# EFFECTIVE TREATMENTS FOR OPIOID USE DISORDER

## **OPIOID USE DISORDER AFFECTS MILLIONS**

More than **2.5 million** Americans suffer from opioid use disorder. Philadelphia had **1,150 overdose deaths in 2019, 963 with opioids detected**. Use of opioids, including heroin and prescription pain relievers, can; **1**) lead to babies being born dependent, as well as **2**) spread of infectious diseases like HIV and hepatitis.

#### **AVAILABLE EFFECTIVE MEDICATIONS**

- Medications can help treat opioid use disorder
- Research supports the effectiveness of medication as part of a comprehensive treatment plan for people with opioid use disorder

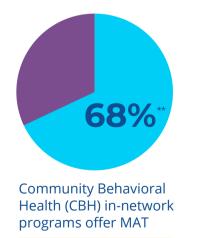
#### **Buprenorphine Naltrexone Methadone**

- SuboxoneSubutex
- Vivtrol

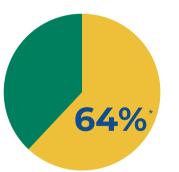
#### MEDICATION-ASSISTED TREATMENT IS THE GOLD STANDARD OF CARE

Including a medication as part of treatment decreases opioid-overdose deaths, opioid use, and infectious disease transmission.

### PHILADELPHIA IS A NATIONAL LEADER IN DELIVERING EVIDENCE-BASED CARE FOR OPIOID USE DISORDER



**\*\***Nationally, only 23% of publicly-funded facilities offer MAT.



CBH members **diagnosed** with opioid use disorder participate in MAT

\*Nationally, only 40% of opioid-dependent individuals receive MAT. Medications can save people. Call 1-888-545-2600 to speak to a service representative and access treatment.

> Learn more about medication-assisted treatment, the evidence-based treatment for opioid use disorder online, at **DBHIDS.org/MAT**

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