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STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: 08/15/23

DATE: Wednesday, August 09, 2023

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 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. Juvenile Services. (All Commission Districts.)

SUMMARY

Accept 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.

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

PREVIOUS ACTION

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 50 Narcan Kits, valued at approximately \$75 each, to treat and prevent possible opioid overdoses for community members served by Juvenile Services.

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.

AGENDA ITEM # _____

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 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. Juvenile Services.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: move to accept 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. Juvenile Services.