

OVERVIEW OF THE FOUNDATION



OUR MISSION

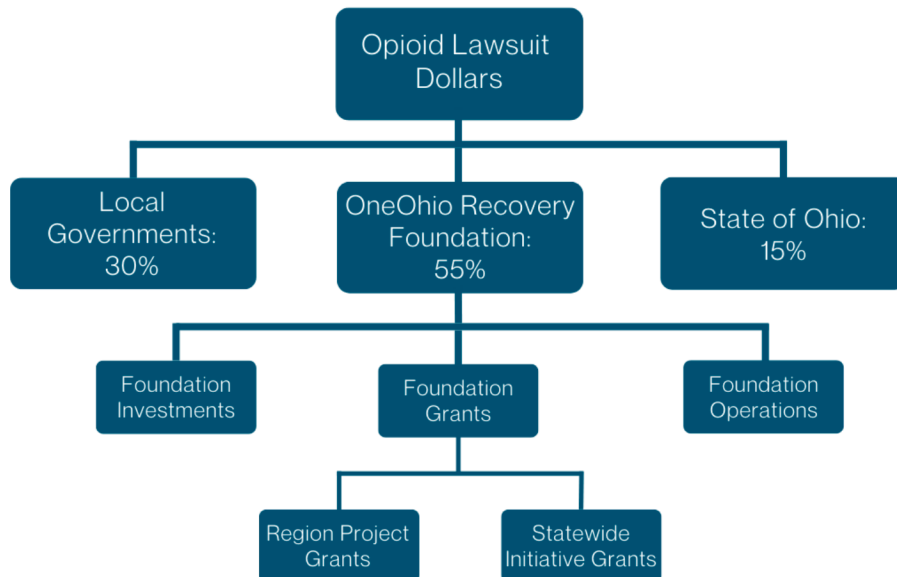
To partner with local organizations across Ohio to end the opioid epidemic and prevent its recurrence.

ABOUT THE FOUNDATION

The OneOhio Recovery Foundation is a private, non-profit foundation created under the leadership of Governor Mike DeWine and Attorney General Yost, and other state and local leaders, to distribute more than \$500 million that Ohio is on track to receive from pharmaceutical manufacturers, distributors and retailers as a consequence of their role in the national opioid epidemic. The Foundation is working with local interests to support their addiction treatment, recovery and prevention efforts and invest funds to support such efforts in the future.

BACKGROUND & TIMETABLE

- In 2020, Ohio's state and local leaders announced the OneOhio Plan, which established guidelines for state and local governments to engage in settlement negotiations and litigation with manufacturers, distributors and retailers of opioids. Formalized through the OneOhio Memorandum of Understanding, the plan provided a mechanism to distribute opioid litigation settlement funds.
- In 2021, an historic ~\$808 million settlement was reached with the three largest distributors of opioids: AmerisourceBergen, Cardinal Health and McKesson. A portion of the funds will go directly to the State of Ohio and local governments, while the remaining 55 percent will go to the OneOhio Recovery Foundation for distribution to organizations across Ohio for treatment, recovery and prevention efforts.
- Ohio is also part of seven other national opioid settlements with pharmaceutical companies, which will generate additional funds, and future lawsuits are possible.



BOTTOM LINE

With funds from the initial distributor settlement scheduled to flow to Ohio over the next 18 years, and additional funds expected in addition, the responsibility now comes to the Foundation to ensure that these resources are used wisely to benefit all Ohioans—today and in the future.