



Florida Department of Health's Harm Reduction Overdose Program – Mobile Integrated Health (MIH) - Community Outreach Response and Engagement (CORe)

Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH)

Proactive Patient-Centered Care

MIH focuses on delivering proactive, patient-centered services outside traditional emergency responses to high-risk populations.

Reducing Emergency System Burden

Reduces unnecessary emergency transports by early identification and continuous engagement of frequent emergency system users.

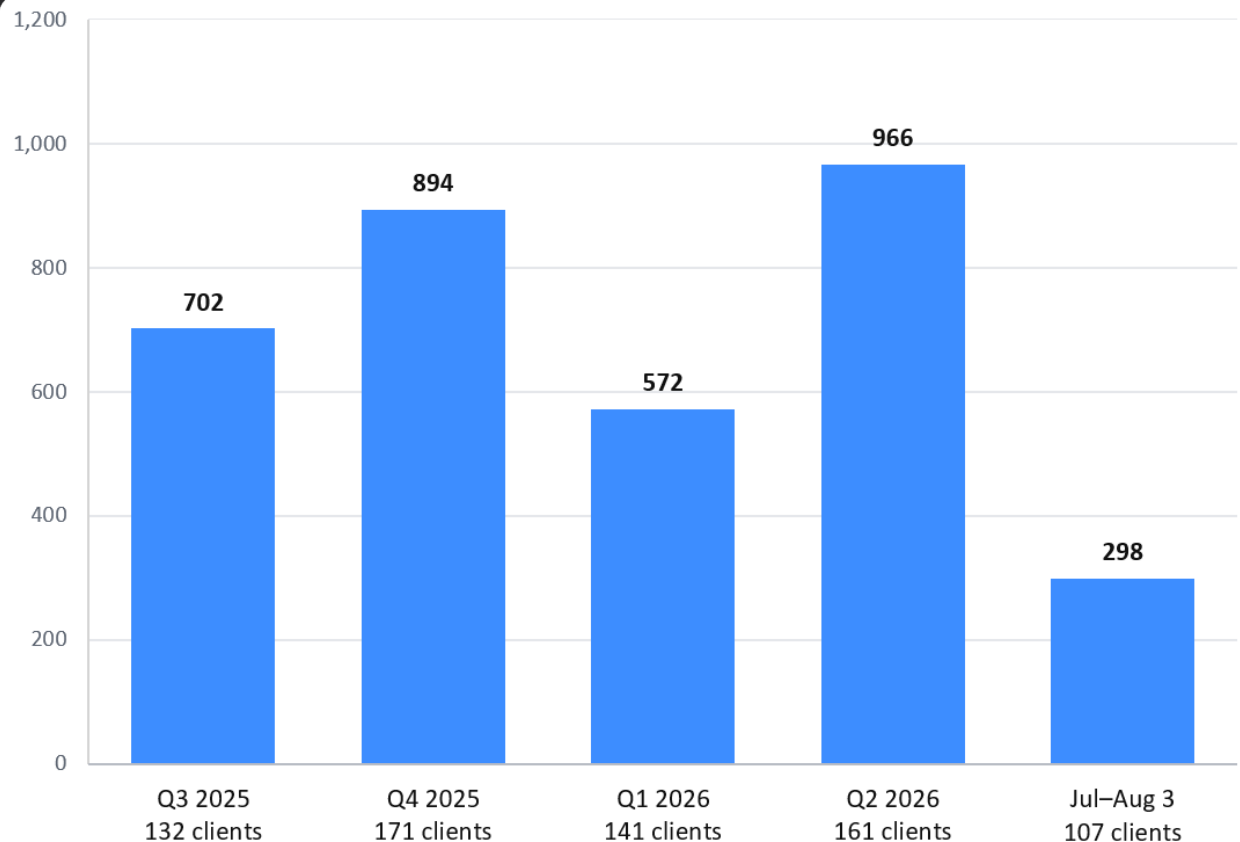
Integrated Community Partnerships

Builds strong partnerships among EMS, hospitals, social services, and community organizations for holistic patient support.

Addressing Social Determinants

Connects patients to primary care, specialists, behavioral health, and community resources addressing social determinants of health.

MIH Activity: FY 2025–2026 and Current



3,134

FY contacts | 464 unique clients

298

Jul 1–Aug 3 contacts | 107 unique clients

Top Program Contacts:

Social Services - 2,348

Fall Reduction - 312

Homeless - 177

Q2 peak: 966

NERIS: 265 incidents

CORe: Coordinated Opiate Recovery Network

Timely Intervention

CORe uses EMS response as a critical moment to engage individuals and start recovery pathways promptly.

Comprehensive Support Services

The program connects individuals with treatment options including medication-assisted treatment and behavioral health services.

Building Trust and Reducing Stigma

CORe emphasizes empathy and consistency to foster trust and reduce stigma in the recovery process.

Community Collaboration

The program collaborates with healthcare providers and community partners to improve access and reduce care barriers.

OD2A: Overdose Data to Action

Data-Driven Overdose Surveillance

OD2A collects real-time data from EMS, hospitals, law enforcement, and medical examiners to monitor overdose trends.

Targeted Prevention and Response

The program uses data insights to design interventions and allocate resources effectively for overdose prevention.

Collaborative Partnerships

OD2A fosters collaboration between EMS, hospitals, public health, and community agencies for coordinated action.

Education and Harm Reduction

Supports education campaigns and harm-reduction initiatives to reduce opioid-related harm in communities.

Expanding Overdose Prevention

- Department of Health Harm Reduction Overdose Program expands Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue's overdose prevention efforts through the states Overdose Data to Action (OD2A) initiative
- MIH outreach within 72 hours following hospital discharge after overdose
- CORe Program Provides recovery support, care coordination, and medication assisted treatment.
- Partnerships strengthen access to treatment and reduce repeat overdoses.



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Coordinated Opioid Recovery Education



Join Us In The Fight Against Opioid Overdoses

- City-led overdose prevention initiative
 - Free Narcan (Naloxone) Distribution Boxes
 - FLFR Mobile Integrated Healthcare Suboxone Treatment and follow-up
- Focused on early recognition and early intervention
- Expands public access to Narcan (Naloxone)
- Supports community during high-risk events