



## 2024 ORS Annual Evaluation Survey - Public Health Analysts

Thank you for participating in this brief survey about your participation in the Overdose Response Strategy (ORS) program. With this annual survey, we are seeking to understand the components of partnership, networks and mutually reinforcing activities that lead to shared, effective efforts to reduce drug overdoses and save lives. The results will be used to measure the progression and impacts of this unique partnership. We're asking that you respond to the questions based on how the ORS program operated in 2024. The survey will take approximately 30 minutes to complete, and your responses are completely anonymous. The data collected from this survey will be summarized and no individual person will be identifiable from the summarized results. If you have questions or need help with the survey, please contact [ORSperformance@cdcfoundation.org](mailto:ORSperformance@cdcfoundation.org). We truly value your experience and feedback!

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Q1. When did your jurisdiction join the ORS program? \*

Select or enter value

Q2. Have you been in your role with the ORS for 6 or more months? \*

Select

### "Backbone" Support from the ORS Program

The ORS was created to help local communities reduce drug overdoses and save lives by sharing timely data, pertinent intelligence and evidence-based and innovative strategies. For the following questions, select the option that best describes to what extent you agree with the statement for the ORS program as it operated in 2024.

Q3. The ORS program builds a common understanding of the problem that needs to be addressed. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q4. The ORS program builds and maintains motivation among key stakeholders to achieve the program's goals. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q5. The ORS program provides support toward identified goals and opportunities, and identifies challenges and gaps. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q6. The ORS program understands how local context influences implementation of ORS goals. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q7. The ORS program is committed to and actively involved in achieving our state/jurisdictional goals. \*

- ☐ I don't know

- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q8. As a result of the involvement with the ORS program, public health and public safety collaboration and communication in my state/jurisdiction is stronger. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q9. As a result of the involvement with the ORS program, our state/jurisdictional efforts can better address overdoses. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q10. I feel supported in my role by ORS program leadership. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

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### Partner Relationships/Attributes

For the following questions, select the option that best describes to what extent you agree with the statement for your *ORS public health partner*. *"ORS public health partner"* refers to the primary public health agency that you are assigned to.

**Q11. My ORS public health partner has clear approaches/goals for our contribution to the ORS program. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q12. My ORS public health partner works collaboratively to identify and implement strategies. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q13. My ORS public health partner takes part in activities to build trust and connection across sectors. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q14. My ORS public health partner engages in frank, open and respectful discussion specifically about each other's needs and/or priorities as it relates to the ORS. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q15. My ORS public health partner is committed to and actively involved in achieving our state/jurisdictional ORS program goals. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

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For the following questions, select the option that best describes to what extent you agree with the statement for your **ORS public safety partner**. *"ORS public safety partner" refers to the HIDTA your DIO is assigned to.*

**Q16. My ORS public safety partner has clear approaches/goals for our contribution to the ORS program. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q17. My ORS public safety partner works collaboratively to identify and implement strategies. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q18. My ORS public safety partner takes part in activities to build trust and connection across sectors. \***

- ☐ I don't know

- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q19. My ORS public safety partner engages in frank, open and respectful discussion specifically about each other's needs and/or priorities as it relates to the ORS. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q20. My ORS public safety partner is committed to and actively involved in achieving our state/jurisdictional ORS program goals. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q21. Indicate the best fit for the current level of involvement with your ORS public health safety from your perspective. \***

- ☐ Networking
- ☐ Cooperation
- ☐ Coordination
- ☐ Full Collaboration

**Q22. Identify your desired level of involvement with this partner. \***

- ☐ Networking
- ☐ Cooperation
- ☐ Coordination
- ☐ Full Collaboration

**Q23. If you are not at your desired level of collaboration, what characteristics would need to change to reach it? \***

For the following questions, select the option that best describes to what extent you agree with the statement for your DIO.

**Q24. My DIO has clear approaches/goals for our contribution to the ORS program. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree

☒ Strongly agree

**Q25. My DIO works collaboratively to identify and implement strategies. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q26. My DIO takes part in activities to build trust and connection across sectors. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q27. My DIO engages in frank, open and respectful discussion specifically about each other's needs and/or priorities as it relates to the ORS. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q28. My DIO is committed to and actively involved in achieving our state/jurisdictional ORS program goals. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q29. I work with my DIO to develop and/or disseminate tools to enhance implementation of evidence-based programs and practices. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

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### Local Implementation of the ORS Partnership Model

For the following questions, select the option that best describes to what extent you agree with the statement for *all* ORS program state/jurisdictional partners as it operated in 2024.

**Q30. Together, my public health and public safety partners regularly share data, insights and trends we are seeing related to drug overdose in our communities. \***

- ☐ Agree

☐ Strongly agree

☐ Disagree

Please provide specific examples in your jurisdiction from 2024.

Optional: Please elaborate on your selection.

**Q31. Together, my public health and public safety partners inform and help local communities develop local solutions to reduce overdoses and save lives. \***

☐ Agree

☐ Disagree

Please provide specific examples in your jurisdiction from 2024.

Optional: Please elaborate on your selection.

**Q32. Together, my public health and public safety partners implement evidence-based response efforts that can directly reduce overdose deaths. \***

☐ Agree

☐ Disagree

Please provide specific examples in your jurisdiction from 2024.

Optional: Please elaborate on your selection.

**Q33. Together, my public health and public safety partners design and use promising strategies at the intersection of public health and public safety. \***

☐ Agree

☐ Disagree

Please provide specific examples in your jurisdiction from 2024.

Optional: Please elaborate on your selection.

**Q34. Together, my public health and public safety partners implement evidence-informed prevention strategies that can reduce substance use and overdose. \***

- ☐ Agree  
☐ Disagree

**Please provide specific examples in your jurisdiction from 2024.**

**Optional: Please elaborate on your selection.**

**Q35. The ORS partners in my state/jurisdiction are doing a good job leveraging the strengths and assets of public health to reduce fatal and non-fatal overdoses. \***

- ☐ Agree  
☐ Disagree

**Please describe specific strengths and assets used.**

**Optional: Please elaborate on your selection**

**Q36. The ORS partners in my state/jurisdiction are doing a good job leveraging the strengths and assets of public safety to reduce fatal and non-fatal overdoses. \***

- ☐ Agree  
☐ Disagree

**Please describe specific strengths and assets used.**

**Optional: Please elaborate on your selection.**

**Q37. Since partnering with the ORS program, my public health partner is making improved decisions about policies or programs, and the use of resources to reduce fatal and non-fatal overdoses. \***

- ☐ Agree  
☐ Disagree

**Please describe specific decisions made about policies and programs or use of resources.**

**Optional: Please elaborate on your selection.**

Q38. What communities experience greater burden of overdose in your jurisdiction, and how has your ORS partnership worked to reduce these disparities?

Q39. How has your ORS partnership addressed social, structural, and systemic factors that impact substance use and overdose?

## Doing the Work

Q40. The state/jurisdictional ORS Action Plan captures the shared priorities for the ORS team in my jurisdiction. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q41. I am directly involved with achieving the goals of the ORS Action Plan. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q42. I am clear on my roles and responsibilities to achieve the goals in our ORS Action Plan. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q43. I am clear on the roles and responsibilities of my DIO to achieve the goals in our ORS Action Plan. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

Q44. My public health partner provides the necessary support to achieve the goals in our ORS Action Plan. \*

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree



- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

**Q45. My public safety partner provides the necessary support to achieve the goals in our ORS Action Plan. \***

- ☐ I don't know
- ☐ Strongly disagree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Strongly agree

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### Impact of Partnership

**Q46. Looking back at 2024, what do you think was the most significant change in collaboration across public health and public safety in your jurisdiction as a result of your participation in the ORS? \***

**Q47. What have been the most challenging aspects of this collaboration? \***

**Q48. What suggestions or ideas do you have for improving collaboration between public health and public safety partners? \***

**Q49. In what ways have overdose and related trends changed in the last year, if at all, as a result of public health-public safety partnership in your jurisdiction? \***

**Q50. What about the ORS program has been the most impactful on your public health partner's ability to contribute to the reduction of fatal and non-fatal overdoses? \***



Q51. What about the ORS program has been the most impactful on your public safety partner's ability to contribute to the reduction of fatal and non-fatal overdoses? \*

Q52. What is your vision for the future of the ORS program? \*

Q53. Is there any other feedback you would like to share? (optional)

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