

Virtual Opioid Task Force Meeting – Update January 13, 2021



Good morning colleagues:

Thank you for agreeing to present at our next virtual meeting of the opioid task force. By way of introduction, Alexis comes to us to provide an update on the work of MassHire, in particular the Career Center grant aimed at providing employment services for individuals affected by the opioid epidemic; and Maryjane and AnnMarie are with the Mass Pain Initiative and will provide a valuable health care perspective on addressing pain management in a world where opioid use disorder is a huge problem.

The meeting will be opened up by DA Ryan and she will provide an update on the impact of the opioid crisis on our communities as reflected in deaths by overdose. You should each plan to have about 25-30 minutes for your presentations - please let me know if you need more or anticipate using significantly less.

I will be sending out a reminder to our attendees sometime next week, but want to confirm your continued interest and availability and thus, the agenda before then.

Thank you and warm regards,
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