

BRADD REGIONAL ANCHOR PROJECT

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REGIONAL OFFICE OF DRUG CONTROL POLICY

An office of Drug Control Policy will be established for the entire region. This office will serve as point guard for all the projects within the region and help local decision makers maximize the use of federal, state and local dollars, including Opioid Abatement funds.

IMPACT:

312, 062 Citizens

10 Counties

25 Cities

7 County Jails

27 Law Enforcement Agencies

PROJECT NEEDS

The total project is **\$23M** (a one time capital expense of **\$20M** and **\$3M** towards other project components).

REGIONAL SYNERGY

The Anchor Project is the first of it's kind in Kentucky and the nation, attempting to blend evidence-based, regional models to anchor the sectors of prevention, treatment and recovery. Local decision makers in the BRADD region endorse this project and commit over **\$13M** of funds (land, city/county abatement funds, federal grants, etc.) to make this project a reality.

MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS INTAKE CENTER

The Mental Health Crisis Intake Center will become an anchor institution for the region. The ability to house a 24/7 triage, which will be located within LifeSkills umbrella of services, affords regional law enforcement and incarceration professionals a unique model of response. This will further mitigate countless expenses in man-hours and create thousands of dollars in savings to communities experiencing substance abuse and mental health crises.

LIFE LEARNING CENTER

On the northeast side of the region a Life Learning Center (LLC) will be established. LLC will take candidates who have been stabilized and place them in an evidence-based 12 week program to a substance free, gainfully employed life.

