

**Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services
Contingency Management and Other Strategies for the
Treatment of Stimulant Use Disorders
Date of Final Award – May 10, 2022**

Name of Program: Contingency Management and Other Strategies for the Treatment of Stimulant Use Disorders

Purpose:

This Request for Proposal (RFP) was issued by the New Jersey Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS) for the development of a Contingency Management (CM) program for stimulant use disorder. This RFP is funded through the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration’s (SAMHSA) State Opioid Response (SOR) grant.

This RFP will initiate a pilot program to address the use of methamphetamine and cocaine use through the use of CM and other behavioral therapies. Studies have demonstrated that use of CM for people with stimulant use disorders was associated with reductions in: number of days of stimulant use, stimulant cravings, new stimulant use, and HIV risk behaviors. Currently, the maximum incentive allowed is \$75 per client. If SAMHSA, as the funder relaxes this ruling, the incentive limit will be increased to up to \$500 per client. DMHAS will provide additional funding to the contractees for the additional incentive cost. Data for New Jersey indicates that the use of stimulants has increased dramatically in New Jersey from CY16 to CY19. In particular, cocaine admissions as either a primary, secondary, or tertiary drug, increased 142%, crack increased 171%, and methamphetamine increased 416%. Across these three stimulants, there were 28,037 admissions in 2019. Since there is such a high risk of overdose with opioids and fentanyl, individuals with substance use disorder are now seeking stimulants and methamphetamine, which are readily available. DMHAS awarded five contracts in the total amount of \$1,995,494. Each contractee will serve a minimum of 100 people per year.

Agency Name	CEO/Executive Director	Amount Funded*	County of Services
Care Plus Bergen, DBA Bergen New Bridge Medical Center	Deborah Visconi, President & CEO	\$400,000	Bergen
Integrity, Inc.	Robert J. Budsock, President & CEO	\$400,000	Essex
John Brooks Recovery Center	Michael Santillo, CEO	\$395,494	Atlantic
Maryville Addiction Treatment Center	Kendria McWilliams, CEO	\$400,000	Gloucester & Cumberland
Oaks Integrated Care	Derry Holland, CEO	\$400,000	Essex

**Actual amount may differ depending upon final contractual negotiation.*