

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL  
Snohomish County, Washington

NOTICE OF ENACTMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on November 27, 2024, the Snohomish County Council approved Ordinance No. 24-092.

ORDINANCE NO. 24-092

APPROVING DATA SHARING AGREEMENT WITH WASHINGTON STATE  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

**Background:** The ordinance approves a Data Sharing Agreement for Snohomish County to access Washington State Department of Health's Washington Emergency Medical Services Information Systems (WEMSIS) portal for confidential information or limited datasets. The WEMSIS provide quarterly county opioid analytic datasets. These datasets are needed to identify areas in Snohomish County with higher rates of opioid responses to better address the local public health approach and resource allocation and serve as input for the comprehensive analysis of violence across Snohomish County and will contribute to a county-wide report focusing on injury and violence among youth and young adults in Snohomish County. The Snohomish County Health Department will integrate this data into a visual map, plotting where events took place throughout Snohomish County and overlaying various community resources to determine proximity to care in addition to integrate with various other data streams. Data will only be used by Snohomish County staff for informing public health interventions.

**For More Information:** Copies of the ordinance and related documents are available upon request by calling the Council Office at (425) 388-3494, 1(800) 562-4367 x3494, TDD 1(800) 877-8339, or by e-mailing [Contact.Council@snoco.org](mailto:Contact.Council@snoco.org). The ordinance is also available on the Council's website at <https://snohomish.legistar.com/Default.aspx> (File # 2024-2623) or <https://snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/Council-Hearings-Calendar>.

Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024.

/s/ Elena Lao, CMC  
Deputy Clerk of the Council

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