Lorain County Opioid Action Team

Advisory Commmittee

Backbone Support

Diverse Spectrum of Stakeholders

Overall Vision

Support Aligned Activities

Establish Shared Measurement Practices

Mobilize Resurces

Advance Policy

Connections to Social Determinants of Health

Joint Information Center

Common Messaging Media Releases Public Awareness

Operations Section

Response Branch

Emergency and Crisis Plan to respond to individuals in crisis or a large casualty event of mass overdoses at one time

Treatment and Recovery Branch

Expand access to treatment and community support programs, including access and utilization of treatment options in the criminal justice system

Family Support Branch

Promote best practices to engage children, parents, grandparents and other family members impacted by opioid misuse and abuse

Illegal Supply Control Branch

Decrease supply of illegal opioids and other illicit substances

Planning Section

Action Plan Development
Situation Status
Data Reports
Evaluation

Data Unit

Enhance efforts to monitor opioid use and opioid related morbidity and mortality, interventions and outcomes

Prevention, Education and Information Branch

Raise awareness and knowledge of the dangers of opioids and illicit drugs misuse by implementing public awareness activities; prevent opioid and illicit drug misuse; address stigma to opioid use disorder.

Prescription Opioids Branch

Promote use of best practices among healthcare providers for prescribing opioids for acute and chronic pain, and medical/dental procedures

Harm Reduction Branch

Increase capacity of harm reduction programming(including syringe exchange, naloxone distribution, etc), to effectively provide overdose prevention and engage clients in support services