Peterborough Regional Overdose Preparedness Project

IMPACT REPORT

SEPTEMBER 2017 — MARCH 2018

PROJECT GOAL

To equip individuals, workplaces, and pharmacists in Peterborough City and County with timely, relevant, and evidence-based information and supports to reduce opioid-related harms.

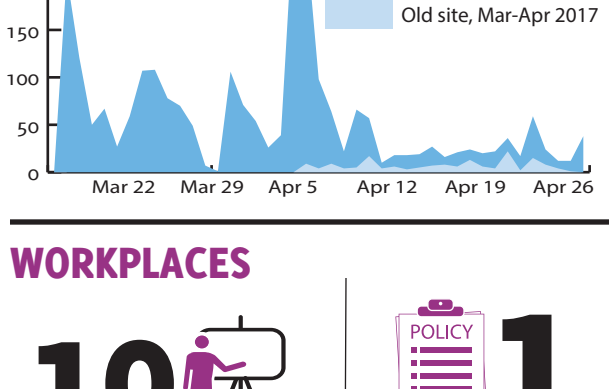
PROJECT OUTCOMES

INDIVIDUALS

2 POP-UP TRAINING & COMMUNITY EDUCATION EVENTS

85 INDIVIDUALS ENGAGED IN CONVERSATIONS ABOUT OPIOIDS

63 INDIVIDUALS TRAINED & EQUIPPED WITH NALOXONE KITS



RESOURCES PRODUCED

2 OPIOIDS FACTSHEETS

1 NALOXONE FLOWCHART

2 ONLINE VIDEOS

51,347 VIEWS

ONLINE OPIOID INFORMATION HUB LAUNCHED

2303 PAGE VIEWS
1021 USERS

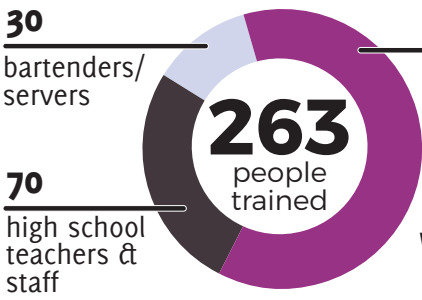
WORKPLACES

10 OPIOID OVERDOSE RESPONSE TRAINING EVENTS

1 WORKPLACE INFORMATION PACKAGE

44 NALOXONE KITS ADDED TO WORKPLACE FIRST AID KITS.

OPIOID OVERDOSE RESPONSE TRAINING



SURVEY RESULTS

RESPONSE RATE 54%

53% increase in ability to identify what opioids are.

76% increase in ability to recognize an overdose.

73% increase in ability to reduce opioid-related harms.

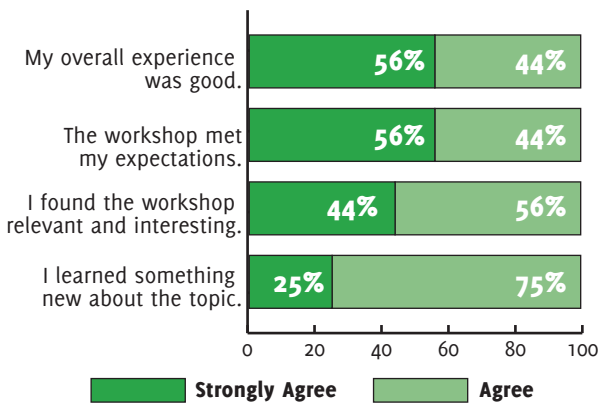
105% increase in ability to respond to an overdose.

"I am grateful that I attended the training. I hope that I will never have to use my new skills, but feel confident that I can assist if needed."
— Training participant

PHARMACISTS

16 PHARMACISTS TRAINED IN OPIOID OVERDOSE EDUCATION & RESPONSE

TRAINING FEEDBACK



SURVEY RESULTS

RESPONSE RATE 100%

42% more confident intiating a conversation about opioid use and naloxone.

36% more confident teaching how to recognize and respond to an overdose.

32% more confident providing harm reduction education.

43% more confident distributing naloxone kits.

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