

MI-PDO FOCUS NEWSLETTER

*Prevention of Prescription
Drug/Overdose Related Death*

NOVEMBER



EVENTS AND TRAININGS

**Navigating Difficult
Conversations: Making the
Case for Equity in
Substance Misuse
Prevention**

December 13
[Check it out here](#)

SAMHSA's Prevention Day

February 3-6 2025
[Register here](#)

**Virtual SAPST: SPF
Application for Prevention
Success
Training (Beginner)**

January 6, 9, 13, and 16
[Check it out here](#)

NEWS

**Fight the opioid crisis in
the Coastal Bend**

[Access the resource here.](#)

**Communication About
Harm Reduction With
Patients Who Have Opioid
Use Disorder**

[Access the resource here.](#)

**Historic drop in U.S.
overdose deaths
accelerates as fentanyl
crisis eases**

[Access the resource here](#)

**Deaths Due to Opioid
Overdose Fall for the 12th
Consecutive Month**

January 28, February 25,
April 29, May 27, June 24,
July 29, August 26, and
September 30, 2025

[Register here](#)

LOOK

National Gratitude Month

National Gratitude Month, celebrated each November, is dedicated to nurturing a culture of thankfulness and appreciation. This month-long observance encourages people to reflect on the positives in their lives and show gratitude to others. Embracing the spirit of National Gratitude Month and practicing gratitude can significantly enhance well-being and strengthen relationships.



Cultivating gratitude daily is a powerful way to enhance mental and physical well-being, boost job satisfaction, and increase happiness.

10 Ways to Celebrate National Gratitude Month



Transgender Awareness Month

Transgender Awareness Month seeks to promote understanding, inclusivity, and action through educational events, personal stories, and advocacy, striving for a world that honors and supports all gender identities.

[Transgender Awareness Month](#)

Transgender Day of Remembrance
(Nov. 20)

Transgender Day of Remembrance
(TDOR) is an annual observance on

November 20 that honors the memory of the transgender people whose lives were lost in acts of anti-transgender violence.

You can read more about the Transgender Day of Remembrance above, and find out how you can show support for the community on this day.

*State of Michigan
Resources below click
on the title.*

[SAMHSA OPIOID
RESPONSE TOOLKIT](#)

[OPIOID DASHBOARD](#)

[OPIOID
INFORMATION](#)

[STATE OF MICHIGAN
OPIOID WEBSITE](#)




Check out the Newest Information
and Provided Services below:

[Opioid Prescribing](#)

[Safe Storage and Disposal](#)

[SUD Care/Services](#)

[LGBTQ Southerners story for the month](#)



THE MICHIGAN PROJECT TO PREVENT PRESCRIPTION DRUG/OPIOID OVERDOSE-RELATED DEATHS (MI-PDO) INVITES COMMUNITY PARTNERS IN MICHIGAN TO PARTICIPATE IN Pain Management On Demand: Awareness Training for Prescribers and Dispensers of Controlled Substances.

'Free!', CME Training Opportunity

AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ (1.50 hours), AMA PRA Non-Physician (Attendance) (1.50 hours), Pain and Symptom Management (1.50 hours), Nursing CE (ANCC) (1.50 hours), Pharmacist CE (ACPE) (1.50 hours), Social Work CE (ASWB) (1.50 hours), Pharmacy Technician CE (ACPE) (1.50 hours)

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Beaumont Pain Management on Demand: Awareness Training for Prescribers and Dispensers of Controlled Substances.

[MI-PDO Prescribers Training](#)

If you want to be featured in next month's newsletter or need resources, please contact me for more information.

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