

Governor's Commission for a Drug Free Indiana

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Comprehensive Community Plan

County: Newton

LCC: Coalition for a Drug Free Newton County

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New Plan Plan Update



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Summary of the Comprehensive Community Plan:

As a Coalition we will work collaboratively with local organizations by providing the most recent prevention, treatment and enforcement information to local organizations , schools and grantees. The intent is to assist all in providing a strong program that effectively reduces ATOD abuse and use in the county among the youth and adult populations.

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C. PS#1 Goals:

1. **Show a 1% decline in alcohol usage at the end of this year.**

PS#1 End of Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:

1. **We did not show a 1% decline in alcohol usage this year.**
- 2.
- 3.

PS#1 End of Year 2 Annual Benchmarks:

1. **We did not show a 1 % decline in alcohol usage this year.**
- 2.
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PS#1 Goals Final Report (end of Year 3):

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D. PS#1 Objectives:

1. **Educate the adult population regarding the financial and legal ramifications of providing alcohol to minors.**
2. **Promote and encourage parent and child education program for early childhood and elementary grades with focus on healthy lifestyles without ATOD.**
3. **Encourage the school corporations to participate annually in the IPRC survey.**
4. **Coordinate with student leaders leadership programs stressing healthy lifestyles absent ATOD.**
5. **Support alcohol servers training through the Excise Division for all establishments who serve alcohol.**
6. **Support law enforcement and judicial system in it s effort to reduce ATOD availability to minors.**

PS#1 Objectives End of Year 1 Update:

1. **Excise officers provided information to local businesses. Material was available at the fair for the public at large.**
2. **Project Care had 401 individual contacts with 24 different students participate in the after school program. Project Care partnered with the Town of Mount Ayr which provided scholarships and awards for community involvement activities.**

consumption and tobacco violations. Training materials and equipment necessary were also provided.

PS#1 Objectives End of Year 2**Update:**

- 1. Excise officers provided information to local businesses.**
- 2. Project Care made home contacts encouraging students and parents participation in the after school program. The after school program provides tutoring for students, games, community project planning and service. Project Care partnered with the Town of Mt. Ayr; St. Joseph College, Group Community Foundation of Monsanto. Students actively participated in the planning and execution of the quarterly community activities.**
 - a. The Extension Homemakers partnered with the neighboring vendors, schools, student and adult volunteers, and provided 329 book bags filled with school supplies to needy students in the elementary schools.**
 - b. Wellness and Parent programs included:**
 - i. ACES All Children Exercise Simultaneously – took place in April in all County Elementary Schools. Each School planned physical activity between 15-30 minutes simultaneously to promote a healthy lifestyle. Each Student(1,325) received a Don't Let Drugs Twist Your Mind Pretzel Pack.**
 - ii. Walk/Run Fitness Campaign; May race in Morocco Homecoming Hustle (138 participants) Goodland grand Prix (54 participants) All received a Smoke Free Bookmark, Pencil, Don't Let Drugs Twist Your Mind Pretzel Pack, and Off to a Healthy Start bag.**
 - iii. Storytime @ Punkvin Fair July 16 and 17. There was an average of 23 children and 22 adults per night. The children and adults listened to a story and did hands-on crafts and activities. All received drug free bag with living a healthy lifestyle message.**
 - iv. Walk/Run Fitness Campaign Punkin Vine activity. Brook campaign had 90 Walkers/Runners;Punkin Vine had 83. 38 people who participated in all three races earned an "I Run This Series" t-shirt.**
 - v. World Wide Day of Play This event officially began on all US Nickelodeon Channels in October of 2004. Kids, Families, and volunteers (approximately 72) came to our event and were treated to a Zoo Adventure. Each station, designed and implemented by South Newton Child Development Students and South Newton Child Development Teacher. All participants received drug free information.**

- a. 2010 showed 142 adult alcohol arrests / 147 drug in NC.
- b. 2010 there were 33 Crisis Center clients of which 33% used alcohol and other drugs.

PS# 2 Supportive Data End of Year 1 Update:

- 1. 54 OWI arrests and 15 Public Intoxication in 2012
- 2. Data for 2011 was not available at this time. When received, it will be updated.
- 3. Data for 2011 line item was not available at this time. When received, it will be updated.
- 4. Total arrest rate between 2011 and 2012 increased by 1%.
- 5. 2012 showed 98 adult alcohol arrests / 128 drug arrests.
- 6. 2012 there were 37 Crisis Center clients 56% used alcohol and other drugs.

PS# 2 Supportive Data End of Year 2 Update:

- 1. 2013 there were 79 OWI and PI arrests.
- 2. 2012 NC a higher alcohol arrest rate of 7.3 percent than the State average of 2.7 percent for alcohol impaired crashes non fatality crashes.
- 3. Could not locate this information.
- 4. Arrest rate 36% less for 2013 than 2012.
- 5. 2013 had 79 adult alcohol arrests / 86 drug arrests
- 6. 2013 had 56 Crisis Center clients / 66% used alcohol and other drugs

PS# 2 Supportive Data Final Update (end of Year 3):

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C. PS# 2 Goals:

- 1. Show a 1% decline in adult alcohol usage each year.

PS# 2 End of Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:

- 1. We did not show a 1% decline in adult alcohol usage this year.
- 2.
- 3.

PS# 2 End of Year 2 Annual Benchmarks:

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A. Problem Statement #3: Tobacco and other illegal drug use by adults and youth continue to be a concern in Newton County.

B. PS#3 Support Data

1. 5 expulsions for drug use; 15 suspensions for tobacco use, 2010
2. 33 Crisis center clients 60% smoked tobacco; 33% used drugs/alcohol.
3. Juvenile probation reported 38% of children arrested admitted to drug use.

PS#3 Supportive Data End of Year 1 Update:

1. 1 student expulsions for drug use; 16 student suspensions for tobacco use 2012; 113 adult drug violations.
2. 37 Crisis Center clients, 56% used Alcohol and Other Drugs. Data did not specify a number using alcohol and a number using tobacco.
3. 9 juvenile arrests, 33% were drug violations.

PS#3 Supportive Data End of Year 2 Update:

1. 3 student expulsions for drug use; 21 suspensions for tobacco use; 86 adult drug violations.
2. 56 Crisis Center clients, 66% used Alcohol and Other Drugs.
3. 6 juvenile alcohol arrests; 8 juvenile drug arrests.
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- 5.

PS#3 Supportive Data Final Update (end of Year 3):

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C. PS#3 Goals:

1. Show a 1% decline in substance abuse usage among youth and adults.

PS#3 End of Year 1 Annual Benchmarks:

1. Reviewing that data collected, we did not reach the annual benchmark of a 1% decline in substance abuse usage among youth and adults.

PS#3 End of Year 2 Annual Benchmarks:

- v. The county fair afforded the coalition the opportunity to several week long activities. All partners within the Coalition shared evening time at the Coalition booth in the Merchants building and in the Domestic arts building. Activities were age appropriate. The Merchant build display consisted of educational literature regarding current issues existing within the community, ie: improper disposal of prescription drugs, party drugs, ramifications of underage drinking for adults and students, drug paraphernalia, meth labs, etc. Bulletin boards with displays and question regarding the various themes prompted many discussion with fairgoers.
2. School corporations were asked to participate in the IPRC survey. One did and one did not.
 3. . The Child Development partnered with the Wellness and Parenting group through Step Ahead and assisted with; Eating Your Way to Better Health; Jr. Master Gardner and Walk/Run/Fitness activities.
 4. Did not do.

PS#3 Objectives End of Year 2 Update:

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Date of Community Consultant Review:

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LOCAL DRUG FREE COMMUNITIES FUND INFORMATION

(1) Amount deposited into the drug-free communities fund during the most recent, complete calendar year, per the County Auditor:

- The Newton County Auditor’s office deposited into the LCC’s Drug-Free Community Fund from fees collected last calendar year,
- rolled over from unused funds from the previous year.
- total amount available for programs and administrative costs for the upcoming calendar year.

