



Department of Human Services North Kitsap Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition

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1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

(Workgroups 12:30-1:00 & 2:30-3:00)

Zoom Meeting information will be provided prior to the meeting

AGENDA

Welcome and Introductions

- Meeting via Zoom; face to Face meetings dependent on COVID Phase status and restrictions

Prevention Education Spotlight

- Hearing from the experts – Alcohol - (rescheduled from Dec.)
- CADCA Leadership Forum – Feb. 1-4, 2021

Community Connection and Support


- Partner shout out
 - Awareness effort and collaboration
- Coalition Assessment review

Prevention Efforts

- Prevention program implementation updates
- Workgroups and planning for the future
 - Data review
 - Strategic planning
 - Marketing
 - Others we may choose to identify

Accomplishments

Closing Comments

 **Meeting Dates:** 1/11/21, 2/8/20 and 3/8/21. **Upcoming meeting locations to be announced.** Hope to you are able to join us. <https://www.kitsapgov.com/hs/Pages/PREVENTION-Landing.aspx>

Mission: To create a framework of resources, support, and partnerships to combat youth substance abuse in North Kitsap thus providing for a safe and healthy environment for all.

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Monday 12/14/2020

Announcement

- Welcome to our new Coalition leadership. Steve Walker – Chair and Terri Smiley – Vice Chair; have officially begin their two-year commitment.
- Education Spotlight will be on alcohol has been rescheduled for January meeting.
- Training opportunities; CADCA virtual Forum in Feb Nov. 3-4. Scholarships are available.
- Community Surveys have been completed and we have been able to meet our required minimum.
- Coalition Assessments are in and we will be reviewing this data at our next scheduled meeting.
- As part of our continued advancement of prevention collaboration and implementation efforts, we will begin in January assembling new workgroups focused on areas of awareness, marketing and recruitment, School Policies, media outreach.

PARTNER HIGHLIGHTS:

- Services throughout the community are continuing to be available on limited hours, web-based platforms and other creative ways to keep connections. All are practicing safety practices and will move forward as restrictions allow.
- Highlights from Prevention Summit was shared by several. Coalition hopes to provide scholarships for next year if funds are available.
- The Coalition has seen an increase in information dissemination via electronic platforms and in print as options are available.
- Security and youth protection alert from Freedom 14; news that Pornhub (dangerous website easily accessed by minors) will no longer be funded by Visa or MasterCard.
- Homeless population news and updates; including resources, tools, recommendations as well as needs and identified strategies that are being used to best serve. As part of this information a group know as outreach angels have been working to collect donations, supporting homeless encampments.
- Successful emphasis patrol conducted over the past weekend. Plans to get back out into the community after the new year are being planned.
- YWCA will be getting Zoom support groups up and running for Survivors, LGBTQ, and youth 13-17. More information will be passed along as details become available.
- PCHS is continuing to hold COVID testing Mon-Fri with mobile dental and medical on site. In school services are going well and will be paused during holiday break.
- Prevention Club/group meetings being held online with new option starting face to face visits with higher needs students. SAP is on intakes and other services virtually. Connections have been maintained with youth and families providing consistent availability, including annual event modified for COVID, Holiday 'not cakes' to get the word out for prevention.

EVENTS: *activities associated with these events/activities are subject to change due to COVID19 restrictions*

- CADCA Leadership Summit Feb. 1-4, 2021. 8 scholarships are available.

- Various professional and community trainings (watch email for new ones as they are announced)
- Prevention Policy Day – Feb. 15, 2021. Announcements with details will be available soon.