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Community Alcohol/Drug Assessment Program

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Community Mental Health Support Services; Community Alcohol/Drug Assessment
& Counselling Service; APH Harm Reduction Services

Service Delivery Context

- Integrative health model- Foundations of PH in delivery of community based MH&A clinical services
- Only Agency to deliver community based adult MH&A services throughout the entire Algoma district.
- Collaboration, planning, and evaluation in delivering a strong and effective district wide addiction support system.

Community Alcohol/Drug Assessment Program (CADAP)

Core Services

Harm Reduction Services

Collaborative Out Reach Services

Assessment & Counselling	Addiction Supportive Housing (ASH)	Methadone Maintenance Treatment Program (MMT)	Needle Exchange Program (NEP)	Stop for Addiction	Mege Zee Wuhsiswun	Ontario Works (DSSMSSAB & ADSSAB) - Addiction Support Initiative (ASI)	Back on Track (BOT)
District Wide Program	District Wide Subsidy Program Addiction Housing Case Management (SSM only)	SSM	District Wide Program	District Wide Program	Garden River	District Wide Program	SSM
(LHIN funded)	(LHIN funded)	(LHIN funded)	(Public Health funded)	(CAMH funded)	(Garden River Wellness Centre funded)	(DSSMSSAB funded) (ADSSAB funded)	(CAMH funded)

Total FTE: 8.1

Total Service Recipients/year: approximately 1000

Total Number of Direct Contacts/visits: approximately 5000

Total Annual Funding: approximately \$955, 000

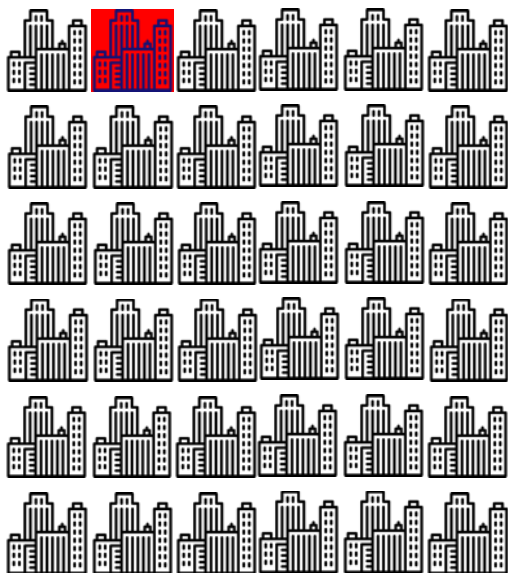
CADAP – Client Identified Problematic Substances

- Tobacco – 70%
- Alcohol – 66%
- Cannabis – 44%
- Prescription Opioids – 27%
- Cocaine – 26%
- Methamphetamines – 6%
(Crystal Meth)



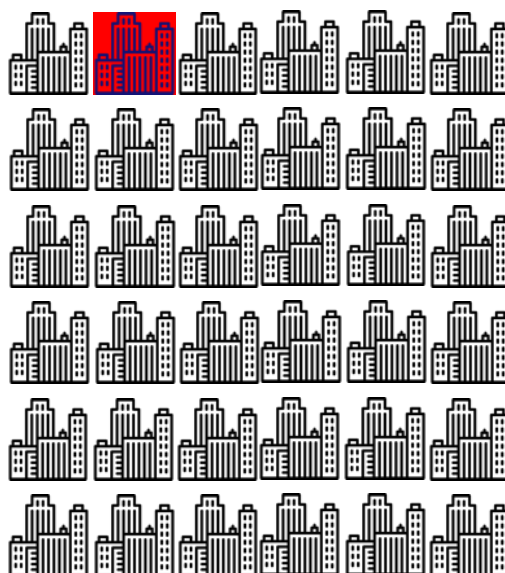
Scale of Opioid Problem in Algoma in 2015

Rate of Opioid related
Emergency Room Visits



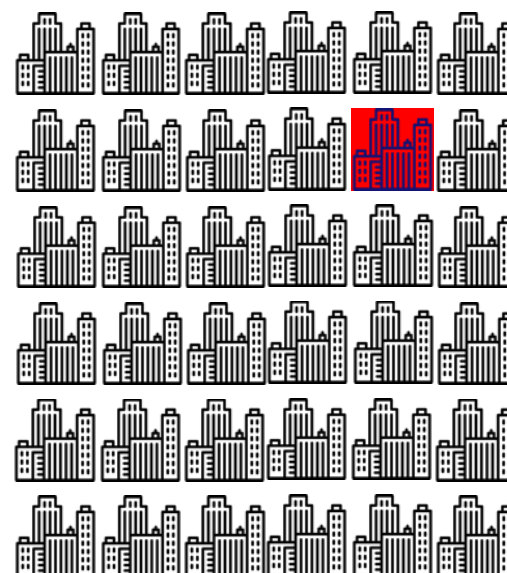
2nd highest out of 36
public health units

Rate of Opioid related
Hospitalizations



2nd highest out of 36
public health units

Rate of Opioid
related **Deaths**



11th highest out of 36
public health units

Public Health Ontario Interactive Opioid Tool



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Alcohol/Drug Assessment & Counselling Program

Alcohol/Drug Assessment Services

Administration of Provincially Mandated Assessment Tools

- Severity of use/abuse
- Stages of change
- Determine appropriate level/intensity of treatment services
- Screening for mental health issues

* *Regional Trainor & Early Adopters of the GAINQ3*

Alcohol/Drug Assessment & Counselling Program cont'd

Case Management Services

- Linking and coordination of services
- Monitoring and support
- Ongoing adjustment to treatment plan
- Discharge planning

Alcohol/Drug Assessment & Counselling

Program cont'd

Outpatient Counselling Services

- Individual Counselling
- Group Format
- Walk-in Clinic

Addiction Supportive Housing (ASH) Program

Based on Housing First Model

- Rent Subsidy - paid directly to landlords
- Intensive Addiction Case Management (Mobile)



Methadone Maintenance Treatment Program

Methadone Maintenance Treatment Program

- Treatment for individuals who are dependent on opioids
- Clinics are held twice weekly, with additional times set aside during the week for clients to provide required urine samples
- Pregnant women are considered priority for admission to the program
- Naloxone Distribution

Needle Exchange Program

Public Health Standard

- Provincial Best Practice Guideline
- Wawa – Monday – Friday, 8:30 – 4:30 pm drop in - location APH office
- SSM – Monday – Friday, 1:00 - 4:00 pm - location John Howard Society
- Blind River - Fridays, 1:00 - 4:00 pm - location APH office
- Elliot Lake – Fridays, 1:00 - 4:00 pm - location APH office
- Naloxone Distribution



Stop for Addictions Program

Centre for Addiction & Mental Health Program - aimed at assisting individuals dealing with addiction issues with Tobacco Cessation.

- Assessment
- Cessation Planning
- Ongoing Cessation Supports
- Free Nicotine Replacement



Ontario Works Addiction Services Initiative (ASI)

- SSM – 1.0 FTE APH - CADAP Assessment Counsellor
- District - .25 FTE APH - CADAP Assessment Counsellor
- Priority for assessment, treatment, planning, counselling and case management for OW - ASI participants



Back on Track Program

Ontario's Remedial Measures Program for convicted impaired drivers:

- Back on Track Assessment
- One-day Education Session
- Two-day Treatment Session and Follow-up Assessment



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- Garden River Wellness Centre
- 1.0 FTE Addiction Assessment Counsellor dedicated to supporting the Garden River First Nations community



Thank You