



WASHOE COUNTY

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STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: January 16, 2024

DATE: Wednesday, January 10, 2024
TO: Board of County Commissioners
FROM: Joe Saiz, Division Director, Juvenile Services
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THROUGH: Elizabeth Florez, Director
SUBJECT: Accept a donation of 73 Narcan Kits to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses by community members served by the Washoe County Department of Juvenile Services [estimated value \$3,285] donated by Quest Counseling and Consulting Inc. Juvenile Services. (All Commission Districts.)

SUMMARY

Accept a donation of 73 Narcan Kits to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses by community members served by the Washoe County Department of Juvenile Services [estimated value \$3,285] donated by Quest Counseling and Consulting Inc.

Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item: Innovative Services: Strengthen Our Culture of Service

PREVIOUS ACTION

On August 15, 2023, the Washoe County Board of County Commissioners accepted a donation of 50 Narcan kits to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses by community members served by the Washoe County Department of Juvenile Services [estimated value \$3,750] donated by Quest Counseling and Consulting Inc.

On May 25, 2021, The Washoe County Board of County Commissioners accepted a donation of 44 Narcan Kits to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses by community members served by the Washoe County Department of Juvenile Services [estimated value \$3,300] donated by Quest Counseling and Consulting Inc.

BACKGROUND

Quest Counseling and Consulting Inc. has made a donation to Juvenile Services of 73 Narcan Kits, valued at approximately \$45 each, to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses for community members served by Juvenile Services.

AGENDA ITEM # _____

Narcan is a valuable tool available to first responders to provide emergency treatment of possible opioid overdoses. With this donation, Juvenile Services Probation Officers will now have quick access to Narcan in the field, should they have an interaction with a person or persons in distress from a possible drug overdose in our community.

Quest Counseling has been a collaborative community partner who has assisted our department in providing a comprehensive continuum of Substance Abuse and Mental Health Assessments and Treatment for youth and families served by the Washoe County Department of Juvenile Services.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners accepts a donation of 73 Narcan Kits to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses by community members served by the Washoe County Department of Juvenile Services [estimated value \$3,285] donated by Quest Counseling and Consulting Inc. Juvenile Services.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: move to accept a donation of 73 Narcan Kits to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses by community members served by the Washoe County Department of Juvenile Services [estimated value \$3,285] donated by Quest Counseling and Consulting Inc. Juvenile Services.