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## North Kitsap Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition

**Monday, Sept. 13, 2021**

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

(Workgroups: 12:00 -1:00 & 2:30 – 3:00 p.m.)

[Click here to JOIN the Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 360 731 8298

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### AGENDA

#### **Welcome and Introductions**

- Updates and Announcements

#### **Prevention Education Spotlight**

- Understanding Amphetamines Presentation -tabled from July

#### **Getting Engaged**

- Events, Activities and Trainings
- Information Dissemination Outreach Activity
- Town Hall - Virtual Discussion: Impacts of Prevention Efforts

#### **Prevention Efforts**

- Information Dissemination
- Mark Your Calendars
  - Kitsap County Fair
  - Overdose Awareness Event

#### **Accomplishments**

#### **New Business**

#### **For the good of the coalition**

**Next Meeting Dates: 10/14/21, 11/18/21 and 12/9/21. Upcoming meeting locations to be announced. Hope you can join us.**

<https://www.kitsapgov.com/hs/Pages/PREVENTION-Landing.aspx>

***Mission: To provide opportunities for youth to be in a safe and substance free environment while they move from surviving to thriving. Coordinate and generate resources for youth, families, and the Bremerton community. Develop a unified message to end substance abuse and communicate common values of respect. Empower today's youth to be Bremerton's better tomorrow.***



# North Kitsap Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition

Thursday 8/9/21

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- PCHS is opening a site in the Key Peninsula in Nov., hoping to have more than 1 day per week.
- Continued work on Strengthening Families facilitator training slated for November. Details will go out as soon as we have information.
- The Prevention Summit registration links will be out soon, we will be offering scholarships as part of the coalition's efforts to educate and build awareness in the community and within our coalition members.
- Articles are being reviewed for the next newsletter addition, scheduled for release in September.
- This month's prevention spotlight we looked at a differ way to look at addiction (video link is available). We are working on the topic of understanding amphetamines for next month.
- The coalition's last call for volunteers has been made for those interested in sharing a table with the Kitsap Co. Sherriff's Dept. at this year's fair. Please contact Deanne [dmontgom@co.kitsap.wa.us](mailto:dmontgom@co.kitsap.wa.us) if you are interested. We are seeking individuals willing to staff the table for 2-3-hour blocks. Free entrance passes and parking will be provided.
- We are recruiting for workgroups. Currently we are seeking individuals interested in Drinking Locations and Possession of Alcohol-Changing Conditions of Availability. Details outlining the goals and timeline should be available to share by September meeting.

## PARTNER HIGHLIGHTS:

- OESD; Bremerton SAP position is still open; interviews being held next week.
- Continued efforts are being made to address coalition membership, partnership and sector representation. These efforts will be focused to meet the needs of the community, bridge gaps and support shared goals re. prevention and a safe and healthy community.
- Coffee Oasis is beginning a training series, Neighborhood Transformation. When details are available, they will be share with the coalition.

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

- Various professional and community trainings (watch email for new ones as they are announced)
- Kitsap County Fair Aug. 25-29
- Overdose Awareness event at Evergreen Park 6:30-8 pm
- Town Hall community event – panel discussion re. the impact of prevention as seen from multiple sectors
- Upcoming events include an overdose awareness event at Evergreen park on Aug 31, the Kitsap Co. Fair. Addiction classes over lunch, housed at Coffee Oasis beginning Aug 6 and a town hall in January.