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# Peterborough Drug Strategy

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# WHY A DRUG STRATEGY?

- Substance use identified as a key area of concern from stakeholders & residents
- A comprehensive, coordinated plan...
  - Reduces fragmentation
  - Limits duplication
  - Fosters evidence-informed work that reflects the 4 pillar model, best practice research, existing expertise and local experience
  - Tailored to Peterborough area



# BACKGROUND

- Initiated in 2009
- Consultations & research throughout 2011-2012
- Currently engaged in new strategic planning process

**Operate under a Collaborative Agreement – renewed bi-annually**

## Peterborough Drug Strategy



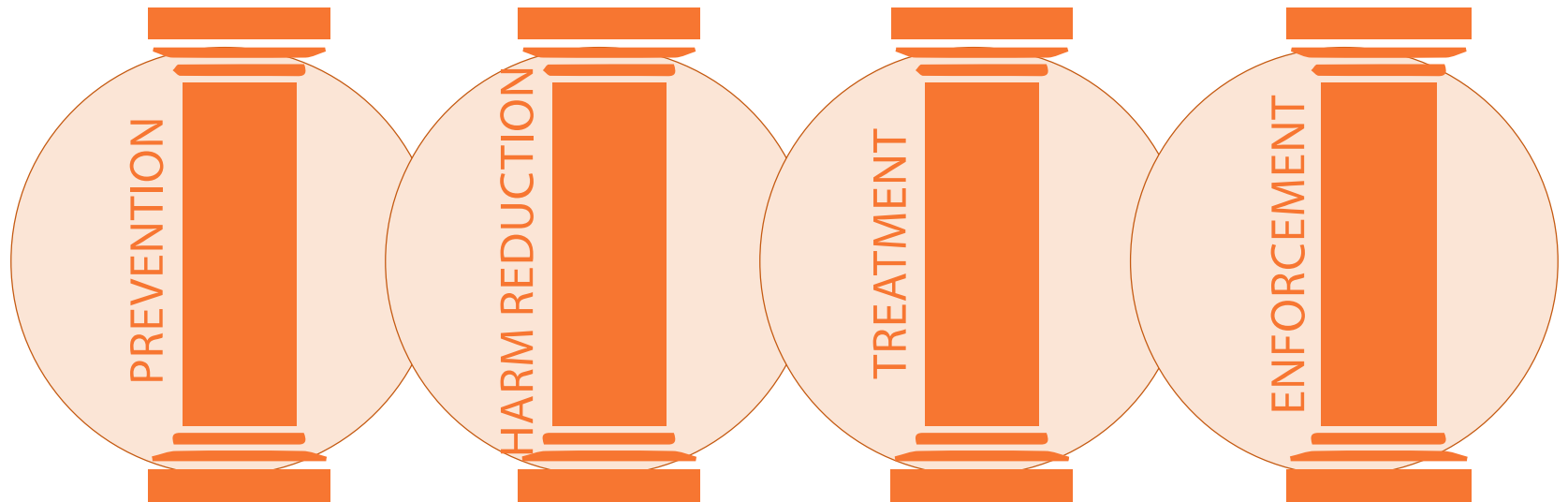
**Building the Foundation for Wellness**  
a strategic plan

June 2012





# A '4 Pillar' Approach



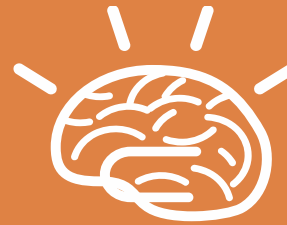
COLLABORATION



PERSON-CENTRED



RESPECT



EVIDENCE-BASED



ACCOUNTABILITY



# A Unique Role in the Sector

Evidence

Emerging Trends

Funding  
Opportunities

Peterborough  
POLICE SERVICE

**PARN**  
COMMUNITY-BASED MENTOR PROGRAMS  
SUPPORT, PREVENTION, EDUCATION

Peterborough  
Public Health

FOURCAST

PETERBOROUGH  
**DRUG  
STRATEGY**

Substance use is a shared community concern. A coordinated, evidence informed approach expands our collective capacity to address service gaps, respond to emergent trends and access additional funding to expand impact.

Opportunities

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Community Partnerships: Organizations, Institutions, Individuals



# Project Partners

*A shared effort to reduce the harms related to substance use in our community*

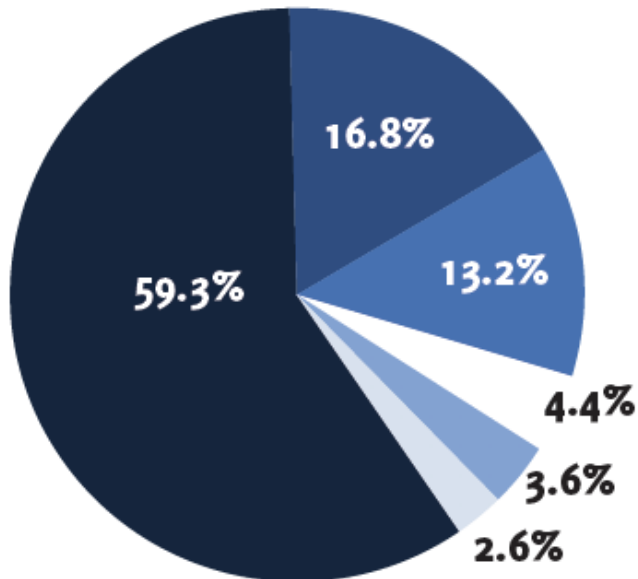




## Reach & Impact: 2015-2018

# \$570,000

TOTAL PROJECT FUNDS RECEIVED  
SINCE 2015



Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services	\$338,000
City of Peterborough	\$96,000
Ontario Trillium Foundation	\$75,000
Family Foundations	\$25,000
Other	\$21,000
Question of Care	\$15,000



## Past projects: 2015-2018

- Emergency Department Naloxone Access
- Question of Care
- Peterborough Regional Overdose Preparedness
- Consumer Advisory Panel
- Other:
  - Website & Hub
  - MDSCNO Evaluation Framework
  - Partnership fostering and engagement



## Emergency Department Naloxone Access (EDNA)



**170**

**NALOXONE KITS DISTRIBUTED  
BETWEEN FEBRUARY 2017 &  
MARCH 2018\***



**107**

**EMERGENCY  
DEPARTMENT  
NURSES  
TRAINED**

**91 PERCENT**

**REPORTED THE  
TRAINING CONTENT WAS  
'VERY RELEVANT' TO  
THEIR WORK**



## A Question of Care

**455**   
**PARTICIPANTS TRAINED OVER**  
**18 WORKSHOPS**

**75%**  
**STRONGLY AGREED**  
**THE TRAINING**  
**WOULD BE USEFUL**  
**TO THEIR WORK**

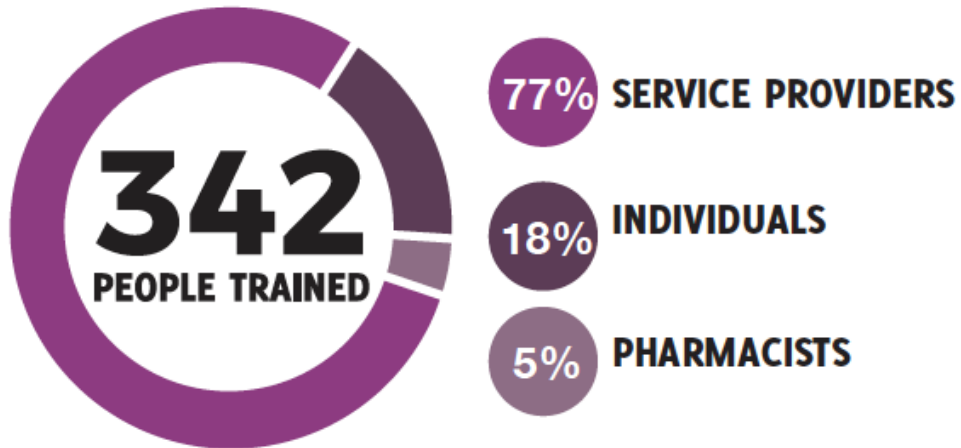


**96%**

**RATED THE TRAINING THEY RECEIVED**  
**AS 'EXCELLENT' OR 'VERY GOOD'**



## Peterborough Regional Overdose Preparedness Project (PROP)



**78**   
NALOXONE KITS ADDED TO  
WORKPLACE FIRST AID KITS

 **63**  
COMMUNITY MEMBERS  
EQUIPPED WITH NALOXONE



## Consumer Advisory Panel

**11**   
**PANEL MEMBERS  
TRAINED**



**797**  
**HOURS OF PAID  
WORK GENERATED**

**13**   
**MEETINGS**

**7**   
**AGENCY  
CONSULTATIONS**



## Current Projects, 2018-2020

- Peterborough Community Cannabis Project
- **Goal:**
  - To gather and disseminate timely and relevant evidence-based information, supporting key stakeholders and for PDS to be a local resource to help decrease the risk of cannabis related harms in our community.



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thank you!

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