



Organization for Research & Community Development Global Inc.

Opioid & Stimulant Use Disorder Prevention & Education Project

Project fact sheet | Sacramento County, California

What this project does

ORCD Global will run a prevention and education project on opioid and stimulant use in Sacramento County from September 2026 to August 2027. The work is community based. Staff and trained community members will hold workshops, take part in local events, and help people find treatment. Everything the project offers is free, and no one is asked about immigration status.

At a glance

Project period	September 2026 to August 2027
Funded by	California Dept. of Health Care Services
Administered by	Sierra Health Foundation
Grant	State Opioid Response (SOR IV)
Communities served	Elk Grove, Manteca and Stockton
Cost to participants	Free, no immigration status required
Run by	ORCD Global Inc., 501(c)(3), founded 2017

Services offered

-  **Community outreach and education**
Free workshops, wellness fairs and tabling events on opioid and stimulant use, and on where to get treatment locally.
-  **Stigma reduction**
Campaigns led by trusted community members that challenge myths about addiction.
-  **Treatment referral navigation**
Help to reach treatment providers, Medications for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD) and county behavioral health services, including support with transport and language.
-  **Youth and family education**
Sessions for young people and families in south Sacramento County.
-  **Trusted messenger training**
Training for community leaders, peers and cultural ambassadors who carry prevention information into their own neighborhoods.

Who it is for

Residents of Elk Grove, Manteca and Stockton, including immigrant and refugee families, young people, parents and caregivers, people who use drugs, and anyone worried about a family member or friend. Community groups, schools, faith centers and clinics can request a session for their members.

Need help now?

SAMHSA National Helpline, free, 24/7

1-800-662-4357

Call or text 988 in a crisis

Free Narcan at pharmacies, DHCS NDP

Why this work matters

~8,000

Californians died from opioid-related overdoses in 2023

69%

of California drug overdose deaths in 2023 involved an opioid

100,000+

Americans die from drug overdoses each year (CDC, 2023)

Sources: CDPH Opioid Data 2023; CDC.

Find treatment

ChooseChangeCA.org

Treatment search for California

cdc.gov/overdose-prevention

Overdose prevention information

Take part

- ✓ Join a free workshop
- ✓ Train as a community ambassador
- ✓ Host an outreach event with us
- ✓ Refer someone for treatment help
- ✓ Share these resources locally

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