

Opioid Restitution Fund

Awardees for Harford County, Maryland

As a result of the opioid epidemic and the role of certain pharmaceutical manufacturers, distributors and dispensers, settlements have been achieved by participating States with these parties resulting in the Opioid Restitution Fund (“ORF.”) Beginning in late 2023, the Harford County Department of Housing and Community Services established a plan to center community stakeholders on the use and distribution of ORF monies received by the county through the State. On April 18, 2024, over 150 stakeholders and community leaders in the sector attended the first of two Summits, where a framework for funding was collaboratively established to maximize impact of the funds and address community needs. The framework resulting from the Summits and community input focus on the two, identified areas of Prevention and Education as well as Centralized Treatment. As a result, in January 2025, the Harford County Department of Housing and Community Services released a notice of funding availability requesting applications for consideration of projects in-line with that local framework. This inaugural round of funding has been allocated to the following organizations and projects*:

Organization	Amount Awarded	Project
Rage Against Addiction	\$328,461	<i>Rage Against Addiction Program Expansions</i>
Linking All So Others Succeed (LASOS)	\$70,370	<i>Enlighten Through Lasos</i>
Ashley Treatment	\$528,596	<i>The Roots Project</i>
Voices of Hope	\$356,776	<i>24 Hour Hope in Harford</i>
Chrysanthemoms	\$288,750	<i>Funding the Future</i>
Ed Lally Foundation	\$45,000	<i>Prevention Through Proactive Mental Health</i>
Total	\$1,617,953	

***For specific information on a specific project, please contact the organization.**



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