

Statewide Epidemiology Organization Workgroup (SEOW)

Elyse Monroy, SEOW- Chair Elect

About the SEOW

Nevada received guidance from SAMHSA to establish and manage the SEOW in December 2016.

Bylaw 3.1:

- The purpose of the SEOW is to provide ongoing advice and guidance to SAPTA staff who will disseminate those recommendations to the Multidisciplinary Prevention Advisory Committee, the SAPTA Advisory Board and other appropriate agencies and groups.

Bylaw 3.2:

- Review and analyze data to determine the impact of substance abuse and the need for prevention and treatment services.

SAPTA Epidemiologic Profiles

- The SEOW works in conjunction with the Nevada Office of Analytics on behalf of the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services to produce the annual SAPTA Epidemiologic (Epi) Profile.
- The Epi Profile summarizes the nature, magnitude, and distribution of substance use and related consequences for the State.
- The SEOW decided to focus the 2020 Epi Profile on Suicide as it relates to Substance Use among youth ages 10-17 and young adults ages 18-24 in the State of Nevada.

SEOW Membership

- Helen See, MPH (Chair), PH.D Student,
- Elyse Monroy (Chair- Elect)
- Jennifer Thompson
- Eric Ohlson
- Ingrid Mburia,
- James Kuzhippala
- Jennifer Deet Snyder
- Pauline Salla
- Richard Egan
- Stephanie Asteriadis- Pyle
- Tre Delap
- Wei Yang
- Yen Long.

MPAC
MULTIDISCIPLINARY PREVENTION ADVISORY
COMMITTEE

CO CHAIR, JAMIE ROSS
CO CHAIR, LINDA LANG

SEOW and MPAC Collaboration

- SEOW: Data and Epidemiology
- MPAC: Reviewing Data and Guiding Priorities for Substance Misuse Prevention

MPAC Prioritization of Substances

- **Magnitude:** How *large*, overall, is the problem based on your data?
- **Time trends:** Is the problem increasing, decreasing, or stable *over time*?
- **Comparisons:** Is the problem better, worse, or the same as either a *comparison state* or a *national-level data*?
- **Severity:** How serious are the consequences of misuse, and how widespread are these consequences?

MPAC Prioritization Document

Overall Summary of Prioritized Data Indicators

The table below shows the data indicators that received a score of a “4” or a “5” for the group’s final consideration.

Population	Substance	Indicator	Score
Middle School	Marijuana	Lifetime Use/Ever Used (YRBS)	5
Middle School	Marijuana	Current/30-Day Use (YRBS)	4
Middle School	Vaping Products	Lifetime Use/Ever Used (YRBS)	4
Middle School	Vaping Products	Current/30-Day Use (YRBS)	4
Middle School	Alcohol	Driving under the influence/ever rode in a car with someone who was drinking (YRBS)	4
High School	Prescription Drugs	Lifetime Use/Ever Used (YRBS)	5
High School	Alcohol	Current/30-Day Use (YRBS)	4
High School	Vaping Products	Current/30-Day Use (YRBS)	4
Adult	Marijuana	Current /30-Day Use (BRFSS)	5
LGBTQ	Marijuana	Current /30-Day Use (BRFSS)	4
LGBTQ	Cigarettes	Current /30-Day Use (BRFSS)	4

MPAC Priorities

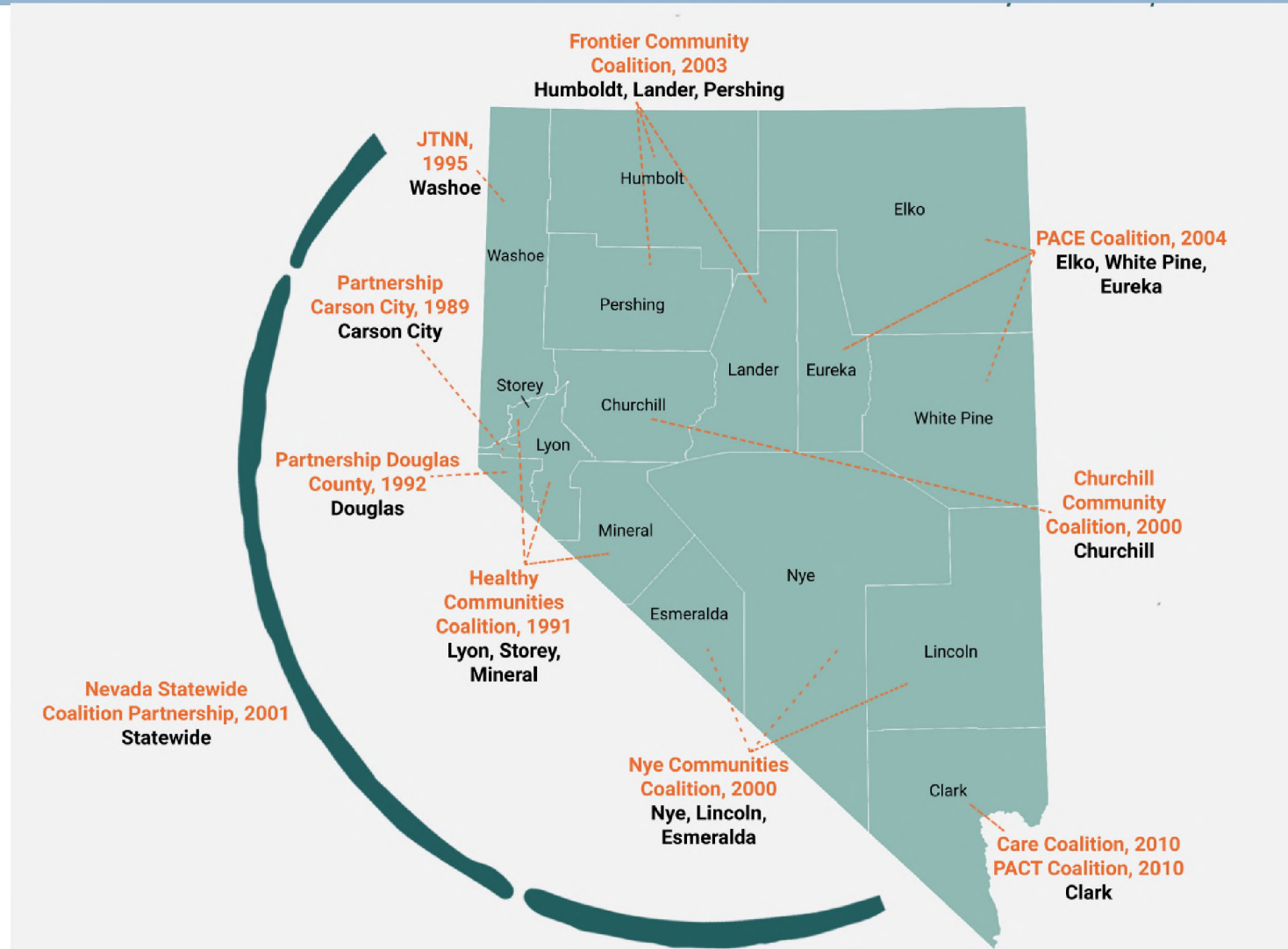
□ Final Priorities

□ The group agreed that “lifetime use/ever use” was not a useful indicator as a final priority. The final recommended priorities per MPAC vote are:

- Middle School Students
 - Current use of marijuana/cannabis
 - Current use of vaping/electronic nicotine delivery system device
- High School
 - Current use of alcohol
 - Current use of vaping/electronic nicotine delivery system device
- Adults
 - Current use of marijuana/cannabis
- LGBTQ (adult population):
 - Current use of marijuana/cannabis
 - Current use of tobacco

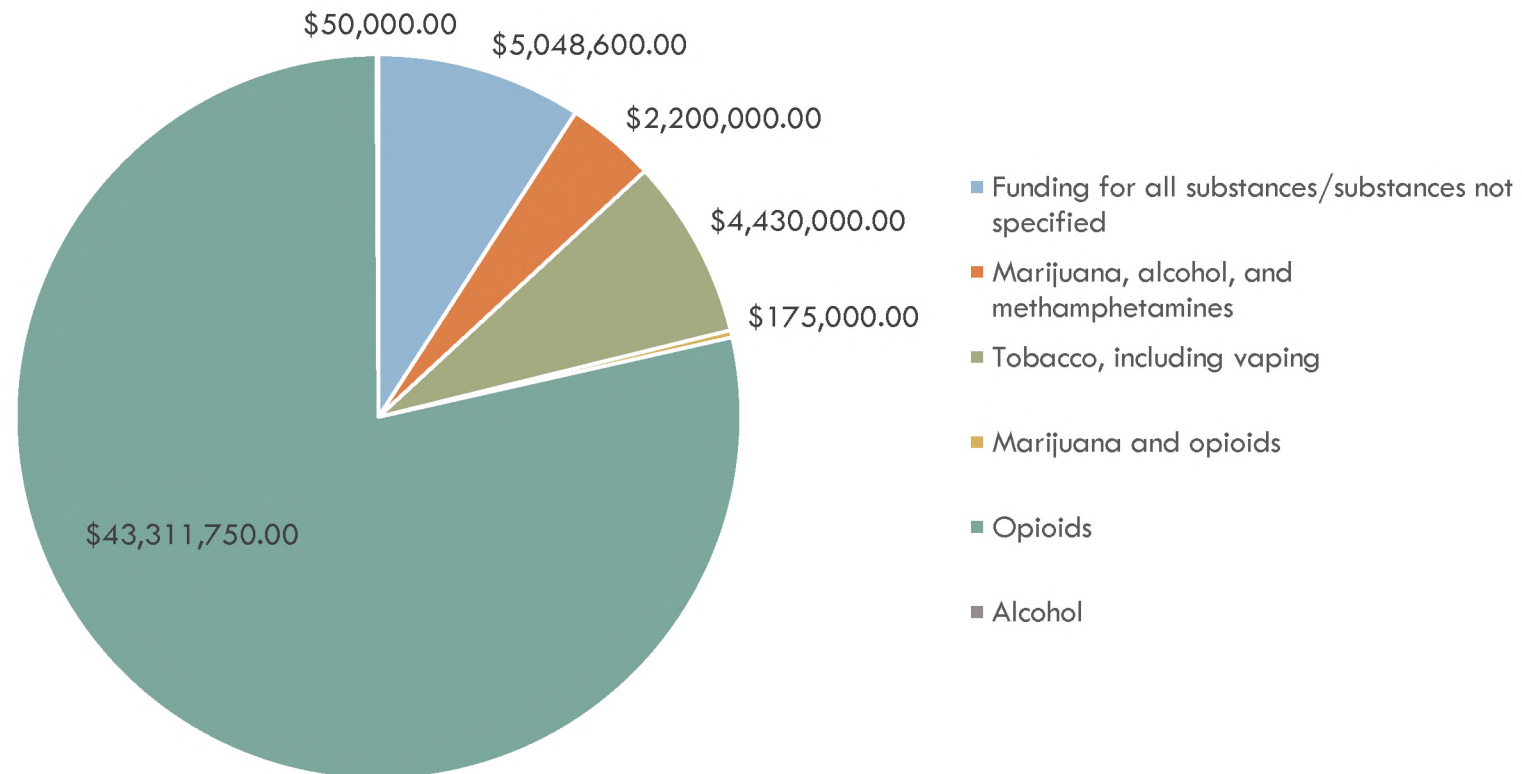
□ The group also agreed that given the age of these data, limitations in available data, knowledge of current data trends not reflected in the 2020 Epi Profile, there is a need to carefully monitor and potentially address additional substances, such as fentanyl, pressed pills, and kratom.

Guidance for Prevention Coalitions



How this translates to Community

Approximate Substance Use Funding Allocations In Nevada



Senate Bill 69

- Institutionalizing Coalitions
- Passive Consent of YRBS
- Schools use of Evidence Based Prevention Programs

Gaps and Needs

- Funding for Early Intervention
 - Previous funding focuses only on primary prevention
- Funding not tied to a Substance
 - Previous Meth funding

Thank you

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