

UNDERSTANDING THE OPIOID CRISIS IN AGRICULTURAL WORKER COMMUNITIES – A ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

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Agenda

- Welcome/Introductions
- Overview of FHN Learning Collaborative on Opioid Misuse in Agricultural Worker Communities
- Large Group Discussion
- Small Group/Roundtable Discussion
- Sharing What We Learned
- Conclusion

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Overview of Opioid Learning Collaborative

- Assessment to understand the extent of opioid misuse among agricultural workers
 - Survey Monkey to service providers (health centers, legal services, and other agworker-serving organizations) – Summer 2019
 - Focus group at the Midwest Stream Forum – September 2019
 - Individual interviews – September to October 2019
 - Roundtable discussion at East Coast Migrant Stream Forum

GOAL: Develop TA that addresses needs of health centers and supports their efforts around opioids in agricultural worker communities

Today's Roundtable Discussion

- An opportunity to hear about your experiences with opioid misuse among agricultural worker patients
- Share strategies addressing opioid misuse in your communities
- Discuss available resources and potential TA to support efforts to address the issue of opioid misuse

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Large Group Discussion

Assessing Environment

- What is happening around opioid misuse in your community?

Assessing Current Services

- What are you currently doing as a health center or organization to address opioid misuse in your community?
- What strategies are your health center currently utilizing to address opioid misuse?

Assessing Needs

- What does your health center need to better address opioid misuse in your community?

Roundtable Discussion

ASSESSING ENVIRONMENT

1. What trends have you seen in opioid misuse among agricultural workers specifically?
2. From whom do agricultural workers receive opioids (prescribed or non-prescribed)?
3. What other methods do agricultural workers report using to manage pain?

Roundtable Discussion

ASSESSING CURRENT SERVICES

1. Are any of these strategies targeted to specific populations (i.e. agricultural workers)?
2. How are you tracking opioid misuse among your patients?

Roundtable Discussion

ASSESSING NEEDS

1. What are available resources in your community dedicated to opioid misuse?
2. Is there technical or training assistance we can provide that may be helpful to address the issue of opioid misuse among agricultural workers?

Let's Share!



CONCLUSION/FINAL THOUGHTS

Thank you!

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