

# CRT Quarter 1 Impact Report

## CRT 2.0 VISION STATEMENT

The goal of the Community Resiliency Team (CRT) initiative is to collaboratively build capacity and infrastructure in partnership with public, private, and philanthropic agencies to improve community awareness and knowledge of public health threats, prevention, and mitigation strategies and increase access to support and resources.

## CRT LEADERSHIP

The Community Resiliency Teams (CRTs) are an equity-based model for bi-directional communication and coordination across Marin. Marin County Public Health has 3-year contracts with Lead Agencies for the following geographical zones:

- Novato: North Marin Community Services
- San Rafael: Canal Alliance
- West Marin: West Marin Community Services and San Geronimo Valley Community Center
- Southern Marin: Marin County Cooperation Team

The Structure: Each Lead Agency engages local community partners (Zone Partners) who comprise their team. Zone Partners include community-based organizations, schools, community health clinics, the business community, faith-based organizations, neighborhood response groups, local safety partners, and city and county representatives. This report highlights the cumulative impact of activities conducted from July to September 2024.

## IMPACT SNAPSHOT

11,000

Community Members were provided in person outreach, education, or training for our priority topics from CRT Lead Agency staff

545

Naloxone boxes distributed this quarter through CRTs

433

Community members received Naloxone training



**GOAL**

**OBJECTIVE**

**OUTCOME**

Increase Community Preparedness

Strengthen emergency preparedness through active engagement and collaboration

- Every Agency conducts outreach and education to increase personal preparedness and AlertMarin signups.
- This quarter, 219 Community members participated in Emergency Preparedness meetings and trainings hosted by our CRT Lead Agency Staff

Overdose Prevention

Reduce drug overdose risk by enhancing naloxone access, providing education and training, and implementing evidence-based strategies.

- Each agency educates people on the importance and use of Naloxone through in-person training, events, and outreach.
- Each agency distributes and increases access to Naloxone.

Increase Access to Services

Increase successful navigation of access points to healthcare and services.

- 407 individuals received COVID-19 supplies (test kits, masks, sanitizers).
- 179 persons attended MCCT’s Heart and Student Health Day; 26 were provided health services; 25 trained in AED use/hands only CPR and 20 persons signed up for Alert Marin.

## **SUCCESS HIGHLIGHTS**

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### **Increasing Community Preparedness**

The Novato CRT focuses on wildfire prevention, analyzing findings from October 2023 Wildfire Risk Perception surveys conducted by NMCS staff and Promotores. They are working with Marin Wildfire Protection Agency, Fire Safe Marin, County EOC, and Fire District on a community outreach pilot set for October 2024. Efforts include improving Spanish resources for the Latino community and creating a resource folder for Novato Unified School District Newcomer students and families with essential information on emergency preparedness and evacuation.

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### **Overdose Prevention**

San Rafael CRT's Community Health Workers educate the public on overdose prevention and naloxone use through outreach initiatives. They produce instructional videos and utilize resources from OD Free Marin. To date, they have engaged with 623 community members via door-to-door outreach and distributed 914 flyers, enhancing naloxone access and availability, ultimately saving lives.

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### **Increase Access to Services**

West Marin CRT conducted a Lifesaving Skills Training in Point Reyes with 13 participants, boosting their confidence in handling medical emergencies. This training sparked discussions about mapping AEDs in West Marin for community awareness. They are also planning Four Health and Wellness Fairs with 38 exhibitors offering direct access to services like vaccinations, emergency preparedness resources, and health education.

Southern Marin CRT organized a Heart and Student Health Day Health Fair to provide direct onsite access to services at St. Andrew Presbyterian Church. This event attracted 179 attendees. Of these, 26 received health services, 25 were trained in AED usage and hands-only CPR, and 20 individuals registered for AlertMarin.

All CRTs are working with Marin County EMS, Public Health, and MMRC to increase AED locations, access, and Life-saving Skills training across the Community.