



RESOLUTION # 43-12/19

TO: HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE LA CROSSE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ITEM # 12-15
BOARD ACTION

Adopted:
For: 25
Against: 0
Abstain: 0
Abs/Excd: 4
Vote Req: 0
Other Action: 0

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES BOARD ACTION

Adopted:
For: 8
Against: 0
Abstain: 0
Abs/Excd: 1

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ACTION

Adopted:
For: 8
Against: 0
Abstain: 0
Abs/Excd: 1

RE: AUTHORIZING PURCHASES RELATED TO TREATMENT AND SUPPLIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE OPIOID RESPONSE (SOR) FUNDING, 2019-2020

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS), has awarded La Crosse County \$244,636 of State Opioid Response (SOR) grant dollars for the period of September 30, 2019 through September 29, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the funding is to be used to increase access to approved forms of medication-assisted treatment (MAT), decrease waitlists, service denial, or other unmet treatment needs for individuals seeking treatment services for an opioid use disorder; and

WHEREAS, the La Crosse County Human Services Department will specifically use the funding as follows:

- \$115,000 Medical Assisted Treatment (MAT) *through subcontracted services*
- \$30,000 Recovery Housing *through subcontracted services*
- \$16,000 Peer Support *through subcontracted services*
- \$10,000 Residential Treatment *through subcontracted services*
- \$73,636 Case Management *through continued funding of a .5 FTE Social Worker*

WHEREAS, the need for the above stated service options and case management to facilitate these services, as well as access to treatment and prevention interventions has become critical due to the nature of the opioid use disorder (OUD) illness; and

WHEREAS, ongoing funding from this grant will require completion of an application process prior to the next grant cycle.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the La Crosse County Board hereby accepts the State Opioid Response Grant funding of \$244,636 for this grant cycle of September 30, 2019 through September 29, 2020; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that La Crosse County is obligated to contract for all services that are necessary to meet the terms of the State Opioid Response Grant, so long as they can be supported with the related federal funding; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Board Chair is authorized to execute any contracts or documents necessary to effectuate the purposes of this resolution, after approval by Corporation Counsel; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the additional staff authorized under this resolution will be hired and retained only so long as they can be hired and supported with dollars related to the State Opioid Response Grant or from directly related program savings; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Finance Department is authorized to make any necessary and appropriate account transfers relating to accepting this additional funding.

FISCAL NOTE: Acceptance of the State Opioid Response Grant of \$244,636, with no County match required, and the award period September 30, 2019 through September 29, 2020. The personnel and operating costs will be tracked under the 210.450.4610 division within the County financial system under the Integrated Support and Recovery Services section.

Date: December 10, 2019

Sharon Hansen
COMMITTEE CHAIR

Alice K. Spenson
RECORDING CLERK

Date: December 11, 2019

[Signature]
COMMITTEE CHAIR

Terri J. Pavlic
RECORDING CLERK

	Reviewed Only	Recommended	Not Recommended	
Co. Admin.	_____	_____	_____	Requested By: Jason Witt Date Requested: November 27, 2019 Drafted By: Jason Witt
Fin. Director	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>50</u>	_____	
Corp. Counsel	<u>[Signature]</u>	_____	_____	
Board Chair	<u>[Signature]</u>	_____	_____	

Adopted by the La Crosse County Board this 19 Day of December, 2019

STATE OF WISCONSIN
 COUNTY OF LA CROSSE

I, Ginny Dankmeyer, County Clerk of La Crosse County do hereby certify that this document is a true and correct copy of the original resolution required by law to be in my custody and which the County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County adopted at a meeting held on the 19th day of December 2019.

[Signature]
 Ginny Dankmeyer, La Crosse County Clerk