



CITY OF CLEVELAND

Mayor Justin M. Bibb

PUBLIC HEALTH

MEMO TO: Community Partners

RE: CenterPoint SUD Services

DATE: June 10, 2024

FROM: David Margolius, MD

Effective May 31, 2024 The Cleveland Department of Public Health (CDPH) will no longer be providing substance use disorder treatment services through the CenterPoint Program located at the J. Glen Smith Health Center. This decision was made due to a number of factors, including staff capacity and the evolving needs in the community. CDPH is turning the full attention of the Office of Mental Health and Addiction Recovery (OMHAR) to utilizing a public health approach to combatting the opioid epidemic in the city of Cleveland. The current resources afforded to CDPH and our staff are more impactful providing public health messaging, community outreach, education, screening and referrals.

We thank you for this partnership and for support over the years. We look forward to serving the community in new and innovative ways. Should you have questions about the CDPH Office of Mental Health and Addiction Recovery and our current endeavors, please do not hesitate to reach out to the OMHAR Project Coordinator, Samantha Holmes, at 216-664-3920 or sholmes@clevelandohio.gov.

