

REVIVE! Trainers

Goal/Mission:

To support the efforts of local public health offices by providing community-based training to citizens on the proper use and administration of NARCAN to override an opioid overdose.

Responsibilities:

- Answer ALL alerts received from VVHS
- Complete the REVIVE! Community and the REVIVE! Train-the-Trainer courses
- Be willing to teach community groups on the proper way to administer NARCAN
- Work with SWVA Volunteer Training Coordinator to secure all the necessary support materials to conduct a community-based class, either virtually or in-person
- Follow-up with the Training Coordinator after the class to return any supplies
- Document all hours in SWVA MRC Hours and Responsibilities

Desired Results: To teach citizens on the hazards of an opioid use; teach the proper techniques for administering NARCAN if faced with an overdose; save lives.

Expectations: Be willing to teach classes when requested by local public health offices and Volunteer Training Coordinator either virtually or in-person. If so desired, to also be approved to dispense NARCAN through one of the three health districts.

Qualifications:

- Approved member of the SWVA MRC
- Successful completion of REVIVE! Train-the-Trainer and submission of Training Agreement
- Prior teaching experience is helpful, but not a requirement

Time Commitment: For each class including preparation, class instruction and follow-up evaluation approximately 4 Hours per class

Location/Site: Wherever trainer is willing to travel within the SWVA MRC region.

Supervision and Support: SWVA MRC Volunteer Training Coordinator and/or Unit Coordinator

Benefits: Development of teaching skills, providing support to local public health offices, professional skills development, learning public health protocols related to dispensing of naloxone.