

GAP Analysis: Programs and Services Across the Continuum of Care for Madison/St. Clair County's

Continuum of Care Category	Service or Program	Program or Service Offering History					Notes, History, Considerations, and Possibilities
		Existing > 6 months	Existing < 6 months	Planning Stages	Offered through grant \$ outside county	Gap in service	
Promotion	Anti-stigma efforts			x		x	Many in community do not understand addiction as a disease and still see it as a moral failing.
	Recreational Alternatives to Substance Use	x				x	Many residents report a lack of community gathering spaces. We do have several parks available however alcohol is allowed.
	Substance Use Screenings	x				x	Primary Care & Pediatric Physicians and Faith Community do not utilize or have training in education, screening tools, and referral support.
	Community Outreach		x	x			There is limited proactive education or health literacy promotion activities.
	Trauma-informed Care Training					x	Many stakeholders were unaware of this concept and expressed an interest in more training and resources in this area, especially law enforcement and school systems.
Prevention: Universal	Public and/or school norm campaign	x				x	Alcohol, cigarette smoking, and marijuana use have been "normalized" even during "dry" periods in county history.
	SUPS School Curriculum	x					There are programs in place thru the school district in cooperation with Chestnut Health Systems
	Community Education & Education Materials - Specialized by sector		x	x			There are now meetings started at the Edwardsville and Alton libraries once a month to have Narcan demonstrations and Stigma conversations. We are currently looking at other libraries and venues in which to interact with in the community.
Prevention: Selected	Red Ribbon Week Activities	x	x			x	Previously, limited and inconsistent activities at schools, in 2021 a planned program through Chestnut Health Systems was implemented schools in Granite city, Edwardsville, and Woodriver.
	Family Members of those with an addiction	x				x	There are Al-anon groups for families of those with SUD nothing more is set up within the community at this time.

Continuum of Care Category	Service or Program	Program or Service Offering History					Notes, History, Considerations, and Possibilities		
		Existing > 6 months	Existing < 6 months	Planning Stages	Offered through grant \$ outside county	Gap in service			
Prevention: Indicated	Adverse Childhood Experience (ACE) Support	X					X	No robust screening tools with appropriate training to identify and support youth in need with all service agencies that interact with youth.	
	Children of Parents w/Addiction	X						X	With a genetic predisposition and the possibility of trauma, there are limited programs that educate on risks and teach alternative coping mechanisms while offering support.
	Case Identification through school screenings and involvement	X						X	While there are referrals, there is not enough trained personnel to support the numbers of youth experiencing mental health issues that can predispose them to substance use as well as substance use screenings.
	Law Enforcement Deflection Program				X			X	There is community interest in learning more about this option as a way to educate and provide alternatives for those at higher risks or already presenting with SUD symptoms.
Harm Reduction (HR)	MAT/MAR Services	X	X	X	X			X	There is someone available at Chestnut Health Systems Counseling Center 5-7 days a week. They also use a hub and spoke program with Chestnut in Granite City for services.
	Naloxone training & distribution	X				X		X	The ROSC has been creating more locations within the county that you can get Narcan. They have provided leave behind kits to HSHS, Edwardsville Libraries and NFP Amare in Woodriver
	Safe Syringe Access	X	X	X				X	Is available but lacking community readiness.
	Physician Education on HR	X	X	X				X	Is available but lacking community readiness.
	Judicial System Education on HR	X	X	X					There is Drug court in both counties and TASC.

Continuum of Care Category	Service or Program	Program or Service Offering History					Notes, History, Considerations, and Possibilities
		Existing > 6 months	Existing < 6 months	Planning Stages	Offered through grant \$ outside county	Gap in service	
Medical Care	Hospital Warm Handoff Program			X	X	X	The hospital offers SUD support; however, a warm handoff program is in place in the HSHS hospitals in Madison and St.Clair counties through SOR grant given to Gateway Foundation.
	Hospital Withdrawal Management Program		x	x		X	The "New Vision" program was discontinued leaving a gap in this service offering. Agency stakeholders say Alton Memorial, Touchette Hospital, IRC (Illinois Recovery Center) and Chestnut Health Systems offer detox at their Maryville site.
	Stabilization Facility					X	Several stakeholders from multiple sectors voiced a need for a stabilization facility beyond what the hospital and jail can provide.
	Transitions of Care Across Continuum of Care					X	Transition of care continues to be an issue in both SUD and MH. There are strong indicators of more services needed. Evidenced by the increasing homeless population in both counties.
	Coverage of Alternative and non-opioid therapies for pain					X	Chiropractic care is reimbursed through Medicaid at a rate of \$10.86 and it takes 10 months to receive payment - this makes it a non-viable alternative.
Treatment	Outpatient Care	X				X	Chestnut, Gateway Foundation, Comprehensive Behavioral Health, and a couple of private practice options exist. There is only 1 SUD counselor in the county.
	Intensive Outpatient Care	X					Available in both Madison and ST. Clair counties
	Crisis Care	X		X			Expansion plans underway, but stabilization options lacking.
	Residential Care	X					Residents have services in Madison, St. Clair counties.
	Youth Counseling					X	Lincoln Prairie Behavioral Health in Springfield is a referral option but is often at capacity.
	Telehealth	x				X	There is some tele health services available. Thru Gateway Foundation

Trauma-informed Care

X

Stakeholders report a lack across all services.

Program or Service Offering History

Continuum of Care Category	Service or Program	Existing > 6 months	Existing < 6 months	Planning Stages	Offered through grant \$ outside county	Gap in service	Notes, History, Considerations, and Possibilities
Recovery	Metro East Recovery Council (ROSC)	X			X		Established in 2018 - developing many connections and new programs to support recovery and other aspects across the continuum of care.
	Peer Recovery Coach		X			X	Introduced in of 2021 - supporting St. Clair and Madison Counties; AMARE NFP has several Recovery Coaches 6 at this time in Madison and ST. Clair County's
	AA Meeting/12-Step Meetings	X				X	AA/NA meets daily and there is a men's and women's 12-Step meetings through our Madison and St. Clair counties
	Celebrate Recovery Meeting	X					Meets weekly on different nights and different churches
	Journey into Recovery Meeting		X				Recently started and meeting weekly. Format is discussion based.
	Secular Meetings	x					New SMART meeting is now available through Zoom
	Sober Entertainment Options	X				x	There are a couple different clubs that are open by AA members where people in recovery can go for a meeting and to just hang out .
Recovery Housing	x		x			There are a number of sober living houses in Madison and St. Clair counties. Oxford House inc. continues to grow in this area.	