

## C-FORT TEAM MEETING MINUTES April 28, 2022, 2pm Via Zoom

## 1. Introductions

Participants were asked to use the chat box to enter their name & agency affiliation

## 2. C-FORT Updates

- Review of Overdose Data, ED Visits Data, Louis Leake- *Mr. Leake provided data on emergency room visits and overdose data in NC and Cumberland County.*
- Agency Updates *CFORT members provided updates regarding their agencies to include community events, conferences and upcoming meetings.*

## 3. Provide Overview of the Settlement funds

- Cumberland County is estimated to receive \$16,984,644 over an 18-year period (2022-2038). The City of Fayetteville is estimated to receive \$1,994,964 during the same 18-year period.
- Receive general feedback on available strategies that can be funded
  - Under Option A, a local government may fund one or more strategies from a <u>shorter list</u> (Exhibit A) of evidence-based, high-impact strategies to address the epidemic.
  - Under Option B, a local government engages in a collaborative strategic planning process (Exhibit C) involving a diverse array of stakeholders and may then fund a strategy from the Exhibit A list or a longer list of strategies (Exhibit B) included in the national settlements.
- Input on prioritization of specific strategies
  - Early intervention
  - o Evidence-based addiction treatment for the uninsured and underinsured
  - o Programs to support people in treatment and recovery
  - Recovery support services
    - Recovery housing
    - Employment related services
    - o Re-entry services
    - Criminal justice diversion programs
- 4. Next Steps- Moving Forward with C-FORT