

Local Advisory Council (LACADA)

In accordance to (P.L. 1989, Chapter 51), the LACADA consists of members appointed by the Board of Chosen Freeholders to assist in the development of the annual comprehensive plan for substance abuse services. The LACADA and the county director of alcohol and drug services work in identifying appropriate prevention, intervention, treatment and aftercare services or in responding to priority service needs.

The two subcommittees of the LACADA include the Professional Advisory Council (PACADA), which serves as an adjunct to the LACADA and is comprised of service providers; and the County Alliance Steering Subcommittee (CASS) which assists in the development of the county municipal alliance plan, establishes guidelines for the allocation of alliance funds and coordinate prevention efforts among and within municipalities.