



Positive Direction and Associates, Inc.

The Opioid Epidemic

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We have moved: KeyBank Center 50 Fountain Plaza, Suite 1400 Buffalo, NY 14202

Opioid Use Disorder and Pregnancy Training - A Success!

This training focused on the infants related to the opioid epidemic and how the qualified health professionals can properly assist the women pre-natal and post - natal. The subtopics included group activities, counseling techniques and information on aftercare for the mom and continued care for the infant. This training was very successful and included all qualified health professions. Positive Direction and Associates will be providing this training in the Niagara County area in the late fall 2016.



Current Training / Media Coverage

[Opioid Training at Erie County Medical Center!](#)

[Management of Opioid Dependency and Pregnancy](#)

[NPR's story - Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome \(NAS\)](#)

[Week of Hope and Healing in Jamestown, New York](#)

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:



Nationally as well as in Erie and Niagara Counties we are all faced with an opioid epidemic. Although statistics from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention states that Opioid prescriptions have reached its first time low in several years, however, this does not include the many infants that are born exposed to prescription medications. Positive Direction and Associates, Inc. continues to train and discuss the long term effects of opioid exposure on infants in their pre-school and school age years. PDA, Inc. continues to have relationships with Obstetricians / Gynecologists in the Western New York area providing education to women prior to birth and postpartum. PDA, Inc. continues to provide training on heroin use disorder and the effects on families. If you are interested in a training at your agency / practice or would like more information please contact 716-906-8118 or info@pdawny.com.

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