

CA OPIOID SETTLEMENTS
EXPENDITURE REPORTING FORM

SFY 2023 - 2024

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Integrated Substance Use and Addictions Programs



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Participating Subdivision: Paramount City
Subdivision Department/Organization: City of Paramount
Subdivision address: 16400 Colorado Avenue Paramount California 90723
Name of Preparer: Anthony Martinez
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This Subdivision received funds from:
Settlements Only

CA ABATEMENT ACCOUNT FUNDS INFORMATION

- Settlement(s):**
- Distributors (McKesson, Cardinal Health and Cencora, previously Amerisource Bergen)
 - Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

CA Abatement Payments:

Payments Received by this Subdivision from the CA Abatement Account Fund

Settlement	CA Abatement Account Payments Received in SFY 23-24
Distributors	\$3,042.26
Janssen	\$3,821.11

Is your Participating Subdivision depositing CA Abatement Accounts Fund payments from the National Settlement Administrator (Brown-Greer, PLC) into an interest-bearing account?: No

CA Abatement Reallocations:

Reallocations Sent: No funds received from the CA Abatement Account were reallocated to another Subdivision.

Reallocations Received: No funds received from the CA Abatement Account were reallocated from another Subdivision.

CA Abatement Expenditures:

How many total activities or programs funded by the funds from the CA Abatement Accounts Fund will you be reporting on for the SFY 23-24 (period of July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024)?: 1

Activity#1

Activity or Program Name: Care Solace

Activity or Program Description: Approved Uses Schedule B – Part 1: Treatment, C. Connect People Who Need Help to the Help They Need (Connections to Care) Care Solace provides online resources including a live 24/7 concierge designed to assist individuals in finding local mental health-related programs, substance use treatment providers, and counseling services. Care Solace’s proprietary database is integrated into every medical provider and insurance plan in the State of California, including free and sliding scale services for families with no medical insurance. Care Solace helps individuals, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, or financial situation, with particular focus dedicated to the inclusion of the unhoused population in various social services. The key benefits of Care Solace are that the platform provides real-time data on community mental health needs, including treatment categories, appointments booked, and demographics, which are critical in providing insights and developing action

plans. Care Solace would also help connect City staff and Paramount residents to the right help at the right time. The program supports equitable access to care regardless of medical coverage, including private insurance, Medicaid, and other sliding scale options for those without insurance. The City’s efforts to promote the service have been highly successful. The message has been effectively spread through various channels, including the Care Solace Paramount platform. Staff have consistently posted social media messages, and the program has been prominently featured on the City’s webpage. The resource has been actively promoted and mentioned at city events, and presentations have been made with community groups and stakeholders. Since the service’s implementation, the community’s reaction has been positive. Key performance indicators have been trending upwards, including inbound interactions, outbound communications, and resident-initiated cases. The service has proved to be an essential resource for the Paramount community and should be continued until June 30, 2025. Care Solace has allowed the City to offer residents direct referral options to much needed mental health and substance abuse services. The goal of this partnership has been to increase accessibility, match people with providers who

Activity Costs and Encumbered Funds

Settlement	Direct Costs in SFY 23-24	Indirect Costs (Admin. Expenses) in SFY 23-24	Funds Encumbered in SFY 23-24
Distributors	\$6,850.00	\$0.00	\$2,618.73
Janssen	\$6,850.00	\$0.00	\$4,226.92

Did you previously encumber funds for this activity in SFY 22-23 that were not expended in SFY 23-24?: No

Activity Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy): 12/01/2023

All local agencies or organizations who were given funds during SFY 23-24 to implement this activity:

Care Solace, Inc.

Allowable Expenditure Category: Connect People Who Need Help to the Help They Need (Connections to Care)

High Impact Abatement Activity (HIAA) Category

HIAA Satisfied	Reasoning
<p>HIAA 3: Addressing the needs of communities of color and vulnerable populations (including sheltered and unsheltered homeless populations) that are disproportionately impacted by SUD Please describe, including the populations this activity or program serves:</p>	<p>Care Solace navigates the mental health care system to find available providers matched to specific needs for those residing or those unsheltered homeless in the City of Paramount. The City of Paramount contains a population of 53,733 and a homeless population count of 49 individuals experiencing homelessness.</p>

CA SUBDIVISION FUND INFORMATION

Is your Participating Subdivision also a Plaintiff Subdivision?: No

SUMMARY

All tables below are based on information reported during the SFY 2023-24 only.

CA Abatement Account Fund Totals

Settlement	Payment	Interest	Reallocations Sent	Reallocations Received
Distributors	\$3,042.26	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Janssen	\$3,821.11	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$6,863.37	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

CA Abatement Account Activity Expenses

Settlement	Activity Expenses	Indirect Costs	23/24 Encumbered Funds	22/23 Encumbered Funds
Distributors	\$6,850.00	\$0.00	\$2,618.73	\$0.00
Janssen	\$6,850.00	\$0.00	\$4,226.92	\$0.00
Total	\$13,700.00	\$0.00	\$6,845.65	\$0.00