

Winooski Partnership for Prevention

Opioid Settlement Committee Presentation

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About WPP

- 3 staff, about 2.5 FTE
- Focus on preventing substance use disorders in Winooski
 - Youth
 - Young adults
 - Adults
 - Seniors
- Specific information and interventions are tailored to language affinity groups in Winooski for increased trust and salience



Medication safety for Winooski

- What we do now:
 - Lockable bags
 - Safe storage information
 - Medication return bags
- What we'd like to do:
 - More connection with families with elementary schoolers
 - Events that increase trust with school, healthcare, and us
 - Provide information on safe storage, poison control, signs of overdose, and lockable bags or other tools as determined by the community



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- Budget to support this work \$26,697k
 - Staff time
 - Advertising
 - Materials and supplies
 - Stipends for families
 - Stipends for interpreters and cultural brokers, school staff, healthcare staff
- WSD grade breakdown K-12 is about 800 students
 - 6-12 is about 300 students
 - K-5 is about 500 students



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If funded, Winooski Partnership for Prevention will be able to expand work preventing accidental medication ingestion, raise awareness of safe storage best practices, and increase trust with key personnel and organizations in the community to protect families.

Thank you for your consideration.

Opioid Settlement Funds Grants BUDGET FORM

Organization: Winooski Partnership for	Prevention		
	BRIEF DESCRIPTION	TOTAL	
PERSONNEL			
Salaries (list individually below)			
	To support work of Substance		
	Use Prevention Educator		
Crents and Policy Manager	(resources,	Φ.	2 500 00
Grants and Policy Manager Substance Use Prevention Educator	outreach, strategy)	\$	3,500.00
Substance Use Prevention Educator		\$	4,500.00
Fringe Benefits (list individually below)		\$	-
FICA = 7.65%		<u></u>	600.00
Worker's Compensation = 2.5%		\$	600.00
Chidcare tax = .44%		\$	200.00
		\$	350.00
Healthcare/retirement = 3.41%		\$	120.00
		\$	-
Total Personnel Costs		\$	9,270.00
NON -PERSONNEL/OPERATING		·	
Advertising/Marketing		\$	1,000.00
Equipment (if allowable: computers, software, etc.)		Φ.	
Software, etc.)	Food for events & training	\$	-
Materials/Supplies	programs; reminder materials	\$	5,000.00
Rent/Mortgage		\$	-
Sub-Contracts/grants (list individually			
below)			
		\$	-
Telephone (if a direct service cost)		\$	-
Training/Education		\$	-
Travel		\$	-
Utilities		\$	-
Other Direct Service Costs (list individually			
below)			
Stipends for families \$200 x 20 participants x 2 events		•	4,000.00
X 2 events		\$	4,000.00
Stipends for teachers, staff, admin \$250 x			
10 participants x 2 events x 2 hours each		\$	5,000.00
		\$	-
		\$	-
Total Non-Personnel/Operating Costs		\$	15,000.00
Total Direct Costs		\$	24,270.00
INDIRECT/ADMINISTRATIVE			·
Indirect Costs			
(does not self-calculate; 10% unless a			
different rate has been approved - Federal			
or State)		\$	2,427.00
GRAND TOTAL		\$	26,697.00