**State Opioid Response (SOR) Tier Award Program (TAP) 4.A-H Data Definitions**

This document contains definitions for terms describing data reporting expectations for SOR TAP 4.A-H subrecipients. All subrecipients are required to report on the universal measures for this program.

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| **Tier 4.A-H Universal Measures** |
| **Eligible** | **Screened** | **Positive** | **Referred** | **Engaged (Optional)** |
| Number of unduplicated clientswho were eligible for a screening in the lastmonth in emergency departments (ED). | Number of unduplicated clients who were due for a screening in the last month who were screened.  | Of those screened in the last month, the unduplicated count of those who were positive.  | Of those that screened positive in the last month, the unduplicated count of those who were referred to treatment. | Of those that screened positive in the month before last, the unduplicated number of those who were connected/engaged in treatment in the last month. |
| **How Much** | **How Much** | **How Much** | **How Much** | **How Well** |
| **Definitions*** **Unduplicated:** unique number of clients (not counted more than once).
* **Screening:** the use of a validated screening instrument to identify a client’s need for targeted intervention and/or treatment.
* **In the last month:** within the prior calendar month.
* **Positive:** when a client is identified as having substance use issues that require further intervention (i.e., brief intervention, referral to treatment), based on a validated screening instrument’s scoring methodology.
* **Brief intervention:** when a client is offered an intervention strategy to facilitate behavior change to reduce substance use.
* **Referred to treatment:** when a client is offered a referral for further assessment at an internal or external SUD treatment and/or recovery program.
* **Connected to/engaged in treatment:** when a client attends first appointment at an internal or external SUD treatment and/or recovery program.
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