



RESOLUTION # 2-4/22

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

ITEM # 419

BOARD ACTION

Adopted:
For: 29
Against: 0
Abstain: 0
Abs/Excd: 0
Vote Req: -
Other Action: -
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HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE ACTION

Adopted:
For: 6
Against: 0
Abstain: -
Abs/Excd: 2

RE: ACCEPTING GRANT FUNDING TO SUPPORT RESIDENTIAL SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR MEDICAID MEMBERS WITH OPIOID USE DISORDER

WHEREAS, the residential substance abuse benefit offered by Wisconsin Medicaid since February 2021 excludes the costs of room and board due to restrictions in Federal law, creating a potential barrier to residential substance use disorder treatment for Medicaid members; and

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS), using a portion of dollars received under a recent multistate settlement with McKinsey & Company, a manufacturer of opioid drugs, has approved a one-year grant to La Crosse County in the amount of \$110,083 to fund room and board costs for Medicaid members with opioid use disorder; and

WHEREAS, the grant funding, which is available to cover costs incurred from January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022, will help support the Human Services Department in providing much needed treatment access to La Crosse County citizens suffering from opioid use disorder.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the La Crosse County Board hereby accepts the \$110,083 in grant funding from Wisconsin DHS; 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 DHS Grant as 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, the Finance Department is authorized to make any necessary and appropriate account transfers relating to accepting this additional federal funding.

FISCAL NOTE: Award funds of a total \$110,083 with no County match required, and the award period ending December 31, 2022. The operating costs will be tracked under the 210.450.1000 division within the County financial system under the Integrated Support and Recovery Services section.

Date: 4-12-22

COMMITTEE CHAIR

Date: 4-12-22

RECORDING CLERK

	Reviewed Only	Recommended	Not Recommended	
Co. Admin.	_____	<u>30</u>	_____	Requested By: Jason Witt Date Requested: April 1, 2022 Drafted By: Corporation Counsel
Fin. Director		_____	_____	
Corp. Counsel		_____	_____	
Board Chair		_____	_____	

Adopted by the La Crosse County Board this 19 Day of April, 2022

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 April 2022.

Ginny Dankmeyer, La Crosse County Clerk