

Interested in Free Resources to Help Combat the Opioid Crisis?

Provided by: Southeast Rural Opioid Technical Assistance Regional Center

Florida State University College of Social Work's Center for the Study and Promotion of Communities, Families, and Children (CFC Center) received a two-year federal grant, funding the Southeast Rural Opioid Technical Assistance Regional Center (ROTA-RC). Under the grant, the CFC Center is partnering with Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU) Cooperative Extension Program and Department of Social Work to assist in the outreach, education and engagement of rural communities in the region.

ROTA-RC seeks to develop and disseminate training and technical assistance to address opioid and stimulant use affecting rural communities in the eight states in Region 4. ROTA-R will expand awareness of opioid and stimulate use, harm reduction, and options for treatment to improve the resiliency of the targeted 168 rural communities.







8,563 Individuals to be served

We are partnering with rural libraries across Region 4 to offer the following FREE resources:

Teen Wellness Toolkit

- 1-3 hour interactive class for teens.
- Focuses on well-being and opioid misuse
- Practical skills for coping, goal setting, and reframing negative thoughts.
- Opioid Toolkit
 - 1-hour webinar or in-person training
 - Developed by the OCLC
 - Focuses on helping librarians understand the opioid crisis in their communities by using publicly available datasets, connecting with community partners, increasing staff knowledge, creating community outreach, and combatting professional burnout
- Substance Use Disorder and Disasters Toolkit
 - In-person training or webinar and tangible toolkit for communities
 - Teaches proactivity in the event of the co-occurrence of managing substance use disorders and natural disasters

If you are interested in receiving these resources in your library, contact: **Carli Lucius CLucius@fsu.edu | csw.fsu.edu/cfc-center** Community Outreach Specialist, Center for the Study and Promotion of Communities, Families & Children





