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The Montana Opioid Abatement Trust, Abatement Region 4 (AR4) is pleased to announce the availability of grant funding for AR4—a nine-county region. The funding is to support both existing and new programs focused on opioid use disorder (OUD) prevention, treatment and recovery.

The Abatement Region 4 Board plans to prioritize applications that focus on evidence-based prevention, care coordination, warm handoffs, and connection to behavioral health treatment and social health services to stabilize individuals and families. The Board will also consider other proposals that align with the eligible uses of opioid settlement funds. As adopted in the AR4 bylaws, preference will be given to County Governments represented in the Opioid Abatement Region. Applications submitted only to AR4 with statewide coverage will not be considered.

Funding Details:

- Up to three years of funding available for Fiscal Years 2027, 2028, and 2029.
- [Funding Available for Abatement Region 4](#)

Eligible MOAT project components, not limited to the following:

1. Prevention Programs:

- Evidence-based initiatives targeting school aged children and young adults.
- Drug disposal programs, including syringe disposal.
- Training for first responders.
- Funding for community antidrug coalitions engaged in prevention efforts.
- Public health entities, first responders, and schools providing naloxone or similar medications.

2. Treatment Programs:

- Evidence-based treatment following the ASUM continuum of care.
- Mobile-based intervention, treatment, and recovery services.
- Provide treatment of trauma for individuals with OUD (e.g., violence, sexual assault, human trafficking, or adverse childhood experiences) and family members (e.g., surviving family members after an overdose or overdose fatality), and training of

- health care personnel to identify and address such trauma.
- Comprehensive wraparound services for individuals with OUD and cooccurring substance use or mental health conditions, including housing, transportation, education, job placement, job training and childcare.
 - Full continuum of care for treatment and recovery, including supportive housing, peer support services, counseling, community navigators, case management, and connections to community-based services.

3. Programs for Criminal Justice Involved Persons:

- Support for pretrial services connecting individuals with OUD and cooccurring conditions to evidence treatment, including medication assisted treatment (MAT).
- Support for treatment and recovery courts providing evidence-based options for individuals with OUD and cooccurring conditions.

For the listing of eligible uses of opioid settlement funds, please see the link below.

<https://montanaopioid.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/Exhibit-E-List-of-opioid-remediation-uses.pdf>

To apply for MOAT funds, please visit the website below.

<https://montanaopioid.org/grant-portal/>

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