



Arkansas
Opioid
Recovery
Partnership

HERO Proposal

Naloxone received through this program cannot be sold or disbursed to harm reduction programs for redistribution. First responders, who are eligible to receive naloxone plus training from a program provided by the University of Arkansas Criminal Justice Institute, are not eligible to apply for this program.

What is the Naloxone Community Hero (HERO) Project?

In 2022, the Arkansas Opioid Recovery Partnership (ARORP) created the Arkansas Naloxone Bank. Naloxone Community Heroes are organizations that apply for a credit to use at the Naloxone Bank to receive naloxone for distribution to families and others in need. Heroes host naloxone trainings and equip every trainee with a free dose of naloxone.

What is naloxone?

Naloxone is a medication that can reverse an opioid overdose within seconds without risk. ARORP supplies naloxone nasal spray.

How do you become a Naloxone Community Hero?

Apply for naloxone funding at www.arorp.com/funding-opportunities/. There is no deadline.

What will you need to include in your proposal?

- Signature approvals from mayor(s) and county judge(s) in your jurisdiction, which can be found at www.arorp.org/funding-opportunities/
- A data-driven explanation of your community's need for the program
- A brief explanation of what you hope to accomplish
- The amount of naloxone you would like to request for one year

What will be your responsibilities if selected?

- Distributing naloxone to families and others in need in your community
- Conducting naloxone trainings
- Collecting data on trainings and distribution
- Submitting quarterly reports detailing your progress