

Consultation

Consultation involves working with program leaders and other stakeholders to implement policies, procedures, and practices that improve program performance.

EXAMPLES

Opioid overdose reversal preparedness

- implement safety policies and practices related to preventing opioid overdoses-policies, procedures, resources.
- how and where to keep Narcan in program facilities

Developing a care network

- assisting programs to arrange relationships with other services and supports across multiple systems

Strengthening the program's recovery-orientation

- developing recovery-oriented policies and procedures
- creating recovery-oriented (person-centered) curriculum
- offering or linking with multiple pathways of recovery
- goal setting and planning

Community asset mapping and resource development

Supporting programs to meet BSAS training requirements

Intensive Training/ Implementation

Intensive training is skill-based education designed to improve staff's performance of required work competencies. These sessions include time for practice with feedback from experts.

EXAMPLES

Behavioral de-escalation

Having a harm reduction-focused conversation with a client

Developing and identifying harm reduction strategies to include injection safety & overdose prevention

Implementing evidence-based practices

Reversing an overdose using Narcan

Reversing an overdose using Narcan during COVID-19

Prevention and management of infectious diseases (HIV, HCV, STD's, etc.)

Supporting sexual health

Addressing stigma and shame

Teaching self-advocacy skills

Conducting educational groups for patients or residents in treatment

- health and wellness during use and in recovery
- sexual health
- symptom management
- recovery skills