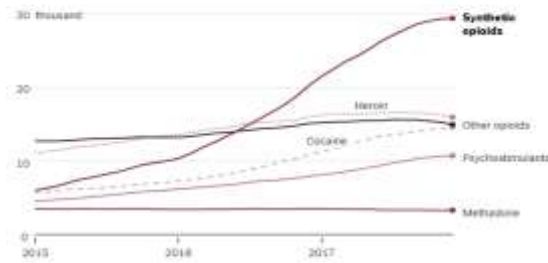
Opioid addictions claims many lives daily in Florida. The number of deaths related to Fentanyl in 2016 increased over 1300 as compared to approximately 114 in 2010. Heroin related deaths also up from 48 in 2010 to 952 in 2016; and these numbers are expected to be higher in 2017.

“**One size fits all**” approach to opioid addiction treatment **does not work**. Many people benefit from treatment with medication assisted treatment for varying lengths of time, including lifelong treatment.

Opioid addiction in some instances requires care management for effective treatment. Treatment methods that help patients stabilize, achieve remission of symptoms, and establish and maintain recovery.

Synthetic Opioids Are Driving Up the Overdose Rate

Overdose deaths in thousands in preceding 12 months



Note: These numbers are adjusted to account for some death investigations that are not completed. Some deaths involve more than one drug.

By The New York Times | Source: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

MEDICATION ASSISTED TREATMENT

Medication Assisted Treatment is an evidenced based treatment program which includes a full biopsychosocial approach to treating substance abuse. This comprehensive approach to treatment incorporates medical, psychiatric, and behavioral health care to those addicted to opiates. Treatment may include any of the following:

- Methadone, Suboxone, Vivitrol, buprenorphine, Naloxone (Narcan), Naltrexone, and others that may assist recovery.
- Individual and group counseling to trauma, depression, anxiety, etc.
- Psychiatric overlay services
- Assessments, biopsychosocial evaluations
- Individual and group psychotherapy
- Medical Services
- Residential
- Inpatient/Outpatient Services
- Detoxification (Detox)
- Assessment
- Case Management Services
- Outreach /Educational
- Peer Support Outreach
- Recovery Support Services

WHAT ARE THE SIGNS?

Opioid overdose is life-threatening and requires immediate emergency attention. Recognizing the signs of opioid overdose is essential to saving lives.

Call **911 immediately** if a person exhibits any of these symptoms:

- Muscle aches and pains
- Anxious or nervous
- Inability to think, talk, or walk normally
- Extremely pale and/or feels clammy to the touch
- Body goes limp or weakness
- Fingernails or lips have a purple or blue color
- Vomiting or making gurgling noises
- Cannot be awakened or are unable to speak
- Trouble breathing or shallow breaths
- Heartbeat slows or stops

EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

www.centralfloridacares.org/opioid

www.samsha.gov/medication-assisted-treatment

www.cdc.gov/drugoverdose/opioids