Participating Law Enforcement Agencies

- Amherst
- Buffalo
- Cheektowaga
- Depew
- East Aurora
- Erie County Sheriff’s Office
- Evans
- Town of Hamburg
- Lancaster
- Niagara Falls
- NFTA (Niagara Frontier Transportation Authority)
- Orchard Park
- Town of Tonawanda

FAQs

When can I enter the REAP Program?
The program is available Monday–Friday from 7am–2pm

Can I bring someone with me?
Yes

What is an “Angel”?
Angels are trained volunteers who are there to support you

Why can’t I go to any police station?
Not all police departments are participating in REAP

Do I need health insurance to enter REAP?
No – we will work to connect you to treatment even if you have no insurance

Where will I go for treatment?
We will look at local treatment agencies first, but if there are no openings, we will look in other areas of NY State

Can I bring in someone if they do not want treatment?
No – this is a voluntary program and all clients need to be ready to enter treatment

What happens after hours (2PM—7AM)?
The Addictions Hotline (716) 831-7007 is available 24/7 and can connect you with treatment and support
What is REAP?

REAP is a revolutionary and collaborative law enforcement approach to the opiate epidemic.

REAP aims to get people with addictions the help they need, instead of arresting them and putting them in handcuffs.

- When a person addicted to opiates comes to a police department in REAP they will be assessed and connected to treatment and services
- Clients will be assessed for appropriateness for both in-patient and out-patient treatment
- Transportation to local facilities will be provided (if available)

Get Connected to Treatment

- Come to a REAP police department
  Monday—Friday
  7AM—2PM

- Call—
  **ADDICTIONS HOTLINE**
  (716) 831-7007
  24 HOUR
  SUPPORT • LINK TO TREATMENT • REFERRAL

At the Police Station

- When you are ready for treatment and support, come to a REAP police department
- Police will search you and confiscate drugs and drug paraphernalia — you will not be charged or interrogated
- If you have an outstanding warrant, you will be arrested
- People with prior convictions can participate in REAP
- You will talk to a counselor to be assessed for treatment
- An Angel volunteer will be assigned to support you while you wait to be linked to treatment
- You may be transported to another location for an in person assessment if needed

You will be connected to treatment and support