# Ohio's State Opioid and Stimulant Response (SOS) Grant

# **Postcard Reminders for Reassessments**

<u>Directions</u>: This document has sample language for creating postcard reminders for clients about upcoming follow-up assessments. Customize the template to suit the needs of your agency, including using appropriate local logo and agency contact information.

As a reminder, for confidentiality reasons, you will want to use neutral stationery, a neutral greeting, and a neutral return address. You do not want to mentioning drugs, alcohol, mental health treatment, or the name of a treatment agency. "Community Health Study" is a neutral phrase you can use. Consider including an 800-number.

For printing the postcards, here are guidelines from the United States Postal Service regarding the mailing dimensions for post cards.

There are two versions of reminder postcards:

#### Almost Time for Your 6-month Reassessment

 Send this postcard 30 days before the client's 6-month reassessment window opens, around 120 days after the baseline assessment

#### Time for Your 6-month Reassessment

Send this postcard after the 6-month reassessment window opens, around 150 days after the
baseline assessment

## Almost Time for Your 6-month Reassessment

[YOUR PROGRAM NAME] would like to schedule your follow-up assessment that is due soon. Please call us at [PHONE NUMBER] to schedule this quick assessment.

This confidential interview takes less than 15 minutes.

[YOUR AGENCY NAME, CONTACT INFO, LOGO]

## **Time for Your 6-month Reassessment**

[YOUR PROGRAM NAME] has been trying to contact you for an upcoming assessment. Please call us at [PHONE NUMBER].

The assessment takes less than 15 minutes.

[YOUR AGENCY NAME, CONTACT INFO, LOGO]