

NOTICE OF MEETING

of the

OPIOID SETTLEMENT FUND ADVISORY COUNCIL

Pursuant to the provisions of Mississippi Code Annotated Sections 25-41-1 *et seq*. (1972), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Opioid Settlement Fund Advisory Council to be held on Monday, November 3, 2025, beginning at 1:00 p.m, at the Carroll Gartin Justice Building, 450 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201. The purpose of the meeting is to conduct the regular business of the Council as set forth in the attached Agenda.

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This the 31st day of October, 2025.

BY: <u>/s/ Caleb A. Pracht</u> Caleb A. Pracht

Special Assistant Attorney General



Meeting of the:

Mississippi Opioid Settlement Fund Advisory Council

November 3, 2025

1:00 PM Carroll Gartin Justice Building 450 High Street, Jackson, MS 39201

Meeting Agenda

I. Welcome and Call to Order

Mississippi Attorney General Lynn Fitch

II. Old Business

Special Assistant Attorney General Caleb Pracht

A. Approval of August 8, 2025 Meeting Minutes

III. New Business

- A. Meeting Structure and Guidelines
- B. 2025-2026 List of Recommended Grant Recipients (DRAFT)
- C. Timeline

IV. Adjourn

Next Meeting: December 1, 2025 (Tentative)



Mississippi Opioid Settlement Fund Advisory Council August 8, 2025 Meeting Minutes

Call to order

The second meeting of the Mississippi Opioid Settlement Fund Advisory Council was called to order at the Carroll Gartin Justice Building in Jackson, Mississippi at 1:04 p.m. on August 8, 2025.

Introductions and Roll Call

Council members announced their attendance at the meeting. A quorum was established. Mr. Moore moved to approve the July meeting minutes. The motion was seconded by Dr. Edney and passed by voice vote.

Old Business

Acting as Chair by the Attorney General's designation, Special Assistant Attorney General (SAAG) Caleb Pracht brought forward the Council's Proposed Rules as the first item of old business.

Mr. Taggart moved to reopen Proposed Rules for the purpose of reconsidering amendments. The motion was seconded by Ms. Veazey and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend Rule 402 and 404, with the purpose of amending the language of the second paragraph of Rule 404 to be similar to Rule 402's language. The motion was seconded by Chief Cooper and approved by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend Rule 405(c) to expand the scoring tiers. The motion was seconded by Director Bailey and approved by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to approve and adopt the Proposed Rules, as amended. The motion was seconded by Dr. Edney and approved by voice vote.

SAAG Pracht then brought forward the Council's Proposed Priorities for 2025 as the second item of old business.

Ms. Veazey moved to reopen the Proposed Priorities for 2025. The motion was seconded by Chief Cooper and passed by voice vote.

Ms. Bailey moved to amend Priority 8 to include "unserved and under-resourced communities in the state." The motion was seconded by Dr. Edney and passed by voice vote.

Chief Cooper moved to amend Priority 9 to add that "the project's grant proceeds will be expended for the benefits of residents of Mississippi." The motion was seconded by Mr. Stovall and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to approve and adopt the amended Priorities. The motion was seconded by Mr. Stovall and passed by voice vote.

New Business

SAAG Pracht then brought forward Grant Applications as the first item of new business.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend the Request for Grant Application to conform to amendments previously made to other documents. The motion was seconded by Mr. Stovall and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Sclafani moved to amend the part of the application regarding eligible projects to add that "grant proceeds shall be expended for the benefits of residents of Mississippi." The motion was seconded by Chief Cooper and passed by voice vote.

Ms. Bailey moved to amend Item 8 of the Proposal Narrative to add a timeline of target dates of when organizations would complete goals and objectives. The motion was seconded by Mr. Taggart and passed by voice vote.

Ms. Bailey moved to amend Item 16 of the Proposal Narrative to include a section for the application to add how the project or plan would be evaluated. The motion was seconded by Mr. Taggart and passed by voice vote.

Ms. Bailey moved to amend Item 3 of the Proposal Narrative to include a detailed project budget with clear justification of proposed expenditures for carrying out the proposed project. The motion was seconded by Mr. Taggart and passed by voice vote.

Ms. Bailey moved to amend to add as an item to the proposal narrative "any required certification or licensure information if applicable and any prior revocation of any such licensure or certification if applicable." The motion was seconded by Mr. Sclafani and passed by voice vote.

Judge Touchstone moved to amend Item 4 of Application Submission Information to add "such as in the form." The motion was seconded by Chief Cooper and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Sclafani moved to approve and adopt the Request for Grant Application, as amended. The motion was seconded by Ms. Bailey and approved by voice vote.

SAAG Pracht then brought forward the Council's Proposed Application Form as the second item of new business.

Judge Storey moved to amend the application to conform to previous amendments to other documents. The motion was seconded by Ms. Veazey and passed by voice vote.

Judge Storey then moved to amend the application to add a checkbox for the applicant to check if the applicant had previously had a license or certification revoked. The motion was seconded by Dr. Edney and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to approve and adopt the Application Form, as amended. The motion was seconded and passed by voice vote.

SAAG Pracht then brought forward the Council's Proposed Scoring Rubric as the third item of new business.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend the Scoring Rubric to conform to previous amendment to expand the tiers. The motion was seconded by Ms. Bailey and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend the second bullet point under the Abatement Impact section to conform to amendments to previous documents. The motion was seconded by Mr. Sclafani and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend to add language regarding an internal control mechanism. The motion was seconded by Chief Cooper and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Sclafani moved to amend to separate the scoring for in-kind or in-cash funds under the fourth bullet point on Financial Stability. The motion was seconded by Mr. Taggart and approved by voice vote, with Mr. Moore and Mr. Stovall voting "No."

Mr. Sclafani moved to amend the second bullet point under Geographic Area and Population to Be Served to conform with previous amendments to other documents. The motion was seconded by Judge Touchstone and passed by voice vote.

Dr. Edney moved to amend the language under Geographic Area and Population to Be Served to conform to previous amendments to other documents by adding language "under resourced and underserved." The motion was seconded by Mr. Moore and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Taggart moved to approve and adopt the Scoring Rubric, as amended. The motion was seconded by Sheriff Jones and passed by voice vote.

SAAG Pracht then brought forward the Council's Proposed Subcommittee Assignments, for discussion. There was no discussion.

SAAG Pracht then brought forward the Council's Proposed Grant Cycle Timeline. After a discussion about whether the abbreviated timeline would be practical, the Council agreed that the September 19th application deadline would be held firm, but all other future dates would be tentative and subject to change.

SAAG Pracht then brought forward the Council's Sample MOU as the sixth item of new business.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend, en bloc, the financial documentation required, clarify the lump sum/reimbursement thresholds, and clarify the clawback language.

Mr. Taggart moved to amend Section 3 to include "any grant." The motion was seconded by Sclafani and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Sclafani moved to amend language in Section 4 to include "the Attorney General Office reserves right to conduct an audit or retain a third-party to conduct audit." The motion was seconded by Mr. Stovall and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Stovall moved to amend to allow the Attorney General's Office 30 days instead of 10 days to review quarterly reports and other required documentation. The motion was seconded and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Sclafani moved to amend Section 5 to add "as well as an annual audit of grant funds" and to amend Section 3. The motion was approved by Mr. Taggart as a friendly amendment, seconded by Ms. Bailey and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Sclafani moved to amend Section 2 to add "lump sum awards shall be limited to projects of no more than \$50,000." The motion was seconded by Mr. Stovall and passed by voice vote.

Mr. Stovall moved to approve and adopt the Sample MOU, as amended. The motion was seconded by Ms. Bailey and passed by voice vote.

SAAG Pracht then brought forward the Council's Sample Budget to provide the Council with an example of what applicants may provide related to the budget for their proposed project, for discussion. There was no discussion.

Announcements

The members agreed to meet again on November 3rd.

Adjournment

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Chief Cooper made a motion to adjourn. M approved by voice vote. The meeting was a	fr. Stovall seconded the motion, and the motion was djourned at 3:30 p.m.
Caleb Pracht	Date of approval

August 8, 2025 Opioid Settlement Council Member Attendees

Attorney General Lynn Fitch (by proxy

Misty Monroe) Dr. Daniel Edney Wendy Bailey

Judge Brad Touchstone

Joseph Sclafani Mark Stovall Andy Taggart James Moore Gerry Taylor

Chief Justice Michael K. Randolph

Kym Wiggins Shari Veazey Troy Ross

Chief Adam Cooper Sheriff Tyree Jones

Representative Clay DeWeese

Bryan Buckley Greg Spore

Judge Stanley Sorey

Judge Celeste Embry Wilson

Judge Trent Favre Suzanne Hudson Gerald Kucia Marshall Fisher Ta'Shia Gordon

Dr. Saurabh Bhardwaj Dr. Melody Madaris Terrance Shirley Jennifer Dick

Senator Nicole Boyd

Senator Angela Turner Ford Representative Sam Creekmore



2025-2026 Opioid Settlement Fund Advisory Council Recommendations to the Legislature

Scoring Not Yet Complete

North MS Rural Legal Services

Hinds Behavioral Health Region 9

Tier One Applications (90-100; Highest Priority of Recommendation)

<u>Mississippi Department of Mental Health 1 of 3 (Additional Male Substance Use</u> Disorder Treatment Beds for Civil Commitments)

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 99.0

Amount: \$996,600.00

Description: The Mississippi Department of Mental Health (DMH) requests funding to increase capacity for substance use disorder (SUD) treatment by adding 15 additional beds at East Mississippi State Hospital (EMSH) in Meridian.

<u>Mississippi Department of Mental Health 2 of 3 (Supported Housing for Families in Recovery)</u>

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 97.5

Amount: \$1,679,895.00

Description: The Mississippi Department of Mental Health (DMH) proposes a partnership with Open Doors Homeless Coalition to establish a supported housing voucher program for adults leaving residential substance use disorder (SUD) treatment and/or SUD civil commitment who do not have safe, stable housing.

University of Mississippi Medical Center

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 95.5

Amount: \$10,000,000.00

Description: Through the establishment of the CARE program, UMMC seeks to serve the citizens of Mississippi through focused clinical, education, and research efforts aimed at improving prevention, treatment, and outcomes associated OUDs. Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider partial or reduced funding of this application request.

<u>Jackson Medical Mall Foundation</u>

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 95.0

Amount: \$290,000.00

Description: The Jackson Medical Mall Foundation seeks funding to expand naloxone access, strengthen overdose prevention, and launch a pilot Outpatient Detox Facility within the Jackson Medical Mall.

Access Family Health Services

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 95.0

Amount: \$289,963.00

Description: Access Family Health Services seeks funding to expand the availability of treatment for opioid use disorder (OUD), support evidence-based services, provide counseling and peer-support to people with OUD, and engage nonprofits, faith-based communities, and family members to support people in treatment and recovery.

<u>University of Mississippi</u>

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 94.8

Amount: \$711,642.00

Description: This proposal seeks funding to establish a statewide data repository and dashboard to track real-time opioid and polysubstance use trends to inform state and local public health and law enforcement agencies and enable targeted prevention and response.

South Central Regional Medical Center

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 94.75

Amount: \$1,550,000.00

Description: SCRMC seeks to create modern, trauma-informed, and accessible facilities in order to admit more patients, provide a safer and more dignified environment for individuals and their families, and strengthen the continuum of care across Mississippi.

Notes: The Council recommends funding this grant recipient only with an accompanying commitment by the Center to keep the beds created under the project as inpatient behavioral health beds for a period of at least ten (10) years.

Communicare

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 94.25

Amount: \$5,816,285.00

Description: This grant application proposes the creation of a substance use residential and crisis residential program for adolescents in Mississippi, starting with the purchase of a psychiatric facility where both a co-ed adolescent substance use treatment facility and adolescent crisis stabilization unit can be housed.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider that this applicant's project may be eligible for funding from the Rural Health Transformation program under Section 71401 of Public Law 119-21.

North Mississippi Health Services

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 93.5

Amount: \$4,985,700.01

Description: NMHS requests funding to expand local access to opioid-related care in high-need counties, deliver comprehensive treatment to uninsured and underinsured individuals, and support family stabilization through the Lee County Family Addiction Court. This project will serve approximately 1400 individuals at high risk for opioid misuse, overdose, or untreated opioid use disorder across 20 counties in the NMHS region.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider partial or reduced funding of this application request.

Mississippi Hospital Association

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 93.0

Amount: \$4,561,000.00

Description: The MHA Foundation proposes training emergency department (ED) personnel to identify and refer patients in crisis related to opioid misuse to appropriate treatment and community resources. The program would also leverage IntelliTrue, Mississippi's statewide health information exchange, to deliver real-time alerts when high-risk patients present in the ED and employ its care coordination tools to strengthen continuity of care and reduce avoidable ED visits.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider partial or reduced funding of this application request. The Council also recommends that the Legislature consider that this applicant's project may be eligible for funding from the Rural Health Transformation program under Section 71401 of Public Law 119-21.

Amite County Medical Services

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 93.0

Amount: \$222,198.00

Description: This project seeks to reduce the risk of opioid misuse in Amite & Pike counties by expanding access to integrated mental health services, identifying at-risk individuals early, and strengthening care coordination.

Tupelo Fire Department

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 93.0

Amount: \$58,826.67

Description: This project seeks funding to purchase medical equipment, including Advanced Cardiac Life Support and higher quality, continuous CPR for victims of cardiac arrest due to overdose, in order to assist in the immediate treatment and recovery of citizens in opioid crisis.

Delta Health Center

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 92.6

Amount: \$67,517.00

Description: This project seeks funding to implement a comprehensive Opioid Harm Reduction Program designed to prevent opioid-related deaths in six impoverished counties in the Mississippi Delta through public and patient education, distribution of fentanyl and xylazine test strips, and opioid education and naloxone distribution for the friends and family members of opioid drug users.

Oxford House

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 92.5

Amount: \$67,974.13

Description: Oxford House proposes hiring two (2) full-time Outreach Workers to expand and strengthen the network of Oxford Houses in the state. Over the 12-month grant period, OHI will establish or reestablish four (4) to six (6) Oxford Houses, creating 24–48 recovery beds.

Oceans Healthcare

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 91.8

Amount Requested: \$4,112,147.00

Amount Recommended: \$2,056,073.50

Description: This project seeks to improve maternal mental health and reduce opioid-related morbidity and mortality among pregnant and postpartum women by delivering an integrated Perinatal Behavioral Health + Opioid Use Disorder model with Medications for Opioid Use Disorder, OB-linked bridge access, transportation, and harm reduction.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider initially funding one of the two proposed hubs under this project in order to obtain metrics and data on the success of the project before funding the second hub.

J&J Research Consulting/Jackson State University

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 91.5

Amount: \$210,072.72

Description: This project seeks funding for a one-year initiative to address Mississippi's opioid crisis through real-time social media surveillance, targeting opioid-related discourse among youth and community members statewide on platforms like TikTok,

YouTube, and X to produce county-level maps of emotional tone, misinformation, and help-seeking signals.

Mission Vigilant

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 91.33

Amount: \$50,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to provide private, confidential, certified counseling to Mississippi veterans, first responders, and their family members struggling with opioid addiction.

<u>Mississippi Public Health Institute 1 of 3 (Specialized Peer Support Training for Perinatal Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder)</u>

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 91.0

Amount: \$204,171.64

Description: The goal of this project is to create a sustainable, trained peer support workforce capable of addressing the unique needs of pregnant and postpartum women affected by opioids and mental health disorders. Objectives include partnering with Postpartum Support International (PSI) to provide training for Peer Support Specialists in perinatal mental health support and partnering with the Opioid Response Network to train 100 peer support specialists in perinatal Substance Use Disorder.

HarborPath 1 of 2 (Campus Naloxone Distribution)

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 90.75

Amount: \$1,231,335.29

Description: This project seeks funding to prevent fatal opioid overdoses on Mississippi college campuses & to increase awareness of Naloxone and its accessibility on college campuses.

Pine Belt Mental Healthcare

Subcommittee: Judicial Score: 90.67

Amount: \$2,694,940.42

Description: This project seeks funding to provide substance use disorder treatment,

residential services, medication-assisted treatment, psychiatric services, and peer support services to an estimated 504 individuals.

Exodus Project

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 90.0

Amount: \$49,867.00

Description: The Exodus Project seeks to expand access to evidence-based residential treatment for justice-involved individuals, build and sustain partnerships with residential rehabilitation facilities, support long-term recovery and reduce recidivism, and educate and support recovery through the Exodus Project Intervention Course (EPIC).

Scott County Emergency Management Association

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 90.0

Amount: \$61,500.00

Description: This project seeks funding to strengthen the community's emergency response to the opioid crisis by purchasing and deploying 15 Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) and providing related training for emergency responders.

Hope Village

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 90.0

Amount: \$168,438.00

Description: This project seeks funding for a first-of-its-kind residential treatment program for youth in foster care who have both a behavioral health diagnosis and a substance use disorder diagnosis, and which accepts Medicaid as a form of payment to treat these issues.

Tier Two (80-89)

South Mississippi Mental Health Center 3 of 3 (Home of Grace Partnership)

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 89.25

Amount: \$303,837.02

Description: This project seeks funding to offer a program scholarship to eligible

participants to continue their treatment at Home of Grace.

Mississippi State University 1 of 2 (Psychology and Behavioral Health Department)

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 89.2

Amount: \$759,082.00

Description: This project seeks funding for the following:

1) Training on how to use opioid overdose reversal medications;

- 2) Treatment for those with problematic opioid or gateway substance use; and
- 3) Teaching the public about the dangers of opioid and gateway substance use.

HealthCare On the Go

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 89.2

Amount: \$1,637,000.00

Description: This proposal seeks funding to expand residential treatment capacity, provide long-term root cause intervention, re-establish a partnership with the Mississippi Department of Corrections, sustain long-term recovery relationships to reduce overdose deaths, and create a replicable, evidence-based statewide model for lifelong recovery that reduces recidivism.

Mississippi Department of Mental Health 3 of 3 (Comprehensive Needs Assessment)

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 89.0

Amount: \$100,000.00

Description: The Mississippi Department of Mental Health (DMH) seeks funding to partner with Mississippi State University (MSU) on a statewide Comprehensive Needs

Assessment. Mississippi continues to experience high rates of opioid-related deaths and significant treatment demands across all regions. However, the state does not currently have a unified, evidence-based assessment of prevention, treatment, and recovery needs. This project will address that gap by collecting and analyzing statewide data, engaging stakeholders, and producing actionable recommendations.

<u>Mississippi Public Health Institute 3 of 3 (Providers Responding to Opioids through Professional Education and Learning)</u>

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 89.0

Amount: \$49,952.44

Description: MSPHI proposes a statewide, evidence-based education initiative to strengthen the capacity of healthcare and behavioral health professionals in addressing Opioid Use Disorder (OUD). This program, PROPEL MS (Providers Responding to Opioids through Professional Education & Learning), will address all of these issues and better equip healthcare and behavioral healthcare providers throughout Mississippi to appropriately identify and treat OUD in Mississippi.

Oxford Fire Department

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 89.0

Amount: \$48,140.58

Description: This project seeks funding to acquire a Lund University Cardiopulmonary Assist System (LUCAS) device from the Stryker Corporation to improve the survival rate for sudden cardiac arrest due to opioid overdose and reduce physical and mental strain on emergency responders, providing for more effective resuscitation with fewer personnel.

Mercy Housing and Human Development

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 88.67

Amount: \$350,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to provide sponsorships for people to attend recovery centers, along with post-treatment support—such as transportation, clothing, hygiene supplies, education, and connections to community-based services.

QuickMD

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 88.0

Amount: \$1,5000,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand access to MAT via telehealth for individuals with OUD, focusing on those Mississippi residents living in areas with few treatment options or significant access barriers. The project also seeks to alleviate pressure on community safety net providers and emergency departments by reducing unnecessary hospitalizations, preventing overdose deaths, improving patient outcomes, and integrating peer support specialists into their treatment and care model.

Canopy Children's Solutions

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 88.0

Amount: \$2,038,960.00

Description: Canopy Children's Solutions (Canopy) proposes the development of an Integrated Data and Analytics System designed not simply to store information, but to transform how data drives prevention, treatment, and coordination across Mississippi's child- and family-serving systems. This modernized data system will unify currently siloed records from across Canopy's continuum of care, enabling timely identification of children and families directly impacted by opioid use, those experiencing dual diagnoses, and those destabilized by caregiver substance use disorder.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider that this applicant's project may be eligible for funding from the Rural Health Transformation program under Section 71401 of Public Law 119-21.

<u>Life Help (Region 6 Community Mental Health Clinic)</u>

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 88.0

Amount: \$500,000.00

Description: This project seeks to expand prevention, treatment, and intervention services across sixteen Delta counties, focusing on prevention services for children and adolescents, naloxone distribution for adults, overdose assessment and referral in collaboration with local emergency departments, expanded SUD peer and clinical services, residential treatment, and the deployment of trained interventionists to improve outreach and linkage to care.

Mississippi Administrative Office of Courts

Subcommittee: Special Subcommittee Consisting of the Chair and Vice-Chairs

Score: 87.6

Amount Requested: \$61,325,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to provide material assistance to all Youth and Intervention Courts statewide for treating alcohol and drug abuse; rehabilitating individuals into more productive citizens and/or parents, enabling them to gain employment; and fostering lives free of drugs and crime through targeted settlement-funded interventions.

Notes: The Council strongly recommends that the Legislature consider partial or reduced funding for this application.

South Mississippi Mental Health Center 2 of 3 (Children and Youth Services)

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 87.5

Amount: \$1,555,020.52

Description: This project seeks funding to reduce the risk of opioid misuse among children and youth by promoting healthy coping strategies, resilience, and substance abuse education in a school-based therapeutic setting by identifying and supporting students at risk of opioid use or affected by opioid misuse in their families through integrated mental health and substance use services.

CompuRecycling Center

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 87.4

Amount: \$160,532.68

Description: This project seeks funding to implement a youth-driven, adult-supported, and place-based solution to counteract the opioid crisis that disproportionately affects communities in the Mississippi Delta by activating 30 Medical Ascension Youth as Level Up Against Opioid Epidemic Leaders.

Chase Project 2 of 2

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 87.25

Amount: \$400,000.00

Description: The Chase House of Restoration sober living and recovery housing expansion will provide a safe, structured and sober environment for adults to participate in early recovery and community-oriented services to maintain long-term sobriety with permanent housing to become self-sufficient and productive members of their community.

University of Southern Mississippi

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 87.25

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Amount: \$519,699.00

Description: This project seeks funding to establish a Prescription Opioid Misuse Task Force at USM, broadly responsible for pursuing and maintaining action to reduce the negative impacts of prescription opioids in the surrounding community.

<u>Mississippi State Department of Health</u>

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 87.0

Amount: \$5,008,550.34

Description: This project, housed within the MSDH Opioid and Substance Use Disorder Program, seeks to decrease opioid overdoses in Mississippi by leveraging multi-sector partnerships with local law enforcement, judicial systems, community mental health centers, community-based public health organizations, and emergency departments in surveillance, prevention, and treatment services.

Chase Project 1 of 2

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 86.75

Amount: \$400,000.00

Description: The Chase Project seeks funding to purchase its residential treatment properties free and clear, renovate housing units for safety, compliance, and comfort, renovate its tiny homes for mothers with children, implement quality assurance and data collection systems, and secure a long-term expansion property.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider partial or reduced funding of this application request.

Community Housing Development Association and River City Rescue Mission

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 86.5

Amount: \$116.667.00

Description: This project seeks funding for a Recovery Re-entry Academy to serve adult men completing residential addiction treatment at River City Rescue Mission and preparing to re-enter the community by equipping them with practical life skills.

Hazel Health

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 86.0

Amount: \$750,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to address the opioid crisis among youth in Mississippi schools by intervening upon the precursors to opioid use and abuse, with the intention of remediating the harmful effects of the opioid crisis.

Brain Injury Association of Mississippi (PeerPower MS)

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 86.0

Amount: \$140,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to develop a trained Peer Support Specialist network (PeerPower Mississippi) through the recruitment and certification of 10-15 specialists, deliver targeted opioid education, and expand access to referral networks.

HarborPath 2 of 2 (Law Enforcement AED and Naloxone)

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 86.0

Amount: \$1,231,335.29

Description: This project seeks funding to deploy monitored automated external defibrillators (AEDs) and Zimhi naloxone auto-injectors in law enforcement patrol units across high-need jurisdictions in Mississippi. Each AED will be remotely monitored to ensure constant readiness, and Zimhi pens will be distributed under a statewide medical standing order. Participating officers will be trained in overdose response, AED use, trauma-informed care, and referral to treatment and recovery services.

Hinds County Board of Supervisors/ Hinds County Public Defenders' Office

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 86.0

Amount: \$196,755.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand the Client Advocate Program (CAP), which embeds non-attorney advocates within the public defender's office to serve individuals impacted by the opioid crisis.

City of Jackson

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 85.67

Amount: \$2,500,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding for the Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement to address substance use disorder, reduce overdoses, increase youth engagement, and strengthen community collaboration.

Harrison County Board of Supervisors

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 85.5

Amount: \$1,900,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to establish and support a centralized, traumainformed Diversion Center that will provide immediate triage, assessment, psychiatric treatment, and service planning as an alternative to jails and emergency rooms.

Mississippi State University 2 of 2 (MASEP)

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 85.2

Amount: \$496,645.00

Description: This project seeks funding to revise the Mississippi Alcohol Safety Education Program (MASEP) curriculum and accompanying assessment to capture more detailed substance use patterns, including illicit opioid use, and to add mental health screening tools.

Mississippi Department of Corrections (MDOC)

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 85.0

Amount: \$4,731,200.00

Description: This project seeks funding to provide a comprehensive Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) program for opioid use disorder within MDOC, provide re-entry services with a focus on community treatment engagement, and provide community benefit with a reduction in collateral costs.

ARCare dba MSCare

Subcommittee: Public Health

Score: 85.0

Amount: \$1,004,473.99

Description: This project seeks funding to deliver innovative, evidence-based addiction treatment, expand the addiction medicine workforce through clinical training and mentorship, strengthen recovery support services through peer-led engagement, and enhance access to addiction medicine expertise across a regional service area including Lafayette, Lee, Pontotoc, and Union counties.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider that this applicant's project may be eligible for funding from the Rural Health Transformation program under Section 71401 of Public Law 119-21.

Pathway Healthcare

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 84.6

Amount: \$5,726,569.24

Description: This initiative will:

- Increase access to care by placing Pathway representatives in hospitals;
- Expand intensive outpatient programming as a structured recovery option;
- Launch Pathway for Mothers, a dedicated maternal recovery program; and
- Prepare Mobile Units to reach isolated area statewide.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider the potential that existing outpatient services in the area may be undermined by the funding of this grant application.

Region 8 Mental Health

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 84.5

Amount: \$861,600.00

Description: This project seeks funding to add sober living support to fill the service gap between residential treatment facilities and independent living in order to reduce relapses, overdose deaths, and costs to the health care and criminal justice systems.

Save the Children

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 84.0

Amount: \$186,484.00

Description: This project seeks funding to build the skills and knowledge of pregnant women, parents, and other primary caregivers so they can promote secure and healthy attachments and nurture their young children's development. The proposal aims to strengthen caregiver-child interactions and strengthen child vocabulary to enable success in kindergarten as a protective factor against SUD.

North MS Commission on Mental Illness (Region 9 Community Mental Health)

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 83.0

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000.00

Amount Recommended: \$300,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand Haven House's treatment capacity, hire an Opioid Outreach Certified Peer Support Specialist, purchase updated evidence-based practice resources, provide continuing education, and replace an HVAC system.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider partial/reduced funding of this application in the amount of \$300,000.00.

Discipleship33 Ministries

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 82.3

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Amount: \$50,000.00

Description: This project seeks to directly address the intertwined challenges of homelessness, lack of outpatient treatment, and opioid misuse by providing supportive housing and structured counseling services for individuals in recovery.

Mercy House

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 82.25

Amount: \$3,360,735.00

Description: This project seeks funding to remodel and expand its recently purchased residential recovery campus, the "Sacred Grove" Women's Recovery Campus & Family Restoration Initiative in Learned, MS, that will serve women and women with children impacted by opioid use disorder (OUD) from the entire state of Mississippi.

End It for Good

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 81.375

Amount: \$209,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to offer evidence-based family and community support services throughout the state, including both skills training and facilitated regular meetings of peer support groups.

Providence Health Technologies

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 81.2

Amount: \$319,100.00

Description: This project seeks funding to enhance the education of prescribers and pharmacists regarding opioid use disorder, alternative pain management medications, patient monitoring and education, and emergency responses to opioid overdose.

Yazoo County 2 of 2 (Yazoo County Sheriff's Department)

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 80.3

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Amount: \$225,151.92

Description: This project seeks funding to install license plate readers along the main thoroughfares of the county, provide updated tasers for all full and part-time staff, and provide the Chief Deputy and Chief Investigator with tablets.

Tier Three (70-79)

InmarRx Solutions

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 79.5

Amount: \$150,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to increase the availability of drop-off sites or hosts for mail back envelopes, which will in turn reduce the amount of unused, unwanted, and/or expired medications throughout Mississippi. This would also reduce the potential for diversion, accidental poisoning, or overdose, as well as keep potentially harmful medications out of the hands of those struggling with or recovering from addiction.

Notes: The Council has requested additional information on the proposed locations for the drop-off sites from this applicant.

Monroe County Sheriff's Office

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 78.3

Amount: \$58,200.00

Description: This project seeks funding to support the development and implementation of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office Opioid Program by employing two certified Peer Navigators. This initiative is designed to combat the devastating effects of opioid addiction within our community by focusing on prevention, intervention, and long-term recovery support.

Safety Blitz Foundation (Coaches vs Overdoses)

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 78.0

Amount: \$120,165.00

Description: This project seeks funding to conduct outreach to high school administrators, athletic directors, and coaches to increase awareness about the program and provide initial training to the school officials. This training will allow coaches to discuss opioid and fentanyl awareness information with their student athletes and parents and guardians.

Teen Health Mississippi

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 77.4

Amount: \$360,359.00

Description: This project seeks funding to target school and community-based organization staff and young people, ages 15 to 21, to provide prevention, education, and access to resources to address the opioid crisis at a formative stage of life.

Yazoo County 1 of 2 (Yazoo HEALS)

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 77.0

Amount: \$360,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding for the Yazoo Health, Education, Access, Leadership, and Sustainability (HEALS) program, an initiative to create a comprehensive, accessible, and sustainable health service network that supports recovery, prevention, and overall wellness.

New Way of Mississippi

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 77.0

Amount: \$469,617.12

Description: This project seeks funding to initiate MAT within 14 days of enrollment for 100% of participants, provide 6 months of peer recovery support post-release, and achieve employment for 80% of participants within 30 days post-program.

Stercus Bioanalytics

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 77.0

Amount: \$8,848,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to introduce an innovative, evidence-based wastewater monitoring program to provide population-level insights into opioid consumption across Mississippi. The program will combine macro-level monitoring at major and minor wastewater treatment plants with micro- and site-level sampling at campuses and vulnerable communities. Data will guide resource allocation, inform interventions, and establish accountability for recovery efforts.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider partial or reduced funding of this application request.

The Sober Society

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 76.5

Amount: \$475,048.00

Description: The Sober Society seeks funding to provide case management, mental health counseling, an intensive outpatient curriculum, an early intervention program, and an addiction relapse prevention program.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider partial or reduced funding of this application request.

Foundation on the Rock

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 76.25

Amount: \$591,500.00

Description: This project seeks funding to build a community of tiny homes that offer a supportive environment that fosters recovery, stability, and independence for individuals with substance use disorder.

InmarRx Solutions

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 76.0

Amount: \$150,000.00

Description: This project seeks to increase access to drug disposal collection sites in Mississippi, thereby reducing the number of unused, unwanted or expired medications in the state.

Home of Grace 1 of 2 (Expanding Access to Opioid Addiction Treatment)

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 76.0

Amount: \$1,551,000.00

Description: Home of Grace is seeking support to expand access to care and strengthen the organizational capacity needed to scale its faith-based residential treatment programs in order to serve more uninsured and underinsured men and women who would otherwise go without treatment.

Magee Foundation (Dear William Project)

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 75.0

Amount: \$3,250,000.00

Description: The *Dear William* Project seeks funding for the production of a Mississippi-rooted feature film and statewide educational rollout, combining live screenings with facilitated discussions and a digital access license.

DREAM of Hattiesburg

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1; Education and Prevention

Score: 74.7

Amount: \$1,400,000.00

Description: With the requested award, Drug Free Resources for Education and Alternatives in Mississippi (DREAM) seeks to:

- Implement school-based prevention programs to equip young people with knowledge and resilience;
- Expand naloxone distribution, overdose response training, and safe disposal access;
- Strengthen treatment pathways and peer recovery supports for individuals in crisis; and
- Build community coalitions that include individuals with lived experience to guide solutions.

Heale Counseling

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 74.67

Amount: \$672,716.88

Description: This project seeks funding to expand access to evidence-based treatment and recovery services for individuals with OUD at seven outpatient clinics across North

Mississippi. Services include adult Intensive Outpatient Programs (IOP), outpatient therapy for adults and adolescents, medication management, and medication-assisted treatment (MAT).

Jacobs Well

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 74.0

Amount: \$2,291,326.67

Description: This project seeks funding for a holistic, faith based recovery program that combines evidence-based treatment from licensed clinical social workers with spiritual encouragement and community support. The organization aims to reduce substance use dependency, restore lives, and ultimately decrease overdose rates across the state.

Mississippi Center for Police and Sheriffs

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 73.3

Amount: \$2,478,910.00

Description: This project seeks funding to:

- 1) Establish and operate a 16-bed residential recovery facility to provide safe housing, 24/7 clinical oversight, peer support, and wraparound services that sustain long-term recovery; and
- 2) Launch a statewide prevention initiative that distributes at-home, environmentally safe drug deactivation pouches through law enforcement and United Way 211, empowering families to eliminate unused medications and prevent diversion year-round.

Grace House

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 72.5

Amount: \$600,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to implement a secondary treatment program for homeless and impoverished women and their families by obtaining a property, engaging partners to provide therapy and family reunification services, and conducting outreach to homeless service providers, inpatient treatment facilities, drug court judges, and other appropriate entities throughout the state.

Mississippi Faith-Based Coalition for Community Renewal

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 72.4

Amount: \$1,500,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to strengthen prevention and recovery efforts through three primary services:

- Education and Training Workshops and community sessions to build awareness, recognize symptoms, and train individuals in naloxone use and referral pathways;
- Prevention and Awareness Community events, outreach campaigns, and partnerships with schools, churches, and businesses to reduce stigma and promote healthier choices; and
- Community Recovery Direct linkages to recovery programs, counseling, workforce support, and family services that foster long-term stability.

Afya Care

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 72.0

Amount: \$767,290.00

Description: Afya Care seeks funding to create the East Mississippi Overdose Response and Engagement (EMORE) program, which will implement a comprehensive continuum of prevention, treatment, and recovery support, including clinical services, behavioral health and case management, peer recovery support, community education, a campus ambassador program, and prevention resources.

South Mississippi Mental Health Center

Subcommittee: Education and Prevention

Score: 71.8

Amount: \$173,576.00

Description: This project seeks funding to launch a sustainable initiative that strengthens retention of behavioral health professionals through strategic community partnerships, innovative support systems, and targeted workforce development programs.

Healing Horizons Healthcare Services

Subcommittee: Local Government

Score: 71.5

Amount: \$83,333.00

Description: This project seeks funding to establish a community-based clinic providing integrated mental health and substance use disorder treatment to reduce opioid-related harm.

Oxford Treatment Center

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 70.3

Amount: \$1,900,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand medication-assisted treatment at inpatient and outpatient recovery programs, distribute naloxone and train community members in overdose response, and strengthen alumni programming and peer support networks to reduce relapse rates.

Tier Four (60-69)

Metro Treatment of Mississippi

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 69.0

Amount: \$500,000.00

Description: By integrating Uber Health transportation services with existing treatment programs, this initiative aims to reduce missed appointments, improve treatment retention, and ultimately enhance health outcomes for individuals with Opioid Use Disorder.

Mississippi Move

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 68.6

Amount: \$230,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to prevent opioid misuse among youth and families and strengthen recovery support networks.

Road to Recovery

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 67.5

Amount: \$86,160.00

Description: Road to Recovery seeks funding to 1) enhance the weekly Recovery Ride bicycle program,2) increase the number of clients provided with bicycles for transportation and as a therapeutic tool for recovery, and 3) to transition from used bikes to new, more reliable bicycles.

Freedom Center

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 65.0

Amount: \$1,679,000.00

Description: Freedom Center seeks funding to construct a new facility to support its 15-week residential substance use disorder treatment program. The requested award will allow Freedom Center to increase the number of annual clients from 40 to 100.

<u>Family Health Center</u>

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 65.5

Amount: \$50,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to implement protocols to ensure seamless transitions, including Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) programs, adherence support, and coordination with community pharmacies.

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Subcommittee: Family

Score: 64.25

Amount: \$1,128,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding for transitional housing for individuals that are recovering from addiction.

The Awakening Church (Beauty from Ashes Residential Expansion)

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 61.0

Amount: \$540,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand the Beauty from Ashes residential treatment center by constructing and staffing 20 private residential rooms to serve women and adolescent girls recovering from opioid use disorder.

Sustaining Grace Recovery Ministries

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 60.25

Amount: \$50,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to offer shelter, job opportunities, counseling with local associates, and money management with local financial institutions to individuals with substance use disorder.

Tier Five (Not Recommended for Funding)

CDC Foundation 2 of 2

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 59.6

Amount: \$922,988.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand access to culturally responsive care, peer-led support, and evidence-based harm reduction strategies through a model centered on peer-based engagement, care coordination, and cross-sector collaboration.

Defining Wellness

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 58.5

Amount: \$1,200,000.00

Description: This project seeks to increase Opioid Use Disorder admissions to Defining Wellness' continuum of care, including medical detox, medication-assisted treatment, trauma-informed care, and relapse prevention.

Everest Effect

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 57.67

Amount: \$500,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to create the Jackson-Based Social Care Network, a 12-month test program that will help people struggling with opioid addiction get better access to resources and services across all the nonprofit and faith-based direct service providers in the area.

Harbor House (RecoveryReadyJackson)

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 56.5

Amount: \$825,550.00

Description: Harbor House seeks to create the RecoveryReadyJackson project to:

- Increase public understanding of opioid misuse risks and prevention strategies;
- Foster a culture of compassion and acceptance that encourages individuals and families to seek treatment and recovery support;
- Expand access to life-saving resources such as naloxone, safe disposal methods, and education on overdose prevention; and
- Mobilize neighborhoods, schools, businesses, and faith communities to actively participate in solutions to the opioid crisis.

Thrive Way (Peer Helpers PLUS)

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 56.3

Amount: \$3,708,965.00

Description: This project seeks funding to implement the Peer Helpers PLUS program to mitigate the negative impacts on youth and adolescents from the opioid crisis by providing a tool to proactively identify and help students in need.

Magnolia Recovery

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 55.5

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Amount: \$2,000,030.00

Description: Magnolia Recovery is applying for funding as a means of expanding comprehensive programming, including its peer recovery support delivered by certified or trained peer specialists, individualized clinical case management and recovery planning, and integrated mental health and substance use disorder services.

Home of Grace 2 of 2 (Women's Campus Expansion)

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 1

Score: 55.0

Amount: \$10,727,975.00

Description: The new 80-acre Home of Grace Women's Campus will offer a phased, evidence-based therapeutic community that integrates best practices from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) while addressing the unique needs of women in recovery.

Now I See

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 53.5

Amount: \$350,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand Now I See's existing continuity of care programs to more Mississippi residents by establishing new clinical partnerships with residential inpatient and intensive outpatient treatment centers, drug and alcohol counselors, drug courts, and professionally managed sober houses.

<u>United Way of the Capital Area (Mississippi 211)</u>

Subcommittee: Law Enforcement

Score: 50.0

Amount: \$1,002,633.00

Description: This project seeks funding to strengthen the Mississippi 211 system, a free, statewide information and referral resource available to every resident of Mississippi.

12th Judicial District

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 47.45

Amount: \$500,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding for the salary and expenses associated with hiring a full-time Assistant District Attorney to work exclusively on cases assigned to the Intervention Court for a period of five years.

Notes: The Council recommends that the Legislature consider the potential legal implications of this request.

CDC Foundation 1 of 2

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 45.6

Amount: \$1,010,267.50

Description: This project seeks funding to establish a statewide data dashboard and to provide technical assistance to implement the Overdose Spike Exercise in a Box Toolkit in at least two high-impact counties.

Inspired Heights Ministries

Subcommittee: Judicial

Score: 42.3

Amount: \$564,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to finish the restoration of a community center and cafeteria, finish dorm rooms, and hire a case manager, counselor, and vocational training supervisor.

Broken Lives Ministry

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 39.75

Amount: \$4,000,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to construct a new residential recovery facility to serve up to 500 residents at a time and provide housing, counseling, workforce training and life-skills education to at least 1,000 individuals annually.

Friend of God Ministries

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 39.0

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Amount: \$268,830.00

Description: This project seeks funding to expand existing services, including needs assessment, family support, a residential treatment program, and recommendations for treatment, and to purchase a new minimum to facilitate the transportation of individuals receiving care.

Mississippi Coalition Against Domestic Violence

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 35.0

Amount: \$2,500,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to provide middle and high school students in grades 6–12, their faculty and staff, and residents of Mississippi Coalition Against Domestic Violence (MCADV) shelters with immediate, ongoing, and equitable access to licensed mental health professionals through Uwill's teletherapy and crisis support platform.

Christian Services Liberty Ministries

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 34.25

Amount: \$787,596.01

Description: This program seeks funding to support an existing 12-month residential treatment program for individuals with substance use disorder.

Leadership Information/Krisha Consulting, LLC

Subcommittee: Family

Score: 33.0

Amount: \$79,350.00

Description: This project seeks funding to center culturally responsive outreach, community education, and faith-based engagement as keystones of a trauma-informed, community driven response to the opioid epidemic, meeting Mississippi residents where they are, with empathy and belonging.

Kingdom Empowerment

Subcommittee: Treatment and Recovery 2

Score: 29.5

Amount: \$1,155,000.00

Description: This project seeks funding to reduce overdose deaths through public education and naloxone access, protect youth by integrating opioid awareness into school curricula, support rural communities with mobile outreach and treatment referrals, and strengthen families by reducing stigma and promoting recovery resources.

Nonabatement Applications

NOTE: The projects contained in the following applications were reviewed by their assigned subcommittees and deemed not to comply with the Council's definition of "abatement," found in Rule 100 (d).

Mission Men

This project lacks evidence-based intervention.

<u>Mississippi Public Health Institute 2 of 3 (Mississippi Opioid Response Center of Excellence)</u>

This project seeks funding for technical assistance that is not directly related to opioid abatement.

South Mississippi Mental Health Center 1 of 3 (Improve Outcomes in Jackson County Residential Treatment Center)

This project is primarily a capital expenditure improvement to existing facilities.

Mississippi Organ Recovery Agency

This project seeks funding for an organ testing lab facility, lab instruments, and supportive equipment.

Gulfport Police Department

This project seeks funding for crime analysis software, drone technology, and an artificial intelligence platform.

Wellery Foundation

This project is primarily a capital expenditure for new facilities.

Mississippi Center for Justice

This project addresses general housing issues; it is not specifically targeted at opioid use disorder.

Jackson Resource Center

This project addresses general housing issues; it is not specifically targeted at opioid use disorder.

Incomplete Applications

NOTE: The following applications were reviewed by their assigned subcommittees and found to be incomplete and lacking required documentation under the Council's solicitation.

Region 10 Weems CMHC

The application lacks a letter of support.

Gulf Coast Center for Nonviolence

The application has facial deficiencies in the project budget.

Community Mental Health Clinic- Rankin County

The application lacks a letter of support.

Forest County

The application is lacking a project budget.

Mississippi Coalition Against Human Trafficking

The application has facial deficiencies in the project budget.

Mississippi Comprehensive Treatment Centers

The application did not attach a Policy and Procedures Manual or its equivalent or a Project Budget.

Billion Pill Pledge

The applicant declined to provide organizational financial information.

Essential Touchstones

The application has facial deficiencies in the project budget.