An Overview of the Virtual Opioid Dependency Program VODP - Indigenous Partnerships

December 10, 2025

1:30-3:00pm MT

VODP is a virtual-based program that supports rapid access to care for all Albertans seeking opioid addiction treatment. Focusing on collaborative partnerships specific to Indigenous communities within the province of Alberta and highlighting other specialized teams throughout VODP.



This session was set up in collaboration with the Alberta Indigenous Virtual Care Clinic (AIVCC)



Learning Outcomes:

- Understanding of VODP models of care specific to creating Partnerships with Indigenous communities within Alberta
- Understand how to access opioid treatment through VODP
- Learn and become familiar with VODP supports, resources and specialized teams that are offered

Speakers:

Jessie Heidt - Registered Psychiatric Nurse, Recovery Alberta - Virtual Opioid Dependency Program, Indigenous Partnerships Lead Case Manager (Adults). Worked frontline addictions for 17 years, now assisting in the development of VODP Indigenous Partnerships, building and creating trust and collaborative relationships with healthcare providers and community memebrs within Indigenous Communities, including reservations and settlements.





Target Audience: Anyone working with individuals or organizations that support/treat those struggling with Opioid Use Disorder

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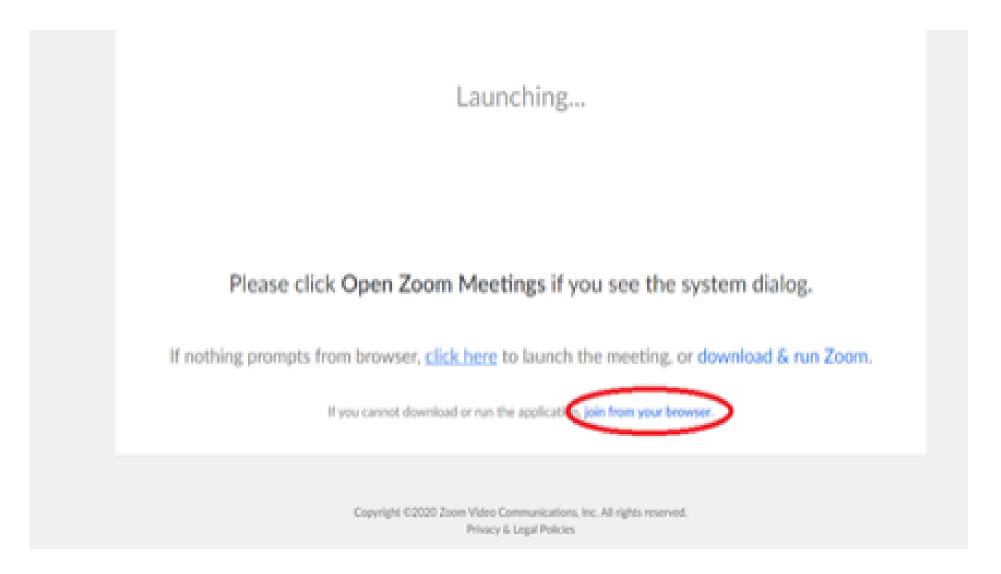
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