OPT-IN Website Application Framework

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OVERVIEW

OPT-In Program

- Technical Application Infrastructure
- Training Materials & Content for conducting the brief intervention

BACKGROUND

Evidence from our recently completed, CDC UM Injury Center-funded, efficacy trial indicates that emergency department patients at risk for prescription opioid overdose will reduce their level of overdose risk behaviors in response to a motivational interviewing-based intervention. In this study, participants randomized to the intervention had a 40.5% reduction in level of overdose risk behaviors, compared to 14.7% in controls. These findings are promising for addressing the gap in services for individuals at risk for overdose through a relatively low-cost, public health-oriented strategy.

However, although this study used broad inclusion criteria and was found to be applicable across a broad array of patients, the intervention was developed for a specific setting (emergency department) and with specific research-funded interventionists (master's- level therapists). OPT-IN is taking the next steps to develop tools and materials to deliver the intervention from research into clinical practice and community outreach settings.

OPT-IN is an evidence-based intervention to improve opioid safety and reduce opioid related overdoses. It is based in harm reduction and uses Motivational Interviewing to discuss these topics with clients.

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ADDITIONAL DETAILS

The OPT-IN program is licensed by the University of Michigan. Following completion of the licensing details you will be provided a confirmation e-mail and will be contacted by Michigan's technical provisioning partner, Logic Solutions. Logic Solutions can provision the application to you as a self-installed option (Docker Container) or will be able to provide you with hosting and related services at your option.

PLEASE NOTE: Any services agreements for infrastructure provisioning or associated services of the OPT-In program are independent of the University of Michigan and executed via a separate and independent agreement.