

There is HOPE for

recovery from addiction

HEROIN – OPIATE PREVENTION EFFORT

***We want you to have hope.
We want you to experience recovery.
We want you to live!***

The Impact of Addiction

The men and women of the Bucyrus Police Department see firsthand the impact of addiction. Those caught in the grip of heroin and opiate abuse feel hopeless and powerless to escape its grasp. Addiction causes pain and suffering, ruins lives, tears families apart and, all too often, results in death.

The Bucyrus Police Department's Operation HOPE seeks to reduce the impact of heroin and opiate abuse on our community, encourage those who suffer with addiction to seek help, find recovery and promote a healthier and safer community.

What We Promise to Do

- We will vigorously target and arrest those persons trafficking and dealing dangerous drugs.
- We will treat those suffering from addiction with compassion, care and concern – while fairly enforcing the law.
- We will allow you to voluntarily turn in drugs, needles and paraphernalia without fear of arrest.

In partnership with...



OPERATION HOPE

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“When you’re stuck in the cycle of addiction, recovery can seem out of reach. But change is possible! We stand ready to help.”



Getting Help

To help prevent overdoses, take dangerous drugs off the street, and get you the help you need, we offer the following services:

- **Drug Turn-In:** turn in heroin, opiates, needles and paraphernalia -- without fear of arrest. Come to the Bucyrus Police Department –500 S. Sandusky Ave.-- and tell us that you want help under Operation HOPE. We will take care of the disposal.
- **Recovery Support:** We will assist you in finding treatment. Through our partnership with the Police Assisted Addiction Recovery Initiative (PAARI) and the Crawford 20/20 Public Safety & Drug Abuse Action Team, you will be introduced to people who understand addiction and have experience in recovery. We will assign you a **“First Step Recovery Coach”** to help guide you through this next step.
- PAARI partners police with people suffering from heroin and opiate abuse, encourages them to seek recovery and helps connect them with treatment programs and facilities.

The Crawford: 20/20 Public Safety & Drug Abuse Action Team serves as a connection to local treatment resources for addiction. Its staff and volunteer members will serve as your “navigators,” giving you advice, support and guidance on your road to recovery. Available services include:

- **First Step Program**– A trained peer Recovery Coach will help you find support and resources to begin recovery and improve your quality of life. Your coach will be available, depending on needs to “check in,” make needed referrals, and help you stay connected to recovery.
- **Support Groups and Programs** – Crawford County has a variety of treatment options and support groups. This program will help you find the right fit for your situation.
- **Special Events** – A chance to enjoy the company of people who are also in recovery in a healthy and safe environment. Ask your coach for more details.

Bucyrus Police Dept.: 500 S. Sandusky Ave./419.562.1006/ 24 hours.

Crawford: 20/20 Vision; 117 E. Mansfield St./419.563.1809

EMERGENCY CRISIS LINE: 419.562.9010

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