

Health and Human Services Agency

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Department of Public Health

NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo	
MEETING DATE:	June 24, 2025
TO:	Board of Supervisors
FROM:	Kathy Cahill, Public Health Director
SUBJECT:	Resolution approving execution of Grant Agreement Number 07103- AR76810 with the Public Health Institute for grant funds related to opioid overdose prevention coalition activities in the maximum amount of \$200,000 for the term of January 1, 2025, through August 30, 2027, and authorizing and directing the Auditor-Controller to amend the Public Health Department's Budget for Fiscal Year 2024/25 (4/5 Affirmative Vote Required).

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: The funding is discretionary through a competitive grant process administered by the California Overdose Prevention Network (COPN) and the Public Health Institute, for which Nevada County Public Health's (NCPH) Know Overdose Nevada County coalition was selected out of more than 50 applicants. The original source of funding is through the federal State Opioid Response (SOR) grant program. The funding does not require any General Fund match. A FY24/25 budget amendment is needed and included.

BACKGROUND: NCPH has developed robust opioid overdose prevention efforts, which include education and training, naloxone distribution, opioid overdose rapid response and facilitation of the Know Overdose Nevada County coalition, a cross-sector coalition coordinating opioid overdose prevention activities in the community.

Earlier this year, NCPH received approval to apply for a competitive grant to support countywide opioid prevention coalition activities. NCPH's application was one of only 17 grants awarded out of more than 50 applications. The funding is designed to support Know Overdose Nevada County Coalition activities, including education and training on opioid overdose prevention, community capacity building, medication-assisted treatment, and naloxone distribution, among others.