

Vancouver Detox

“VDC Boosters”

**We provide
inpatient level 4
withdrawal
management
services for the
VCH area
including
stabilization on
OAT's**

Boost Members

Olivia – OAT Nurse

Wade – Counsellor

Sam – Healthcare Worker

Frances – Healthcare Worker

Danny – Healthcare Worker

Avee – OAT Nurse

Nicole - Nurse

Crystal – Clinical Coordinator

Viki – Bed Coordinator

Mark – Physician Lead



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Aim Statement

**Clients retained on OAT
are less likely to
overdose**

**In the first 7 days
post discharge from
detox, ensure 85% of
clients are retained
on OAT**



Population Focus

- **Clients receiving care at VDC**
- **Who were treated and discharged on OAT**
- **And provided consent to participate**




Changes Tested

- **Barriers for gathering numbers for retention:**
 - **VDC is responsible for care while clients are admitted**
 - **VDC provide bridging scripts, as well as, discharge planning when clients complete program**
 - **BOOST challenge: how do we know if clients are still on OAT after they leave?**



- **Created a consent with input from VCH Privacy that allows us to access MediNet to review retention rates**
- **Doctors, nurses and health care workers started working together to speak with clients who are POF to explain the process and get consent**
- **Implemented a BOOST discharge checklist to support clients with transitioning/returning to OAT prescriber in community**

Progress Thus Far

 <p>Vancouver Coastal Health <small>Promoting wellness. Ensuring care.</small></p>	<p>Client Label</p>		
VDC ORT Discharge Checklist			
Current ORT:		End Date for ORT Script:	
Post Detox Plan:		DC Date:	
My Next Appointment(s)			
Name of Service Provider	Date	Time	Address & Phone Number
If a follow up appointment has not been scheduled, specify why not:			
<input type="checkbox"/> I do not wish to have follow-up appointment <input type="checkbox"/> I would prefer to schedule my own follow-up appointment (specify location) <input type="checkbox"/> I live out of town/country and will schedule my own follow-up appointment when I return. <input type="checkbox"/> I'm going to treatment centre or supported recovery with medical care and provider access on site <input type="checkbox"/> Client left against medical advice (AMA)			
Discharge Medications			
<input type="checkbox"/> I have received my discharge prescription		I will pick up my medication at:	
Other:			
Community Resources for Opiate Replacement Therapy			
Vancouver Connections Clinic 604.675.3600 623 Powell Street Mon-Fri, 8:30 am to 7:30pm Sat-Sun, 8:30am to 5:30pm no appointment required RAAC 604.806.8867 St. Paul's Hospital, 2 nd floor Burrard Building 9am – 4pm, 7 days/week	Richmond Anne Vogel Clinic 604.675.3975 #210-7671 Alderbridge Way Mon-Fri, 9am – 5pm Walk-ins 1pm-5pm	North Vancouver Stepping Stones 604.982.5616 #250-145 West 17 th Ave Mon- Fri, 8:30-4:30	Outreach Team Overdose Outreach Team 604.360.2874 Mon-Fri, 8am-8pm
Other:			



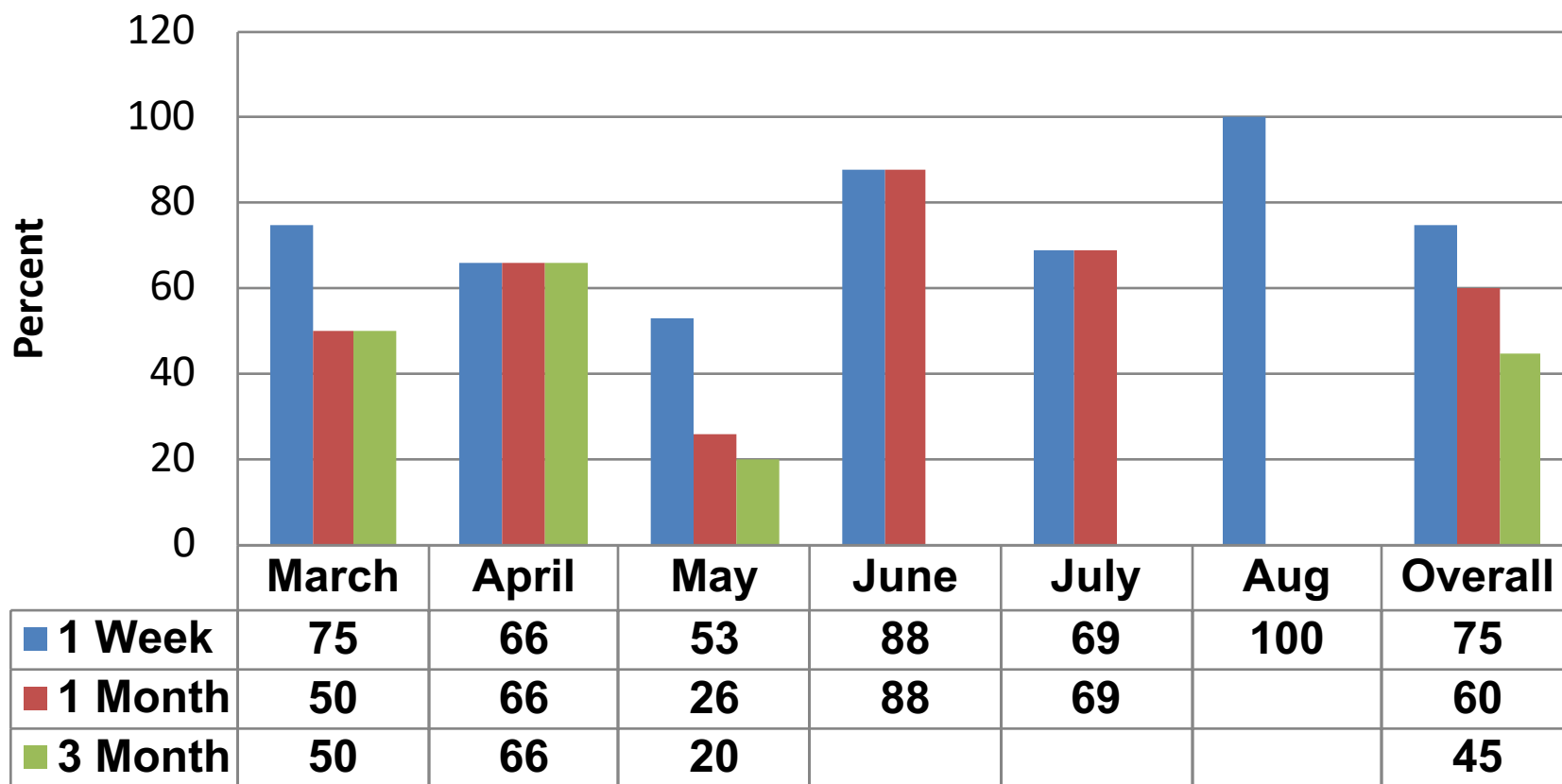
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Treatment Centre	Licenced Facility	Address	Suboxone	Methadone	Kadian	Benzo's	Doctor Availability	Nurse Availability	Rx requirements	Pharmacy Used
A Better Place	No	No published	Yes	Yes			No	No nurse		No specified. Clients possibly find their own pharmacy?
All My Relations	Yes	Surrey	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No nurse	DWI	People's Pharmachoice 104-8140 120 St. Surrey. Tel: 604 593 1788 Fax: 604 593 1769
Back on Track	Yes	9889 140th Street, Surrey	Yes	Yes			No	No nurse		
Baldy Hughes	Yes	3400 Blackwater Rd. Prince George								
Berman House	Yes	1400 Lakewood Drive. Vancouver								
BridgeWay Treatment										
Burnaby Centre	Yes	3405 Willingdon Ave. Burnaby	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
Cedars Treatment										
Central City Lodge	Yes	415 W. Pender Vancouver	Yes	Yes		No	Yes	No nurse	Daily delivery to CCL for RN witness	Remedy's Rx Pharmacy 790 E. Hastings Tel: 604 254 4633 Fax: 604 254 6453
Charlford House	Yes	6845 Kitchener St. Burnaby	Yes	Yes			Yes	No nurse		
Choices Recovery	No	6950 Balmoral Street. Vancouver	Yes	Yes			No	No nurse		
Comox Valley	Yes	Courtney								
Cwenengital	Yes	13632 110 A Ave, Surrey	Yes	Yes						
Dover Court	No	1066 Lynn Valley Rd, N Vancouver							Second Stage resource, clients should have completed treatment	
Edgewood										
Ellendale	Yes	15920 88A, Surrey	Yes	Yes			Yes	No nurse		
Finally Free Recovery House		9141 140 Steet. Vancouver								
Foundations		4575 Rumle Street. Vancouver								
Giving Back Society	No	3608 Knight Street. Vancouver	Yes	Yes			No	No nurse	Delivery to Giving Back	Fraser Pharamchoice 4207 Fraser Street Tel: 604 872 1151 Fax: 604872 1187
Glory House	Yes	1559 Grant Ave, Port Coquitlam	Yes	Yes						
Hanna House	Yes	1937 Prairie Ave. Port Coquitlam	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No nurse		
Harbour Light	Yes	119 E. Cordova	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No nurse	Delivery to HBL, will not accept 2 controlled prescriptions	Remedy's Rx Pharmacy 790 E. Hastings Tel: 604 254 4633 Fax: 604 254 6453



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% Retained on OAT Post-Detox



Lessons Learned

- **Supported OAT plans on discharge increase retention**
- **Retention falls at the 3 month mark, providing an opportunity to improve retention**



Looking Forward

- **Continue to use the OAT specific discharge planning order to improve retention rates for OAT**
- **Ensure we update the list of treatment and Support Recovery for better care coordination**



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