

DORCHESTER COUNTY DRUG & ALCOHOL ABUSE COUNCIL

STRATEGIC PLAN FOR ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE

Priority Areas/Actions for “Next Step”

Priority Area: *Goal #3: Develop, Implement, & Evaluate an Adult Drug Court Program*

Action Plan:

Steps:

- Organize, energize, and mobilize community resources to support and actualize an Adult Drug Court Program
- Establish standard screening, assessment, and referral protocols for program implementation
- Determine Budget
- Evaluate program effectiveness on an ongoing basis and modify and refine as needed

Intended Measurable Outcomes: (specific estimated result of the change) *Number of individuals, families to be impacted, specific impact to a system, staffing or inter/intra-agency impacts*

Outcomes:

- 100% of participants will be referred to substance abuse treatment
- 100% of participants will receive an addictions assessment within 30 days of entrance to the program
- 100% of participants will have their first substance abuse treatment session scheduled within 10 days of their assessment
- 55% of participants will successfully complete substance abuse treatment
- 100% of program graduates will have completed a sobriety aftercare plan
- 75% of participants receiving substance abuse treatment will reduce the frequency of alcohol and other drug use as measured

Connection to identified targeted outcomes from Initial Strategic Plan:

Reduce addiction treatment, judicial system, and incarceration recidivism.

Budget:

Priority Action Area	Current Funding Amount	Current Source of Funding	Amount of Funding Increase Needed	Sources(s) of Funding Needed to Accomplish Priority	Anticipated Increase in # of Slots and # to be Served
Expand treatment services for Adult Drug Court (10 slots)	None	NA	\$50,000 (see detailed budget worksheets attached)	ADAA (\$50,000)	10/15