

Grant Name: Improving Outcomes for Children of Caregivers with Substance Use Disorders

Granting Agency: Partnership for Better Health

Grant Mechanism: Access for All Fund

Grant Awardee: National Prevention Science Coalition

Award: \$99,690

Investigators:

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Summary: The project is a partnership between the National Prevention Science Coalition and local partners in rural PA -- Cumberland Perry Counties. Local partners including The Cumberland-Perry Drug and Alcohol Commission, The Carlisle Early Education Center, The RASE Project, Hempfield Behavioral Health and the Dickinson College Center for Civic Engagement and Action. The project will provide evidence-based parenting support to caregivers in recovery from substance use disorders to prevent negative outcomes for their children and decrease the risk of caregiver relapse. We will make high-quality continuing education available to professionals serving these families, strengthen the support system for all parents by promoting existing parenting interventions, adding new interventions and introducing home-based parenting interventions for parents in recovery.