

# The Indiana Commission to Combat Drug Abuse



*Behavioral Health Division*

## Comprehensive Community Plan (2025)

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## **Vision Statement**

What is your Local Coordinating Council's vision statement?

The vision statement of the Greene County LCC is to actively support local agencies in their efforts to reduce the use and abuse of mood-altering substances within Greene County.

## **Mission Statement**

What is your Local Coordinating Council's mission statement?

The Local Coordinating Council of Greene County shall develop, coordinate, and proactively promote local efforts to prevent the use and/or reduce the effects of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs among the citizens of Greene County.

<b>Membership List</b>					
<b>#</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>Gender</b>	<b>Category</b>
1	Nicole Noel	GCAD	W	F	Treatment
2	Heather Stone	GCAD	W	F	Treatment
3	Christa Turpin	Middle Way	W	F	Prevention
4	Jeanana Sanders	GC Probation	W	F	Criminal Justice
5	Bridget Blanton	GC Superior Court	W	F	Criminal Justice
6	Hon. Dena Martin	GC Superior Court	W	F	Criminal Justice
7	Representative	Hamilton Center	W	M	Treatment
8	David Dean	Bloomfield Schools	W	M	Prevention
9	Josh Goodman	Linton Schools	W	M	Prevention
10	Deb Hoesman	Legacy Associates	W	F	Treatment
13	Jacob Gambill	Worthington Police Department	W	F	Prevention
14	Paul Clark	Linton Police	W	M	Criminal Justice
16	Representative	Sheriff's Dept.	W	M	Criminal Justice
17	Representative	Open Arms	W	M	Prevention
20	Jeff Gambill	Shakamak Schools	W	M	Prevention
22	Heather Scott	Humble Grace	W	F	Recovery Community
23	Tim Cochren	Rebuilt Ministries	W	M	Recovery Community
24	Bobby Pierce	WRV Schools	W	M	Prevention
25	John Preston	Extra Mile	W	M	Recovery Community
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<b>LCC Meeting Schedule:</b>
Please provide the months the LCC meets throughout the year:
We meet on the third Monday of every month, excluding June, July, August and December.

## Community Needs Assessment: Results

*The first step in developing an effective substance use and misuse reduction plan is to assess your community. A community assessment tells you about your community's readiness to implement prevention, treatment, and justice-related programs to address substance use and misuse. An assessment also provides an overview of the risk and protective factors present in the community, helping your coalition plan more effectively.*

### Community Profile

County Name
Greene County
County Population
30,786
Schools in the community
5 School Districts: Eastern Greene; Bloomfield; White River Valley; Linton; Shakamak
Medical care providers in the community (hospitals, health care centers, medical centers/clinics, etc.)
Greene County Hospital; Greene County Health Clinics; My Clinics
Mental health care providers in the community (hospitals with psychiatric/behavioral health units, mental health clinics, private/public providers, etc.)
Hamilton Center (2 satellite offices); Legacy Associates, and Hickory Treatment Center
Service agencies/organizations
Middle Way House Humble Grace Rebuilt Ministries Greene County Alcohol and Drug Brianna's Hope
Local media outlets that reach the community
WTWO TV WTHI TV

What are the substances that are most problematic in your community?  
Methamphetamine, Marijuana, Alcohol and Tobacco/Nicotine

List all substance use/misuse services/activities/programs presently taking place in the community  
Change Companies, Prime for Life, MRT, AA, Peer Recovery, IOP, and inpatient.

## Community Risk and Protective Factors

*Use the list of risk and protective factors to identify those present in your community. Identify the resources/assets and limitations/gaps that exist in your community related to each. The lists are not all inclusive and others may apply.*

Risk Factors Examples: trauma and toxic stressors; poverty violence; neighborhood characteristics; low neighborhood attachment; community disorganization; community norms and laws favorable toward drug use, firearms, and crime; availability of alcohol and other drugs; weak family relationships; family substance use; peer substance use; mental health problems; families moving frequently from home to home; limited prevention and recovery resources.

Protective Factors Examples: strong family relationships; neighborhood economic viability; low childhood stress; access to health care; access to mental health care; community-based interventions; restricted access to alcohol and other drugs including restrictive laws and excise taxes; safe, supportive, and connected neighborhoods; meaningful youth engagement opportunities; local policies and practices that support healthy norms and child-youth programs; positive connection to adults.<sup>1</sup>

Risk Factors	Resources/Assets	Limitations/Gaps
1.Easy access to Illegal Drugs	1. Law Enforcement & Justice Programs  2.Treatment  3. School Systems	1. Inexperienced Law Enforcement Officers  2. Limited programs available  3. Limited access to treatment agencies
2.Limited access to services	1. Justice Programs  2. Treatment Providers  3. Health Clinics	1. Have to be convicted to access services  2. Limited programs, Limited Staff  3. Limited staff that are trained on substance abuse

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<sup>1</sup> Risk and protective factors extracted from IUPUI Center for Health Policy Community Conditions Favorable for Substance Use, April 2018.

3.New Undeveloped Law Enforcement Officers	1. Supportive Community 2.Multiple agencies 3.Dedicated to serving	1.Difficulties in training new staff due to shortages.  2.Shortages of individuals willing to serve.  3.Use of outdated equipment.
<b>Protective Factors</b>	<b>Resources/Assets</b>	<b>Limitations/Gaps</b>
1.Access to Health Care and Mental Health	1.Multiple Offices open 7 days a week. 2. Two Mental Health Offices 3. Inpatient Treatment for women	1.Social Worker not always on staff  2.Limited Staff, and programs  3.Insurance limitations
2.Engaged Law Enforcement and Justice Agencies	1.Multiple Agencies 2. Engaged Justice System	1. Limited treatment options  2. Untrained Law Enforcement
3.Valuable School Systems	1.Multiple districts 2.Engaged Faculty	1. Limited referral sources  2.Family Dynamics

## **Making A Community Action Plan**

*Now that you have completed a community assessment and have identified the risk and protective factors that exist, you can develop a plan of action. The Comprehensive Community Plan (CCP) is a systematic and community-driven gathering, analysis, and reporting of community-level indicators for the purpose of identifying and addressing local substance use problems.*

Step 1: Create problem statements, and ensure problems statements are in line with statutory requirements

Step 2: Ensure your problem statements are evidence-informed, then prioritize

Step 3: Brainstorm what can be done about each

Step 4: Prioritize your list, and develop SMART goal statements for each Step

5: List the steps to achieve each goal

### Step 1: Create + Categorize Problem Statements

*Create problem statements as they relate to each of the identified risk factors.*

Risk Factors	Problem Statement(s)
1. High Availability of Alcohol and drugs in the Community	<p>1. Youth in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment services related to substance use.</p> <p>2. Adults in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment services related to substance use.</p> <p>3. Criminal Justice Agencies need training and advanced technologies to aid them in their efforts to combat substance abuse.</p>
2. Limited educational and treatment opportunities with the community.	<p>1. Youth in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment services related to substance use.</p> <p>2. Adults in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment services related to substance use.</p>

3. Decreased number of trained Law Enforcement Officers with the county	1. Criminal Justice Agencies need training and advanced technologies to aid them in their efforts to combat substance abuse.
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## Step 2: Evidence-Informed Problem Statements

*Identify your top three problem statements using local or state data. Ensure that there is a problem statement for each co-equal funding category (e.g., prevention/education; intervention/treatment; and criminal justice services and activities).*

Problem Statements	Data That Establishes Problem	Data Source
1. Youth in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment services related to substance use.	<p>Number of Youth Involved with Probation.</p> <p>a. In 2024, there were 119 Juvenile Cases filed in Greene County. 44 were Delinquency Petitions.</p> <p>Number of Youth attending services through the Local Mental Health Provider.</p> <p>a. In 2024, 11 youth were treated by local mental health providers</p>	<p>Probation Hamilton Center Legacy Associates Greene County Clerk's Office</p>
2. Adults in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment services related to substance use	<p>Number of adult's arrests.</p> <p>a. In 2024, 717 criminal cases were filed in Greene County.</p> <p>Number of adults involved with Alcohol and Drug</p> <p>a. In 2024, 209 individuals were referred to Greene County Alcohol and Drug</p> <p>Number of adults attending Mental Health Services.</p> <p>a. In 2024, 122 individuals were treated by HCI, and were A&amp;D related.</p> <p>b. 24 individuals were treated by Legacy Associates in 2024.</p>	<p>Greene County Clerk's Office Greene County Alcohol and Drug Local Mental Health Providers</p>



3.Criminal Justice Agencies need training and advanced technologies to aid them in their efforts to combat substance abuse.	Number of arrests related to substance abuse a. In 2024, 238 cases were filed in Greene County as Level 6 Felony cases which are primarily drug related offenses. b. A total of 322 felony cases, and 395 misdemeanor cases.	Local Law Enforcement Agencies Prosecutor's Office Clerk's Office
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### Step 3: Brainstorm

*Consider the resources/assets and limitations/gaps that were identified for each risk factor, and list what actions can be taken for each identified problem statement.*

Problem Statements	What can be done (action)?
1.Youth in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment related to substance abuse	1. Drug Screening 2.Increase educational opportunities 3.Increase treatment referrals 4.Increase # of treatment providers
2. Adults in Greene County need prevention, education and treatment related to substance abuse.	1. Drug Screening 2. Increase educational opportunities 3. Increase treatment referrals
3. Criminal Justice Agencies need training and advanced technologies to aid them in their efforts to combat substance abuse.	1. Increase Training opportunities 2. Provide new technologies 3. Provide community support to agencies 4. Increase Law Enforcement Recruitment

#### Step 4: Develop SMART Goal Statements

*For each problem statement, prioritize your list of what can be done. Choose your top two actions for each. Then, develop goal statements that demonstrate what change you hope to achieve and by when you hope to achieve it.*

Problem Statement #1
Goal 1 Identify youth that are need of education or treatment for substance abuse issues.
Goal 2 Increase prevention efforts in the community and schools regarding substance abuse.
Problem Statement #2
Goal 1 Provide education and prevention to adults regarding the dangers of substance use and misuse.
Goal 2 Identify individuals that are substance dependent for referral to treatment.
Problem Statement #3
Goal 1 Train LE on interviewing and investigations in regard to substance abuse related crimes.
Goal 2 Aid LE in procurement of new technologies that provide assistance to substance abuse investigations.

#### Step 5: Plans to Achieve Goals

*For each goal, list the steps required to achieve each*

Problem Statement #1	Steps
Goal 1 Identify Youth that need education or treatment.	1. Drug Screening  2. Increase referrals to treatment or education when appropriate  3. Reporting to Law Enforcement when necessary

<p>Goal 2</p> <p>Increase prevention efforts in the community and schools</p>	<p>1.Increase distributions of prevention information and material to Youth involved with the criminal justice system</p> <p>2.Increase prevention efforts within the school systems</p> <p>3. Increase involvement with community events tailored around youth activities</p>
<b>Problem Statement #2</b>	<b>Steps</b>
<p>Goal 1</p> <p>Provide prevention and education to adults regarding the dangers of substance misuse.</p>	<p>1.Increase distributions of prevention information and material to adults within Greene County through community events.</p> <p>2. Provide education to individuals involved in the criminal justice system regarding the dangers of substance use.</p>
<p>Goal 2</p> <p>Identify adult individuals with substance dependency issues for referral to treatment</p>	<p>1.Increase drug testing through criminal justice system to identify individuals with substance dependency for referral to treatment.</p> <p>2.Provide additional funding to support Community Mental Health to serve indigent clients.</p>
<b>Problem Statement #3</b>	<b>Steps</b>

<p>Goal 1</p> <p>Train LE on interviewing and investigations in regard to substance abuse related crimes.</p>	<p>1. Provide access to funding for training to increase the number of substance abuse arrests.</p> <p>2. Provide skills to officers for safety and security while serving the community</p>
<p>Goal 2</p> <p>Aid LE in procurement of new technologies that provide assistance to substance abuse investigations</p>	<p>1. Provide access to funding for procurement of new technologies to aid officers in identifying individuals engaging in criminal activities</p> <p>2. Increasing the number of substance abuse arrests</p>

## Fund Document

*The fund document allows the LCC to provide finances available to the coalition at the beginning of the year. The fund document gauges an LCC's fiscal wellness to empower their implementation of growth within their community. The fund document also ensures LCCs meet the statutory requirement of funding programs within the three categories of (1) Prevention/Education, (2) Treatment/Intervention, and (3) Criminal Justice Services and Activities (IC 5-2-11-5).*

## Funding Profile

Amount of funds deposited into the County Drug Free Community Fund from fees collected last year (\$100.00):	\$16,992.96
Amount of unused funds that rolled over from the previous year (\$100.00):	\$3,126.27
Total funds available for programs and administrative costs for the upcoming year (\$100.00):	\$20,119.23
Amount of funds granted the year prior (\$100.00):	\$23,098.00
How much money is received from the following entities (if no money is received, please enter \$0.00):	0.00
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA):	
Bureau of Justice Administration (BJA):	
Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP):	

Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH):		
Indiana Department of Education (DOE):		
Indiana Division of Mental Health and Addiction (DMHA):		
Indiana Family and Social Services Administration (FSSA):		
Local entities:		
Other:		
<b>Funding allotted to prevention/education; intervention/treatment; and criminal justice services and activities (\$100.00):</b>		
Prevention/Education: \$5,029.81	Intervention/Treatment: \$5,029.81	Justice: \$5,029.81
<b>Funding allotted to Administrative costs:</b>		
<i>Itemized list of what is being funded</i>		<i>Amount (\$100.00)</i>
Unused Grant Monies		\$5,029.80
Lunch & Supplies		
<b>Funding allotted by Goal per Problem Statement:</b>		
<b>Problem Statement #1</b>	<b>Problem Statement #2</b>	<b>Problem Statement #3</b>
Goal 1: \$2,175.00	Goal 1: \$0.00	Goal 1: \$2,648.00
Goal 2: \$4,040.00	Goal 2: \$9,052.00	Goal 2: \$1,495.00