City of Homestead Opioid Settlement Funds Implementation Plan

Overview

This implementation plan outlines the City of Homestead's strategy for allocating and utilizing the opioid settlement funds in compliance with the requirements set forth in Schedules A and B of the opioid settlement agreement. The plan details the specific focus areas for fund allocation and implementation.

Funding Allocation

Schedule B: Approved Uses

The opioid settlement funds will be allocated as follows, in alignment with Schedule B:

- 1. Public Awareness Campaign
 - Amount: \$16,977.36
 - Description: We will launch a comprehensive public awareness campaign aimed at educating the community about the dangers of opioid misuse and the resources available for support and treatment.
 - Hiring: Not applicable

Total Funding and Distribution

- December 6, 2022 (Year 1): \$5,321.84
- December 18, 2023 (Year 2): \$11,655.52
- Total Settlement Funds: \$16,977.36

Implementation Timeline

- Q1 2025: Initiate campaign advertisement and outreach activities
- Q2 2025: Continue campaign with expanded advertising and community events
- Q3 2025: Assess campaign impact and adjust strategies as needed
- Q4 2025: Finalize campaign efforts and compile a comprehensive report

Monitoring and Evaluation

Metrics: Track engagement through social media analytics, community feedback, and outreach event attendance.

Evaluation: Conduct periodic assessments to measure the campaign's effectiveness in increasing community awareness and understanding of opioid misuse.

Reporting: Prepare a detailed report on campaign outcomes, challenges, and recommendations for future initiatives.

Conclusion

This implementation plan outlines a strategic approach to utilizing the opioid settlement funds in accordance with Schedule B. By investing in a targeted public awareness campaign, the City of Homestead aims to effectively address the opioid crisis and enhance community education and prevention efforts.