

Outstanding Individual: Service for a Local Community QRT, Outreach, and Engagement Effort

Joe Cantrell- Fayette County, OH PORT

About Awardee: Joe Cantrell is the RCORP Project Director/QRT Coordinator for Fayette County. Since 2018, Joe Cantrell has used his passion for recovery and prevention to become a distinguished team leader in Fayette County, Ohio. Joe Cantrell is known for his role as Project Director and both Fayette County Overdose Response Team and Pathways to Recovery founder, which are programs within Community Action Commission of Fayette County. Joe began his journey at Pathways to Recovery as a Peer Support Specialist in 2018, was promoted to Team Lead Peer Support Specialist/CDCA in 2019, was promoted to Mobility Manager and Wellness Program Coordinator in 2020 and was finally promoted to Project Director in 2021. In addition to his primary role in the community, Joe Cantrell is also recognized and held in high esteem for his own, personal story of recovery. Joe Cantrell has also been credited for his extensive and diligent work towards combating the opiate epidemic.