First Responder Appreciation Week: May 3 – 9, 2020
2 Ways to Help Us Say THANK YOU!

May 3-9, 2020 is the statewide celebration of First Responder Appreciation Week. First responders bring help and hope year-round, so we wanted to find a way to keep the thanks going all year-round too. That’s where you come in!

We want to thank first responders for their care and compassion when responding to overdoses and administering Narcan to save lives.

Here are the two ways you can participate:

1. Individuals in recovery, family members, friends and others can write thank you cards to first responders. Free thank you cards are available to use, which you can pick up at the ADAMHS Board.

Once you’re done writing cards, they can be sent to or dropped off at the ADAMHS Board so we can send them out during First Responder Appreciation Week. There will be a basket at the reception desk at the ADAMHS Board where you can drop them off. If you would like to mail them, please send to:

ADAMHS Board of Cuyahoga County
ATTN: Jake Rosebrock
2012 W. 25th Street, 6th Floor
Cleveland, OH 44113

Thank you cards are due by April 17.

2. Are you in recovery from a substance use disorder? We are looking for twelve people in recovery to share a thank you photo and short (one sentence) thank you message for a thank you calendar that will be sent to police, fire and EMS stations across Cuyahoga County. By creating a calendar we can share thank you messages with first responders year-round!

Please send your photo, Calendar Thank You Message Form, and Photo Release Form (both on back) to jrosebrock@adamhsc.org. Please make sure you take your photo in front of a plain background and hold up a handwritten thank you sign.

Calendar thank you message submissions are due by March 6.
Calendar Thank you Message Form

First Name: ____________________________ *only first name will appear on calendar

In recovery since _______________________________________

Thank you message (For space limitations please keep to one sentence): ________________
___________________________________________________________________________

Do you have a specific first responder you want to thank? If so, please provide their name, the
city they work for, and what type of first responder they are (firefighter, police officer, paramedic
or EMT):
_________________________________________________________________________

Contact Information (Will only be used if we need to reach you, and it will not be shared.)

Phone Number: _______________________ Email: __________________________________

Photo Release and Authorization Form

I hereby grant permission to the Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Board of
Cuyahoga County (ADAMHS Board) to use my name, likeness, image and/or photograph in
official ADAMHS Board printed publications, multi-media presentations, Website or other media
without further consideration. I acknowledge the ADAMHS Board’s right to crop or treat
photographs at its discretion. This authorization includes, but is not limited to, the right to edit or
duplicate and to use or reuse my name, likeness and/or image in whole or in part.

I acknowledge that I have no interest or ownership in the publications in whole or part. I authorize
the right to broadcast, exhibit, market, sell and otherwise distribute the publications or programs,
either in whole or in part, and either alone or with other products.

In consideration of all of the above, I hereby acknowledge receipt of reasonable and fair
consideration.

I also agree to indemnify and hold harmless from any claims the following:

• All Directors of the Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Board of Cuyahoga County
• All Employees of the Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Board of Cuyahoga County
• Cuyahoga County

I have read the above Release and Authorization and understand its content and agree to be
bound by its terms.

Print Name: ____________________________________

Signature: ________________________________      Date: ___________________