

In the last 5 years, Shoreline Behavioral Health Services has transformed from providing outpatient behavioral health services only, to a functioning medical practice that provides medication assisted treatment to patients with opioid use disorder at risk of accidental death due to overdose. Out of approximately 2300 admissions, about 800 patients are in treatment for opioid use disorder and about 400 of those patients are receiving medications such as Suboxone or Vivitrol.

The purpose of the building project that relates to the current funding is to provide the facilities necessary to house a fully functioning medical practice and to accommodate expanded services to respond to the ongoing epidemic of opioid use and the multiple harms associated with it. The \$1,000,000 in this round of funding will go to complete the proposed structure, and to provide for furnishings and other components necessary to complete the project and upgrade the existing structure at the same site. Examples of this are a new roof, paint, resurfacing the parking lot and landscaping and other enhancements to ensure that the two buildings are appropriately linked.

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