

Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services
Family Support Centers
Date of Final Award – February 20, 2018

Name of Program: Family Support Centers

Purpose:

This Request for Proposals sought the development of regional Family Support Centers (FSC). The FSC will provide support to parents of young adults struggling with their loved one's opioid use disorder (OUD). The FSC Coordinator will offer parent support, education, resources and advocacy in an environment that is safe and non-discriminatory. The overall goal of the FSC Coordinator is to provide compassionate support to empower parents to have a better quality of life, improve their psychological health, reduce levels of stress, feel less isolated, and gain skills needed to cope with their loved ones' OUD. Each FSC is expected to serve 50 families per year.

This RFP is funded through the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's State Targeted Response to the Opioid Crisis grant. DMHAS will provide total funding of \$300,000. DMHAS made three regionalized awards in the amount of \$100,000 each to the following regions.

North: Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Morris, Passaic, Sussex and Warren Counties
Central: Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Somerset and Union Counties
South: Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Ocean and Salem Counties

Agency Name	CEO/ Executive Director	Amount Funded	Region of Award
Care Plus NJ, Inc.	Joseph Masciandaro	\$100,000	North
Prevention Resources, Inc.	Karen Widico	\$100,000	Central
Center For Family Services, Inc.	Richard Stagliano	\$100,000	South