

<p style="text-align: center;">York/Adams Drug and Alcohol Commission Treatment Policy and Procedure Manual</p>	<p><i>Number: C-2</i></p> <p><i>Policy: Interim Services for Pregnant Women, Women Who Use Substances, and Persons Who Inject Drugs</i></p>
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I. Purpose:

To establish a protocol for ensuring that interim services are made available to pregnant women who inject drugs, pregnant women who use substances, and persons who inject drugs.

II. Policy:

DDAP identifies pregnant women who inject drugs, pregnant women who use substances, and a persons who inject drugs as priority populations. The SCA and its contracted providers must ensure interim services for these priority populations in the event that treatment services are not immediately available.

- A. All individuals shall be screened for emergent care needs. If emergent care needs are identified, an immediate referral to appropriate services must occur. If no emergent care needs are identified and a Level of Care Assessment (LOCA) is deemed necessary, then a LOCA must be conducted to determine the need for treatment.
- B. If treatment is indicated as a result of the LOCA, refer the individual to a treatment provider that has the capacity to provide treatment services immediately. DDAP has provisions for narcotic treatment programs (NTP) that are at capacity but need to admit a pregnant woman for treatment of an opioid use disorder (OUD). DDAP’s Division of Program Licensure will review exception requests to increase capacity for any NTP on a case-by-case basis.
 - 1.) If no treatment facility has the capacity to admit the individual immediately, contact must be maintained with the individual until admission to treatment occurs.
 - 2.) Further, if treatment admission has not occurred within 48 hours following the LOCA, supportive and interim services must be made available until treatment admission has occurred. Supportive services may include services such as case management or recovery support services. Interim services reduce adverse health effects of substance use, promote the health of the individual, and reduce the risk of transmission of a disease until the individual is admitted to a treatment program. Required interim services are listed below:
 - 3.) Interim services for pregnant women must include:
 - (a) Counseling and education about Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), tuberculosis (TB), and Hepatitis C (HEP C);
 - (b) Counseling and education about the risks of needle sharing;
 - (c) Counseling and education about the risks of transmission to sexual partners and infants;
 - (d) Counseling and education about the steps that can be taken to ensure that HIV, TB, and HEP C transmission does not occur;
 - (e) Referral for HIV, TB, and HEP C treatment services, if necessary;
 - (f) Counseling on the effects of alcohol and drug use on the fetus; and
 - (g) Referral for prenatal care.
 - 4) Interim services for Persons Who Inject Drugs (PWID) must include:
 - (a) Counseling and education about HIV, TB, and HEP C;

- (b) Counseling and education about the risks of needle sharing;
- (c) Counseling and education about the risks of transmission to sexual partners and infants;
- (d) Counseling and education about the steps that can be taken to ensure that HIV, TB, and HEP C transmission does not occur
- (e) Referral for HIV, TB, HEP C treatment service, if necessary.

YADAC Resource list of interim services are as follows:

I. Counseling and education about Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), Tuberculosis (TB) and Hepatitis C (HEPC)

Family First Health 116 South George Street York, PA 17401 (717) 845-8617	York City Bureau of Health 1 Marketway West 3rd Floor York, PA 17401 (717) 849-2252 or (717) 849-2340
Pennsylvania Department of Health State health Center 424 East Middle Street Gettysburg, PA 17325 (717) 334-2112	Pennsylvania Department of Health State Health Center 1750 North George Street York, PA 17404 (717) 771-4505
Keystone Health Center 820 Fifth Avenue Chambersburg, PA 17201 (717) 263-0384	Alder Health Services 100 North Cameron Street Suite 301 East Harrisburg, PA 17101 (717) 233-7190

II. Counseling/Education about Risk of Needle Sharing

Family First Health 116 South George Street York, PA 17401 (717) 845-8617	York City Bureau of Health 1 Marketway West 3rd Floor York, PA 17401 (717) 849-2252 or (717) 849-2340
Pennsylvania Department of Health State health Center 424 East Middle Street Gettysburg, PA 17325 (717) 334-2112	Pennsylvania Department of Health State Health Center 1750 North George Street York, PA 17404 (717) 771-4505
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III. Counseling/Education about Risk of Transmission to Sexual Partner and Infants

Family First Health 116 South George Street York, PA 17401 (717) 845-8617	York City Bureau of Health 1 Marketway West 3rd Floor York, PA 17401 (717) 849-2252 or (717) 849-2340
Pennsylvania Department of Health State health Center 424 East Middle Street Gettysburg, PA 17325 (717) 334-2112	Pennsylvania Department of Health State Health Center 1750 North George Street York, PA 17404 (717) 771-4505
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IV. Counseling/Education about HIV, TB, & HEP C including steps that can be taken to ensure that HIV, TB, & HEP C transmission does not occur.

Family First Health 116 South George Street York, PA 17401 (717) 845-8617	York City Bureau of Health 1 Marketway West 3rd Floor York, PA 17401 (717) 849-2252 or (717) 849-2340
Pennsylvania Department of Health State health Center 424 East Middle Street Gettysburg, PA 17325 (717) 334-2112	Pennsylvania Department of Health State Health Center 1750 North George Street York, PA 17404 (717) 771-4505
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V. Referral for HIV, TB, & HEP C treatment.

Family First Health 116 South George Street York, PA 17401 (717) 845-8617	Keystone Health Center Adams, Franklin and Fulton 820 Fifth Avenue Chambersburg, PA 17201 (717) 263-0384
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VI. Counseling/Education for Pregnant Women on the effects of alcohol and drug use on the fetus.

Family First Health 116 South George Street York, PA 17401 (717) 845-8617	Planned Parenthood of Central PA 728 South Beaver Street York, PA 17403 (717) 845-9681
York Hospital Community Health Center 605 South George Street Suite 200 York, PA 17403 (717) 851-2334	Keystone Health Center 820 Fifth Avenue Chambersburg, PA 17201 (717) 263-0384

VII. Referral for prenatal care.

Family First Health 116 South George Street York, PA 17401 (717) 845-8617	Planned Parenthood of Central PA 728 South Beaver Street York, PA 17403 (717) 845-9681
York Hospital Community Health Center 605 South George Street Suite 200 York, PA 17403 (717) 851-2334	Keystone Health Center 820 Fifth Avenue Chambersburg, PA 17201 (717) 263-0384

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