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Eastern Sierra Substance Use Project

A group of people and agencies seeking to reduce the harmful impacts of substance use in Eastern Sierra communities

Wednesday, January 6, 2021

10-11:30am

<https://monocounty.zoom.us/j/8523894939>

Agenda:

I. Intro: Meeting will be recorded, please mute yourself unless speaking.

Welcome and Introductions: In the chat box, chat your full name and which organization you represent or state “no affiliation” or “community member”

II. Review Substance Use Taskforce Website and social media updates (10 min)

- Ongoing changes, trainings (on-demand/recorded or live)
 - Virtual Eastern Sierra Substance Use Conference recording
 - In process of making the Narcan site a substance use resource page that will be more user friendly to the community.
- Social Media Updates: Justin

III. Open discussion about syringe exchange program, updates from Mono Co. Behavioral Health if available (20min)

- Need to add info into Narcan bags to include needle pickup and drop off info
- Broad announcement about syringes-flyers, newspaper ad, radio. (if you find one, need to drop, or pick-up clean needles)
 - Disposal in front of Mammoth Hospital
 - Talk to Pharmacies' services

IV. **Open Discussion: Discuss Narcan Distribution (30min)**

- Educate public about extended expiration date for Narcan/Naloxone, see website: <https://healthcrisisalert.com/news/21857-fda-approves-extended-shelf-life-for-narcan-nasal-spray/>
- Start a Narcan Distribution subgroup
 - Behavioral health, public health, any other community members or organization can join that want to be apart of distribution. Stay on after this meeting if you would like to join subgroup
- Organizations able to distribute (?)
 - Mammoth Mountain able to distribute? Narcan in each employee housing (?)
 - Share Narcan resources at AA meetings etc.
 - First 5 could distribute, still need to follow up and provide Molly Narcan

V. **Community Roundtable (remaining time):**

Share updates, needs, and/or concerns related to substance use within agencies or communities

Next meeting will be February 3, 2021, 10-11:30am (Wednesday)