

Harm Reduction In Michigan

Syringe Service Programs (SSPs)

WHAT IS HARM REDUCTION?

Harm reduction is a respectful, non-judgmental approach to reducing the harms of substance use that meets people where they are at. **For example:**

- NEEDLE DISTRIBUTION
- ACCESS TO STERILE WORKS
- CONDOM DISTRIBUTION
- ACCESS TO NALOXONE
- HIV/HCV TESTING
- VACCINATIONS
- PEER SUPPORT

THE NUMBERS

October 1, 2019 — December 31, 2020

2,369

REFERRALS TO SUBSTANCE USE TREATMENT

Michigan SSPs

- 25** Programs
- 63** Sites
- 6** Upcoming Programs

18,300

PARTICIPANTS DIRECTLY SERVED

36,189

NALOXONE KITS DISTRIBUTED

2,267

OVERDOSES REVERSED



460

HIV TESTS CONDUCTED

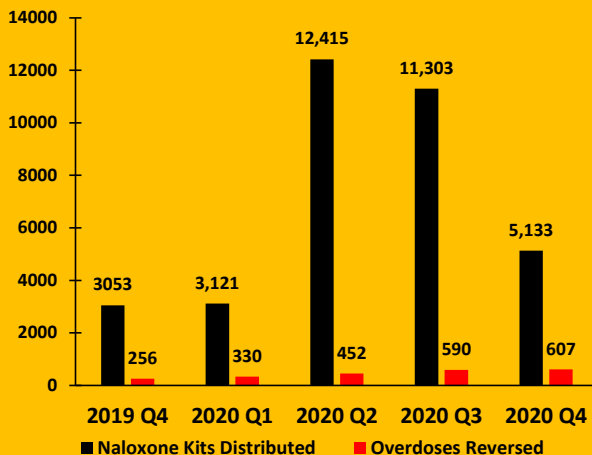
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HEPATITIS C TESTS CONDUCTED



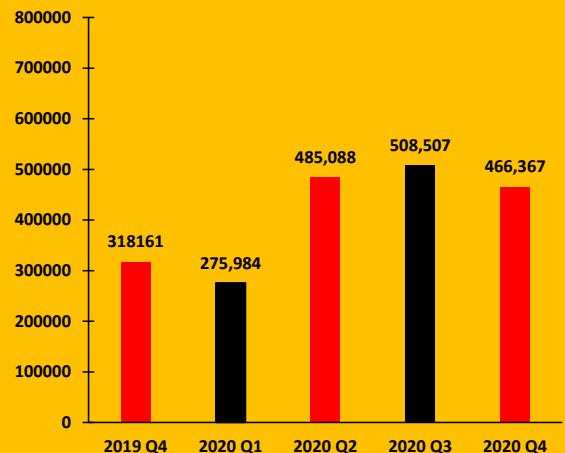
THE RESULTS

NALOXONE



Q1 = Jan-Mar
Q2 = Apr-Jun
Q3 = Jul-Sep
Q4 = Oct-Dec

SYRINGES DISTRIBUTED



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