

## NCDHHS Opioid and Prescription Drug Abuse Advisory Committee

**Date:** September 19th, 2025

**Time:** 9:30 AM – 12:00 PM

**Location:** Virtual via Zoom

**Topic:** Prevention, Early Intervention, Treatment and Recovery for Youth and Adolescents

<b>TIME SLOT</b>	<b>ITEM</b>
<b>9:30AM-9:35AM</b>	<b><u>Welcome, Introductions and House Keeping</u></b>  Tyler Yates, <i>Opioid Coordinator, NCDHHS DMHDDSUS</i>
<b>9:35AM-9:50AM</b>	<b><u>Surveillance Updates Across the State</u></b>  Meredith Welch, <i>Epidemiologist, NCDHHS DPH, OCME</i>
<b>9:50AM-11:00AM</b>	<b><u>Overview of Prevention in North Carolina:</u></b>  Jessica Dicken, <i>Assistant Director, Prevention, NCDHHS DMHDDSUS</i>
<b>11:00AM-11:25AM</b>	<b><u>Program Spotlights Panel Discussion:</u></b>  Facilitated by Pamela Morrison, <i>NC State Opioid Treatment Authority (SOTA) Coordinator, NCDHHS, DMHDDSUS</i>  <b><u>Panelists:</u></b> Tia Scriven, <i>Clinical Director, Haven House</i> Greta Metcalf, <i>Clinical Director</i> Kenny Parmenter, <i>Substance Use Program Director, HIGHTS</i> Dr. Kelly Graves, <i>President and CEO, Kellin Foundation</i>
<b>11:25AM-11:55AM</b>	<b><u>Overview of Treatment for Adolescents:</u></b>  Dr. Shuchin Shukla, <i>Addiction Medicine Consultant, North Carolina Technical Assistance Center; Medical Director, Greenville Comprehensive Treatment Center; Chief Medical Officer, Goldie Health</i>
<b>11:55AM-12:00PM</b>	<b><u>Closing:</u></b>  Tyler Yates, <i>Opioid Coordinator, NCDHHS, DMHDDSUS</i>
<b>Reminder:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Next OPDAAC Meeting- December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025. More information including a registration link will be shared in the future.</li><li>• This meeting is being recorded. The recording and slides will be posted online on the NCDHHS OPDAAC website. An email will be sent to the OPDAAC listserv once the meeting materials are posted.</li></ul>	

- For more information about the overdose crisis, available resources or to learn more about OPDAAC, please visit the NCDHHS, Opioid and Prescription Drug Abuse Advisory Committee website or email [injuryfreenc@dhhs.nc.gov](mailto:injuryfreenc@dhhs.nc.gov).