Opioid Settlement Funds: County-Level Insights

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Opioid Settlements Overview

- Total estimated funds coming to Michigan \$1,665,509,773
 - Total estimated state share \$919,280,688
 - Total estimated subdivision share \$745,562,275
 - Additional funds expected from Purdue Pharma and other companies
 - Estimated totals from settlements with:
 - Distributors (McKesson, Cardinal Health, and AmerisourceBergen)
 - · Janssen/J&J
 - Walgreens
 - Walmart
 - · CVS
 - Teva
 - Allergan
 - · McKinsey & Co.
 - Mallinckrodt
 - Meijer
 - Publicis Health
 - Kroger

Spending Requirements

- Approximately 85% of funds must be used for opioid remediation
- Exhibit E provides a non-exhaustive list of opioid remediation activities
- Opioid Remediation Definition
 - Care, treatment, and other programs and expenditures (including reimbursement for past such programs or expenditures except where this Agreement restricts the use of funds solely to future Opioid Remediation) designed to
 - (1) address the misuse and abuse of opioid products,
 - (2) treat or mitigate opioid use or related disorders, or
 - (3) mitigate other alleged effects of, including on those injured as a result of, the opioid epidemic.

Supports through MAC

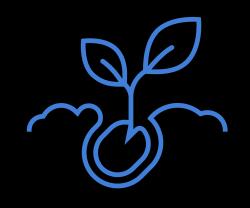
- General Settlement Questions and Settlement Landscape Assistance
- Strategic Planning
- Advising on Allowable Uses
- Spending Plan Development and Review
- Request for Proposals Development and Scoring
- Policy Analysis
- Resource Linkage
- Resource Library
- Monitoring and Accountability
- Peer to Peer Learning Local Government Learning Community

MAC Reporting Survey Data

MAC Voluntary Reporting

- Annual voluntary survey from MAC on all spending, including
 - Area in which funds were used (prevention, treatment, recovery, etc.)
 - Funds used for non-opioid remediation purposes
 - Public-facing information links to website, reports, etc.
 - Stakeholders engaged in planning processes
 - Types of planning processes used

Survey Background



2023:

MAC and MDHHS released baseline survey



2024:

MAC conducts
MDHHS-incentivized
survey



2025:

MAC partners with PSC to conduct and analyze a nonincentivized survey

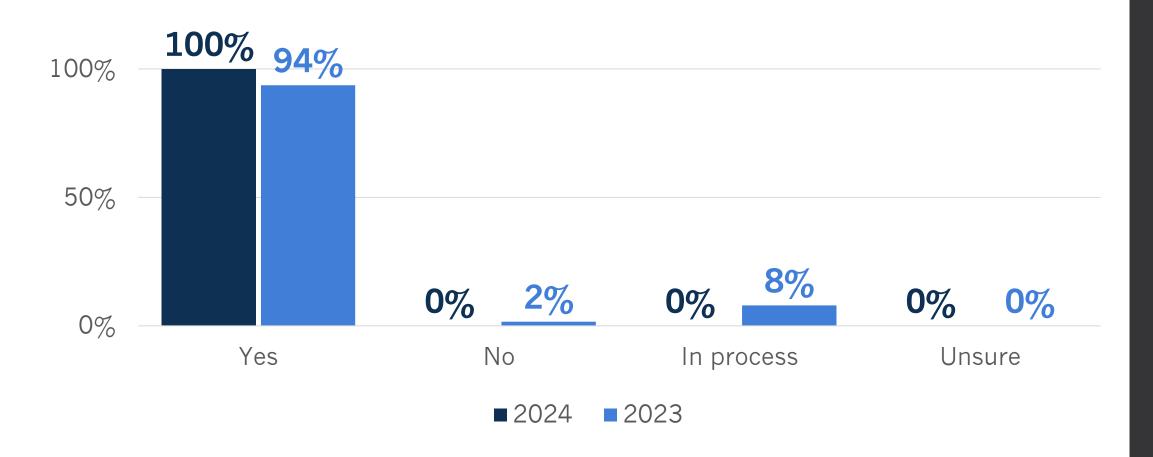
Survey Engagement

2023 30/83 county respondents

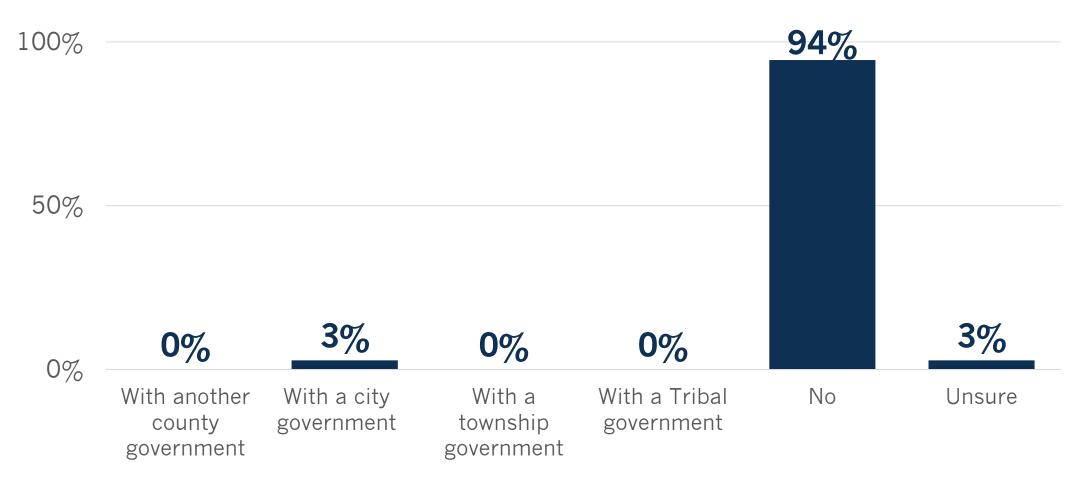
2024 64/83 county respondents

2025 36/83 counties county respondents

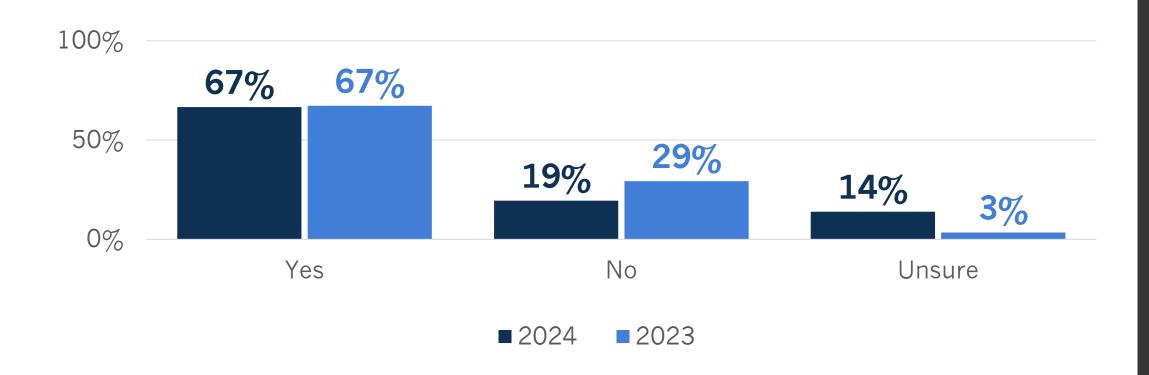
County Development of Separate Opioid Settlement Fund



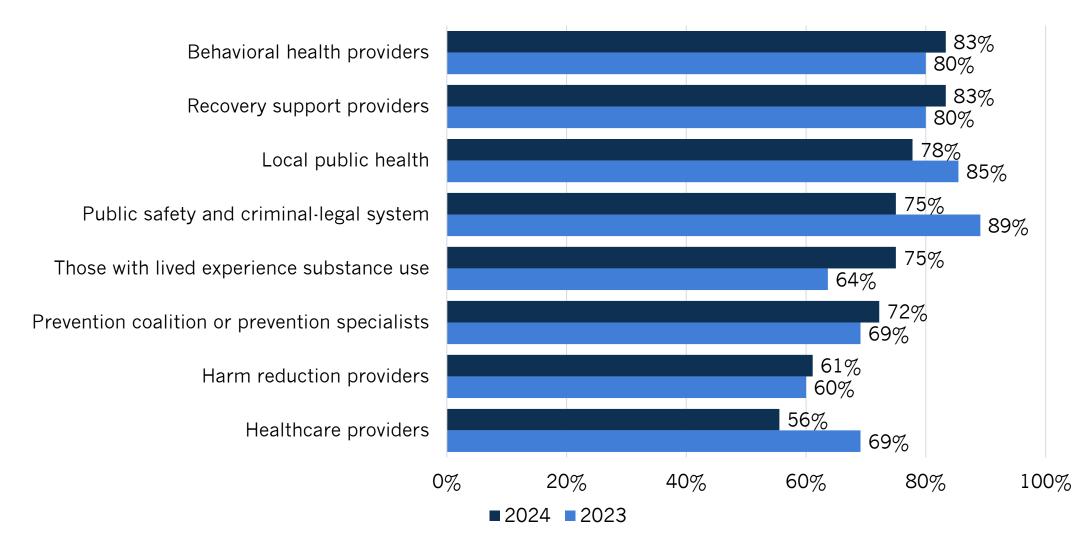
Percentage of Counties Combining Funds with Another Government



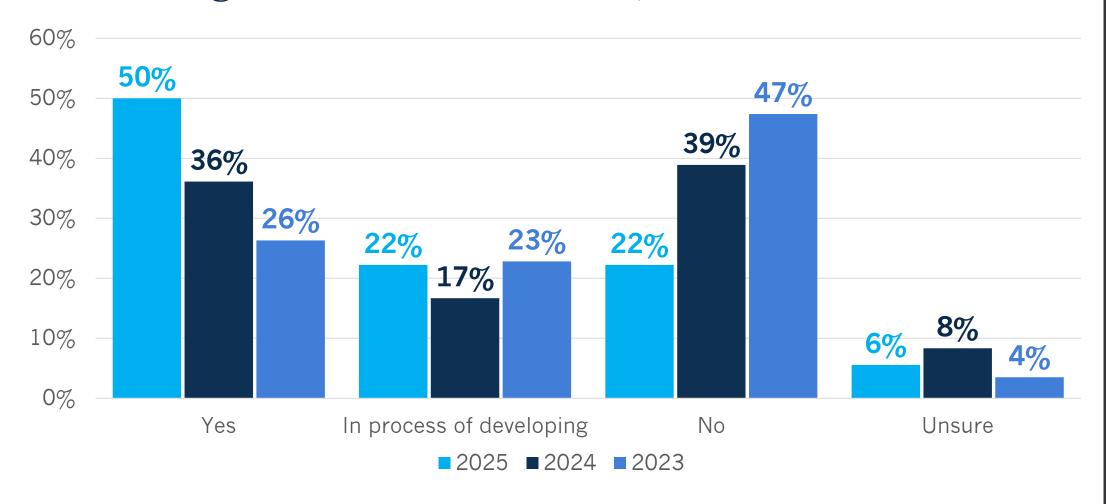
Percentage of Counties That Involved Community in Planning Process



Types of Community Stakeholders Engaged in Planning Process



Percentage of Counties with Plan for Investing Settlement Funds, 2023–2025



Top Funding Strategies, 2023 and 2024

Expand warm hand-off programs and recovery support services

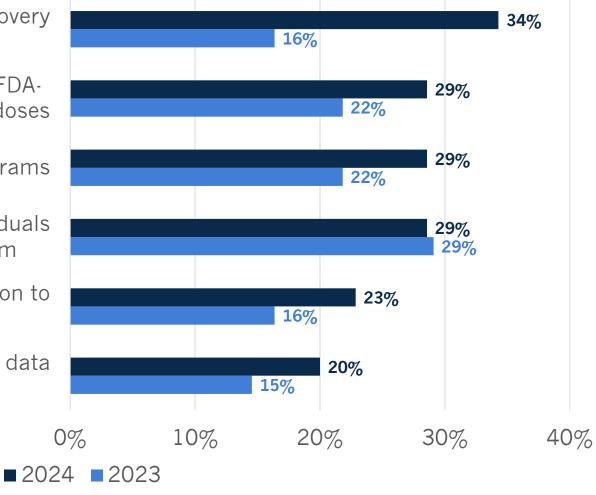
Expand access to naloxone or other FDA-approved drug to reverse opioid overdoses

Expand prevention programs

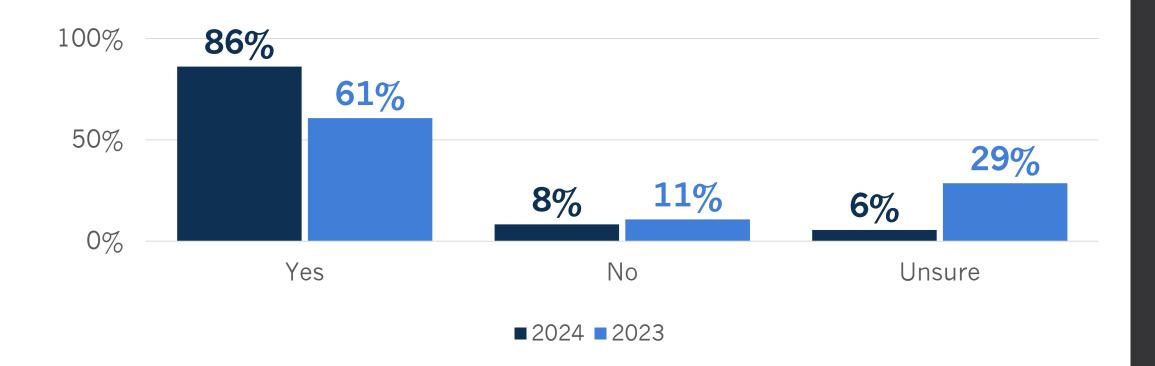
Provide treatment and support for individuals engaged with the criminal-legal system

Expand access to and use of MAT/medication to treat opioid use disorder

Support planning and coordination efforts, data collection efforts and research



Percentage of Counties Requiring Reporting from Settlement Fund Recipients



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