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DAVIDSON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT HIRES SUBSTANCE ABUSE COORDINATOR

In response to the opioid abuse and misuse crisis, with the support of the Davidson County Board of Health and the Davidson County Board of Commissioners, the Davidson County Health Department has hired a Substance Abuse Coordinator. Mr. J. Tysinger began work at the Health Department in August 2019.

Mr. Tysinger's position at the Health Department is one of the first of its kind in the state of North Carolina and is continually evolving. Currently, Mr. Tysinger is the point of contact for the community regarding substance abuse and is available to help direct citizens to a variety of resources within Davidson County and across the state. In addition to assisting with resources, Mr. Tysinger is committed to public awareness and education about substance abuse and addiction. He is actively looking for grant funding opportunities and programs to implement in Davidson County to address substance abuse issues.

Mr. Tysinger is available for questions regarding substance abuse treatment options, educational speaking engagements, community collaborations to address substance abuse, and other partnerships as requested.

Mr. Tysinger can be reached at (336)242-2356.