



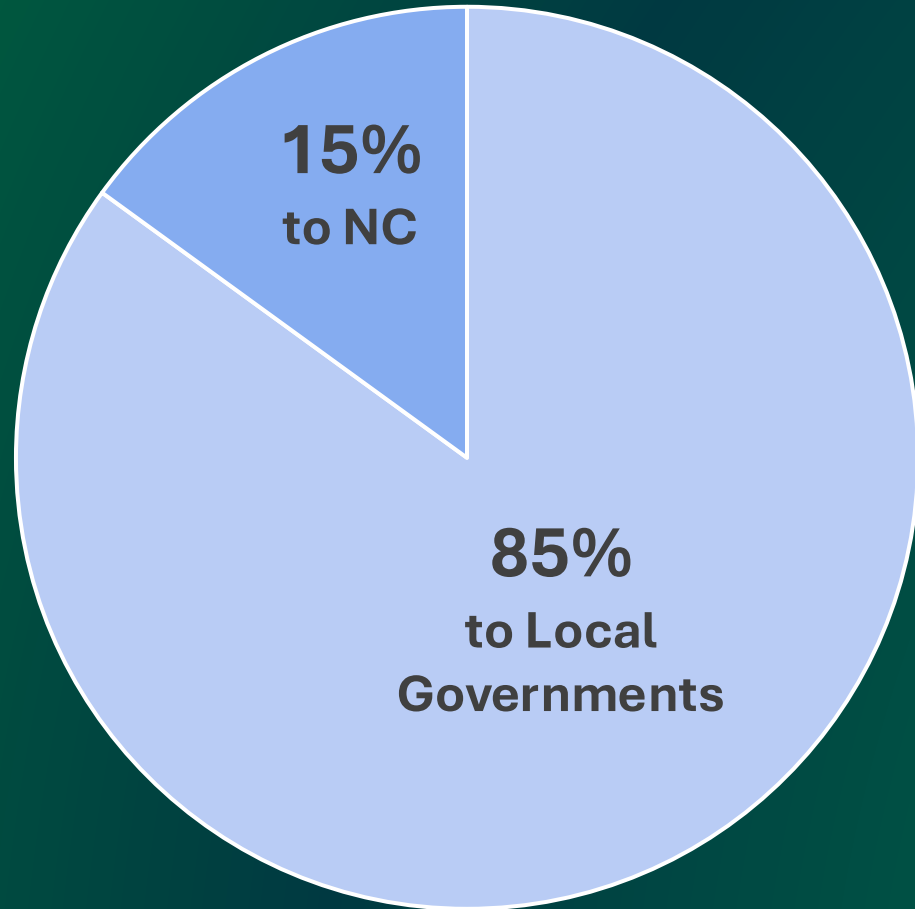
Cardinal County Opioid Settlement Annual Report

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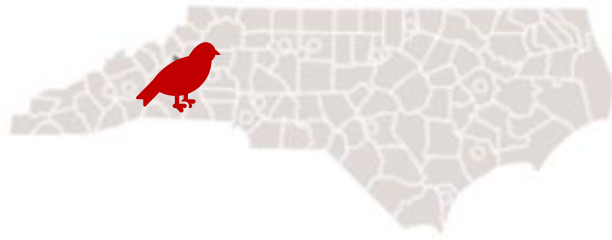
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NC Opioid Settlements



- North Carolina will receive over \$1.6 billion over a 20-year period, which began in 2022
- 85% goes directly to Local Governments listed in the NC MOA (all 100 counties; 17 eligible cities)
- 15% will go to the State of NC

Payments to Cardinal County

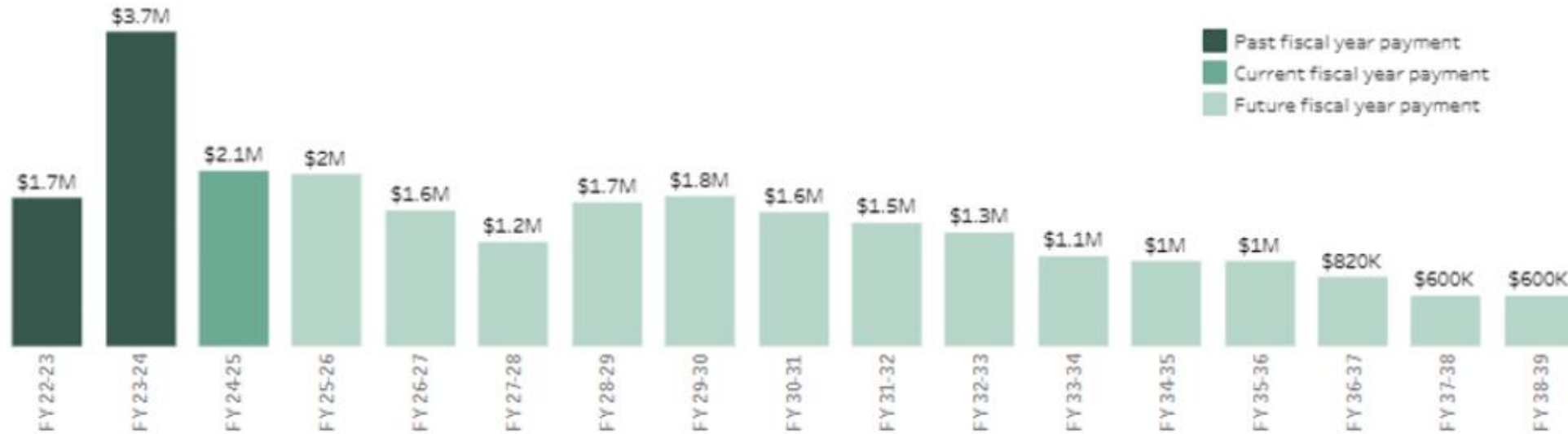


Choose a local government:

Cardinal County

PAYMENTS

Cardinal County is receiving \$25,237,511 in opioid settlement funds from 2022 through 2038.



Cardinal County Opioid Settlements Vision Statement

All people in Cardinal County are healthy and have connections to supports and services within a culture of care.

Cardinal County Opioid Settlements Overview for FY26-27

- Opioid settlement coordinator developed **5 contracts** and maintained **100% reporting compliance** with CORE-NC
- Added **three new strategies** and continued **four previously-funded strategies**
- Increased access to **treatment and recovery services** and to life-saving **naloxone**

Opioid Settlement Funding Disbursed

Fiscal Year	Amount Disbursed	Strategies Funded
24-25	\$321,000	A.1 Collaborative Strategic Planning A.3 Recovery Support Services A.7 Naloxone Distribution
25-26	\$875,000	A.1 Collaborative Strategic Planning A.2 Evidence-based Addiction Treatment A.3 Recovery Support Services A.7 Naloxone Distribution
26-27	\$1,726,250	A.1 Collaborative Strategic Planning A.2 Evidence-based Addiction Treatment A.3 Recovery Support Services A.4 Recovery Housing A.7 Naloxone Distribution A.8 Post Overdose Response Team A.9 Syringe Service Program

FY26-27 Opioid Settlement Funding Results

Strategy	County Agency/ Community Partner	Results
A.1 Collaborative Strategic Planning	Cardinal County Department of Public Health	Developed and maintained 5 contracts and 3 intra-county agreements Maintained 100% reporting compliance Chaired Cardinal County Opioid Task Force Committee
A.2 Evidence-Based Addiction Treatment	First Quality Treatment Streams Health	20 patients provided with Medications for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD) 22 patients provided with MOUD
A.3 Recovery Support Services	Shaw River Help Center	175 people with OUD/history of opioid use served
A.4 Recovery Housing	Mountain View Recovery Services	12 people with OUD/history of opioid used received assistance with utilities and were able to maintain stable housing

FY26-27 Opioid Settlement Funding Results

Strategy	County Agency/ Community Partner	Results
A.7 Naloxone Distribution	Cardinal County Department of Public Health	783 naloxone kits were distributed
A.8 Post Overdose Response Team (PORT)	Cardinal County EMS	63 people with OUD/history of opioid use were served by PORT
A.9 Syringe Service Program	Wolf Ridge Harm Reduction	105 people with OUD/history of opioid use were served

Success Story



Experienced opioid overdose twice before

Previously not interested in PORT

After her latest experience with overdose,
she said she was ready to connect with
PORT

Success Story



Peer support visited day after her overdose

Harm reduction supplies including naloxone

Visits at least once a week, sometimes more

Connected to primary care

Success Story



Interested in medications for opioid use disorder

More naloxone kits to distribute

Retained stable housing

Photo thanks to Empathy Lens Collection

Success Story

“Cardinal County PORT showed me that they cared and they really followed through.

I can live life again and give back because of their help.”



For additional information

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