



Nexus Coalition for Drug Prevention
A Drug-Free Community Coalition
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Community collaboration striving to build a healthy, substance free environment for youth

Friends of Navajo County Anti-Drug Coalition, Inc. (EIN 26-0468100)

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Substance Abuse MAPP Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

Drug Free Coalition Meeting Minutes Tue, January 11, 2022 11:00 am -12:00 pm via ZOOM:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84986144618?pwd=VkpJTHJmREd3YmN0SkkyZDNENjF4Zz09>

Drug Free Communities Primary Purposes: 1. Strengthen Collaboration Among Community Entities & 2. Reduce Substance Use Among Youth

1. **Vicky Solomon Nexus Coalition for Drug Prevention Facilitating: THANK YOU for attending!** (DFC) Drug Free Coalition
2. Introductions: Vicky Solomon NCDP Executive Director; Sylvia Turley NCDP Program Coordinator; Molly Re:Center MAMA Mentorship Project; Pam Williams Executive Director Re:Center; Lucy Hamblin NCDP Parent Educator; Ralph Engler NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness); Becky Belnap NCDP Prevention Specialist; Charlie Mead RE:Center Re:Entry Coordinator; Mike Simpson Nexus Board Member & White Mountain Dream Center; Linda Teague Navajo County Manager Substance Abuse; Mallorie Ovah Navajo County Substance Abuse Coordinator; Paula Kay Martin ChangePoint; Rikki Sechrist AZ DDRO; Stacey Heath NCDP Prevention Specialist.
 - Nexus Team Members update on work in community: Recovery Works, Teen Court, Item Distribution, Parent Education online classes, In School Botvin Life Skills Program, Narcan Trainings, Trauma Trainings, Fentanyl Trainings available upon request.
 - **Guest Speaker: Re:Center**
 - Food bank is open Tue, Wed, & Thurs from 10am to 4pm. Hot meals are provided on Tue & Thurs from 11am to 1pm.
 - MAMA program looking for a mentor for the White Mountain Apache Tribe community.
 - Re:Center has RE:Entry Mentorship Project.
3. Announcements and Updates
 - **HIDTA training Stronger Together will be held Thursday, February 25, 2021, 9:00 AM 3:00 PM at HIDTA training center in Chandler. Only 42 spots available. See attached Flier**
 - **NCDP Youth Focus Group to gain insight into best youth drug messaging campaign being conducted on January 20, 4:30 pm at Snowflake Fire Station.**
 - Rikki Seachrist – Help get schools registered for Arizona Youth Survey program.
<https://www.azcjc.gov/Programs/Statistical-Analysis-Center/Arizona-Youth-Survey>
 - Paula Kaye Martin ChangePoint holding an open house February 4th.
 - ChangePoint in need of leather furniture for their waiting room.

- Mike Simpson – Working on homelessness count in our community.
- Navajo County Mental Health and Substance Abuse program-they are reaching out to support groups and promoting substance abuse programs in Navajo County.
- Ralph with NAMI – They have moved support group to 1pm.

Meeting Adjourned: 12:00

Next DFC meeting will be February 8th, 2022 11:00 am – 12:00 noon ZOOM:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87264913537?pwd=aWhKMEFmOERvTWNLLeE5vYW0rREFwdz09>

***WE HAVE FREE NARCAN & Training - 82% of overdoses happen in the HOME**

* “When You Are Ready” Brochures and Resource Guides

Thank you for everything you do for our community! Your support is greatly appreciated!

Strategies:

1. Reduce Illicit acquisitions and diversion of prescription drugs
2. Promote responsible prescribing and dispensing policies and practices
3. Increase public awareness and patient education about RX drug misuse and abuse/Law enforcement
4. Enhance assessment and referral to substance abuse treatment

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME IN ATTENDING! Next Meeting Dec 14th 11am-12pm Zoom

Dates for Drug Free Coalition Meeting – 2nd TUES of EACH MONTH excluding June/July (No meetings)

Nexus Coalition for Drug Prevention Information:

- Naloxone has been approved by the Surgeon General. Nexus staff is trained and does trainings for Naloxone IF YOU HAVE CHILDREN IN HOME & PAIN MED, YOU NEED NALOXONE IN YOUR EMERGENCY KIT. 3 MIN VIDEO- WHAT IS NALOXONE? <https://youtu.be/RcAaZQQd50>
- Visit our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/ncdpncdp/>
- Looking for Board Members & Coalition Members, please contact vsncdp@gmail.com
- For any Amazon orders you can use this option to help donate to NCDP: **smile.amazon.com** and put “Friends of Navajo County” as the recipient (NO extra cost to you!!)
- **DUMP YOUR DRUGS - Local Police Departments open 24/7/365**
- **Always accept DONATIONS** toward Youth Drug Prevention Efforts www.ncdp.rocks/donation