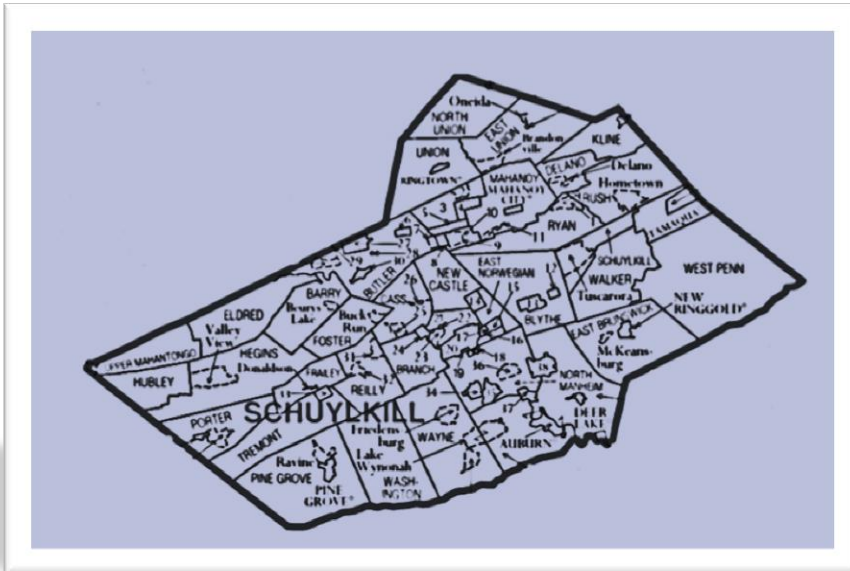
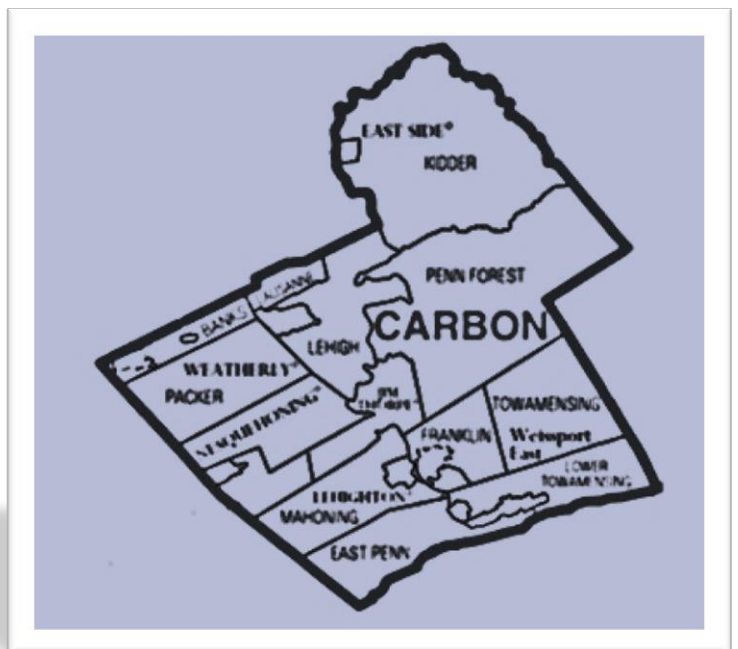


Substance Use/ Opioid Use Disorder Rural Resource Guide *for*

Schuylkill and Carbon County



Schuylkill and Carbon County overdose rates are higher than the state and national averages. As a result, a committed grassroots Steering Committee is working together with national, state, and local partners to improve connections to prevention, treatment, and recovery through trainings, initiatives, and services. This Rural Resource Guide is part of those efforts.



Rural Community Opioid Response Consortium for Schuylkill and Carbon Counties:

*Our **vision** is a safe, supportive and healthy community that cultivates a continuum of care for opioid and substance use disorder including prevention, treatment and recovery.*

*The **mission** of the Rural Community Opioid Response Consortium is to assess regional needs, expand life skills, provide evidence-based resources and to improve comprehensive treatment services in an environment that supports and values recovery*

Data Reveals:

- Over the past two decades an estimated 700,000 people died of drug overdoses in the United States.¹
- In October of 2017, the federal government declared a national Public Health Emergency in response to the astronomical rise in overdose deaths.²
- The precipitous increase in overdose deaths is primarily driven by the over 600% increase in synthetic opioid deaths, predominately fentanyl, since 2013.³
- Pennsylvania is particularly affected by this national crisis. In 2017, the state recorded the third highest rate of drug overdose deaths after only West Virginia and Ohio.⁴
- Opioids—mainly synthetic opioids (other than methadone)—were the main driver of drug overdose deaths. In total, there were 5,456 drug-related overdose deaths, meaning an overdose death rate of 43 out of every 100,000 residents which is nearly double the national average of 22 out of every 100,000 residents.⁵
- Pennsylvania also had statistically significant increases in overdose deaths between 2016 and 2017. Similarly, it was one of only six states with a statistically significant increase in the amount of non-fatal overdose hospitalizations between 2016 and 2017.⁶
- According to data from the National Center for Health Statistics, through the CDC, Schuylkill County had 19 total deaths from opioid overdoses between 2007 and 2011.⁷ This equates to 3.9 opioid deaths per 100,000 residents over that time. Between 2012 and 2016, this rate rose to 24.5 per 100,000 residents, equaling 109 opioid overdose deaths. Carbon County had 16 total deaths from opioid overdoses between 2007 and 2011, and 32 between 2012 and 2016. This changes the rate from 7.6 per 100,000 residents to 18.1 per 100,000 residents. The state and national averages were 15.9 and 14.1, respectively.

¹ <https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/databriefs/db329.htm>

² <https://www.whitehouse.gov/opioids/>

³ <https://www.drugabuse.gov/related-topics/trends-statistics/overdose-death-rates>

⁴ <https://www.cdc.gov/drugoverdose/data/statedeaths.html>

⁵ <https://www.dea.gov/sites/default/files/2018-10/Opioid%20threat%20in%20Pennsylvania%20FINAL.pdf>

⁶ <https://www.cdc.gov/drugoverdose/data/nonfatal.html>

⁷ <https://opioidmisusetool.norc.org/>

If you are experiencing an emergency, PLEASE CALL 911.

Emergency Response/Crisis Intervention Services

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

▪**Emergency Crisis Services are available**

Hours of Operation: 24 Hours a Day, 7 Days a Week, and 365 Days a Year.

Phone: For any crisis call, 1-877-9WE-HELP or 1-877-993-4357

▪**Schuylkill County Mental Health and Developmental Services**

410 N. Centre Street, Suite 2, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: (570) 621-2890

Website: <http://www.co.schuylkill.pa.us/Offices/HumanServices/MHMR/index.asp>

▪**Safe Haven - CRISIS RESIDENTIAL**

603 West Market Street, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-628-4731

▪**Lehigh Valley Hospital Network (LVHN) Schuylkill - INPATIENT HOSPITALIZATION**

Adolescent Behavioral Health

420 South Jackson Street, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-621-5000

CARBON COUNTY

▪**24/7 Mental Health Crisis Hotline for Carbon, Monroe, Pike Counties**

Call: 570-992-0879

New Perspectives Toll Free: 800-849-1868

National Crisis Text Line: 741741

▪**St. Luke's University Health Network Lehighton – INPATIENT HOSPITALIZATION**

Behavioral Health Unit

211 N. 12th Street, Lehighton, PA 18235

Phone: 610-377-1300 or 1-866-STLUKES (785-8537)

▪**Carbon Mental Health Services**

428 South 7th Street, Suite 2, Lehighton, PA 18235

Phone: 610-377-0773 **Toll Free:** 1-800-338-6467

Website: www.cmpmhds.org

Alcohol and other Drug Prevention/Treatment Services

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

▪**Schuylkill County Drug & Alcohol Program**

Address: 410 N. Centre Street, Suite 2, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-621-2890

Hours of Operation: M – F 8 AM – 4:30 PM

Website: <http://www.co.schuylkill.pa.us/Offices/HumanServices/DrugAlcohol/index.asp>

•Clinical Outcomes Group (COGI) Inc.

One South Second Street, Pottsville, PA 17901 (1st Floor and Basement Level)

Phone: 570-628-6990 or 1-800-264-1290

Website: www.coginc.org

•Gaudenzia

1 S 2nd Street – 4th Floor, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-622-6485

Website: www.gaudenzia.org

•Lehigh Valley Health Network Center for Counseling Services

502 South 2nd Street, St. Clair, PA 17970

Phone: 570-622-5898

Website: www.lvhn.org

•Pennsylvania Counseling Services

437 N. Centre Street, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-728-2600 **Fax:** 570-728-6001

Website: <https://pacounseling.com/pottsville/>

•Safer Streets for Tamaqua’s Little Feet

Website: <https://saferstreetstamaqua.com/>

CARBON COUNTY

•Carbon Monroe Pike Drug & Alcohol Commission

Address: 724 Philips St. Stroudsburg, PA 18360

Phone: 570-517-2707

Hours of Operation: M – F 8 am- 4:30 pm

Website: <http://www.cmpda.cog.pa.us/>

RECOVERY SUPPORT GROUPS

•Hope & Coffee

137 Pine Street, Tamaqua, PA 18252

Phone: 570-225-7600

Website: <https://hopeandcoffee.org/>

•Alcoholics Anonymous

Website: <https://aa.org>

•Al-Anon Family Groups

Phone: 888-4AL-ANON

Website: www.al-anon.alateen.org

•Narcotics Anonymous

Website: <https://www.na.org>

•Nar-Anon Family Groups

Website: <https://www.nar.anon.org>

NATIONAL

•SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration)

National Helpline – 1-800-662-HELP (4357)

<https://www.samhsa.gov/find-help/national-helpline>

This service is open 24/7, 365 days a year.

Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT):

The SAMSHA MAT practitioner list of visible providers:

<https://www.samhsa.gov/medication-assisted-treatment/practitioner-program-data/treatment-practitioner-locator>

STATE

•Pennsylvania Department of Drug & Alcohol Programs

<https://www.ddap.pa.gov>

For immediate help call: 1-800-662-HELP

Information and resources include county drug & alcohol offices, Drug & Alcohol Referral Tool, Find a Treatment Provider, Overdose, Prevention and Support Services.

Pennsylvania Opioid Dashboard for prevention, treatment and recovery resources and location finders: <https://data.pa.gov/stories/s/Pennsylvania-Opioids/9g45-nckt/>

Pennsylvania Department of Drug & Alcohol Facebook page with support links for Get Help Now Hotline, Family, online/virtual recovery supports, and more:

<https://www.facebook.com/PennsylvaniaDDAP/>

•Pro A (Pennsylvania Recovery Organizations Alliance)

Address: 900 South Arlington Avenue, Suite 254A, Harrisburg, PA

Phone: (717) 545-8929 or (800) 858-6040

Website: <http://pro-a.org/>

•OverdoseFREEPA

Overdose is a public health and safety crisis.

Be informed, visit <https://www.overdosefreepa.pitt.edu>

MOBILE APPS

•Pink Cloud is an app that will help you find a 12 step program or online meeting near you.

<https://gopinkcloud.com>

COMMUNITY HELPLINE

•United Way 2-1-1 Community Help Line

Provides free information and referral services to community resources

Phone: 2-1-1 or (855) 567-5341

Text: Text your zip code to 898211

Website: <https://pa211east.org/>

▪**Law Enforcement Treatment Initiative (LETI)**

Website:

<https://www.attorneygeneral.gov/resources/law-enforcement-treatment-initiative/>

Mental Health Services

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

▪**ACCESS Services (Mental Health Wellness)**

340 S. Liberty Street, Orwigsburg, PA 17961

Phone: 570-366-1154 Fax: 570-366-7711

▪**Alternative Consulting Enterprises, Inc.**

108 N. Claude A. Lord Blvd, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 610-796-8110 Fax: 610-796-9130

▪**Catholic Charities Diocese of Allentown**

Address: 13 Westwood Rd, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-628-9860 Fax: 570-628-3343

▪**Child & Family Support Services**

2276 West Market St, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-622-9860 Fax: 570-622-9862

▪**Clay Holland III, LCSW**

150 Pine St, Tamaqua, PA 18252

Phone: 610-504-2199 Fax: 610-330-9981

▪**COMPASS/Resources for Human Development/Courtney Uhl**

Courtney.Uhl@RHD.org

<https://www.rhd.org/program/compass/>

▪**Cornerstone Coordinated Health Care**

40 West Frack St, Frackville, PA 17931

Phone: 570-794-6123 Fax: 570-794-6124

▪**Culture 2 Culture Peer Support**

110 East Arch Street, 1st Floor, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-581-8377

***Connect-ED** is an App that provides a comprehensive assortment of person-centered recovery and wellness tools to serve as a multi-purpose instrument for wellness. (available for Android smartphones)

▪**Empower the Mind, LLC**

212 West Market Streets, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 717-304-2631 **Email:** drmartha@empowerthemind.org

▪Hidden River Clubhouse/Martina Buffington

1935 W. Market Street, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-581-8652

▪Hugh S. Smith, Ph.D. & Associates, P.C.

619 Mahantongo St, Providence Community Services, Pottsville, PA 17091

Phone: 570-622-6417 **Fax:** 570-622-3230

▪Merakey

1 Norwegian Plaza (Suite 200), Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-628-3323

▪NAMI

(National Alliance on Mental Illness)

P.O. Box 1305, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-527-0002

▪New Beginnings

1851 West End Ave, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-622-9101 **Fax:** 570-622-9102

▪New Beginnings

1 W. Centre Street, Mahanoy City, PA 17948

Phone: 570-773-3470 **Fax:** 570-773-3520

▪Pathways

210 S. Centre Street, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-622-6417

▪Pamela Tomko LCSW

264 S. Lehigh Ave, Frackville, PA 17931

Phone: 570-874-2643 **Fax:** 570-874-2643

▪Professional Counseling, Consulting, & Human Service

1 W. Centre St, Mahanoy City, PA 17948

Phone: 570-773-3470 **Fax:** 570-300-2778

▪Psychological Assoc. of Schuylkill County LLC

454 N. Claude A Lord Blvd, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-622-1025 **Fax:** 570-628-4344

▪ReDCo Turning Point

16-18 South Centre St, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-628-5234 ext. 126 **Fax:** 570-628-9051

▪Family-Based Mental Health Services

Salisbury Behavioral Health, LLC

2880 Pottsville-Minersville Highway, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-544-9723

▪Services Access & Management

590 Terry Reiley Way, Pottsville, PA 17901

Phone: 570-621-2700

▪Youth Advocate Program

608 West Oak Street, Suite 1, P.O. Box 531, Frackville, PA 17931

Phone: 570-874-4686

CARBON COUNTY

▪ACCESS Services (Mental Health Wellness)

340 S. Liberty Street, Orwigsburg, PA 17961

Phone: 570-366-1154 Fax: 570-366-7711

▪Blue Mountain Behavioral Health

512 Bank St, Bowmanstown PA 18030

Phone: 610-826-1306 Fax: 610-598-4045

▪Blue Mountain Psychiatry

217 Franklin Ave. Suite 106, Palmerton PA 18071

Phone: 610-826-2320 Fax: 1-888-972-2853

▪Carol Kardisco LCSW

27 W. Sixth St, Jim Thorpe, PA 18229

Phone: 570-325-8969

▪Ethos Clinic

428 S. 7th St., Lehighon, PA 18235

Phone: 610-900-4234 Fax: 570-392-6143

▪Ethos Clinic

135 Lafayette Ave. Suite 263, Palmerton PA 19071

Phone: 610-900-4234 Fax: 570-392-6143

▪ISL Psychiatric Services

800 Mahoning St. Suite C, Lehighon PA 18235

Phone: 610-377-9211 Fax: 610-377-8140

▪ReDCo

777 Blakeslee Blvd. Lehighon, PA 18235

Phone: 610-377-8525 Fax: 610-377-8548

▪Vita Counseling Partners

3295 Forest Inn Rd. #3, Palmerton PA 18071

Phone: 610-826-8482 **Fax:** 1-833-329-8482

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