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Many organizations in Nevada have been sharing their great Alcohol Awareness events with us as seen in the Upcoming Events section of this newsletter and our website. Great job to all of you for getting the message about alcohol out into your communities!

May is Mental Health Month, with May 2-8 being Children’s Mental Health Week. Search topics in the NPRC online ordering system for Mental Health to see all of the wonderful mental health resources we have to help you in your events.

May 31 is also World No Tobacco Day. The NPRC has some wonderful kits to help you show people the dangers of using tobacco.

Mr. Gross Mouth is a is a mouth model that has many of the diseases that come with tobacco use such as cancer and gingivitis. Use the provided jar of tobacco to show how chew can stain teeth and gums.



Lou Wheeze is a great stand-up model of the lungs: one healthy and the other damaged from smoking. She comes with a pump to demonstrate the limited use of the diseased lung.



Besides these, we have a Smokeless Tobacco display board, a jar of tar, and many videos and kits to teach youth and adults about the dangers of tobacco.

If you want to borrow any of these items, please call or email, and we will get them to you!

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Grants and Submissions:

Drug Free Communities Mentoring Program

The purpose of the DFC Mentoring Program is to provide grant funds to existing DFC grantees, so that they may serve as Mentors to newly-formed and/or developing coalitions that have never received a DFC grant.

For more information: <http://www.whitehousedrugpolicy.gov/dfc/>

Applications due April 23, 2010

Grants to Expand Substance abuse treatment in Targeted Areas of Need - Technology Assisted Care

The purpose of this program is to enhance and/or expand the capacity of substance abuse treatment providers to serve clients who have been underserved because of lack of access to treatment in their immediate community due to transportation concerns, an inadequate number of substance abuse treatment providers in their community, and/or financial constraints, through the use of therapeutic techniques that involve innovative, creative and cost-effective advanced technology. This approach may include the use of various technological modalities such as Internet, tele-behavioral health, chatlines, videocams, etc.

For more information: <http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2010/TI-10-012.aspx>

application due April 27, 2010

Mental Health Transformation Grants

The purpose of this program is to foster adoption and implementation of permanent transformative changes in how public mental health services are organized, managed and delivered so that they are consumer-driven, recovery-oriented and supported through evidence-based and best practices. Funding will support States and local governments to create and/or expand treatment capacity within SAMHSA's strategic initiatives.

for more information: <http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2010/SM-10-010.aspx>

Applications due April 30, 2010

Capacity Building Initiative for substance Abuse and HIV Prevention Services for At-Risk Racial/Ethnic Minority Young Adults

The purpose of the CBI program is to support an array of activities to assist grantees in building a solid foundation for delivering and sustaining quality and accessible state of the science substance abuse and HIV prevention services. Specifically, the program aims to engage colleges, universities and community-level domestic public and private non-profit entities to prevent and reduce the onset of SA and transmission of HIV/AIDS among at-risk racial/ethnic minority young adults, ages 18-24.

For additional information: <http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2010/SP-10-004.aspx>

Applications due May 15, 2010

Community Resilience and Recovery Initiative

The purpose of this place-based initiative is to improve behavioral health outcomes through enhanced coordination and evidence-based health promotion, illness prevention, treatment, and recovery support services in communities affected by the recent economic downturn.

For more information: <http://samhsa.gov/Grants/2010/SM-10-015.aspx>

Applications Due May 28, 2010

Was this newsletter forwarded to you? Do you want it to come directly to your inbox? Visit https://lists.unr.edu/sympa/subscribe/nprc_update to sign up!

Professional Development Opportunities

For information on any classes provided by CASAT or to register call 1-866-617-2818 or 775-784-4707. The full schedule is also available online at <http://casat.unr.edu/training.html>

Drug Endangered Children

This workshop, held at the Great basin College in Elko will give participants information on drug endangered children. For more information, Contact Michelle at 775-777-3451 [Flyer](#)

[Registration Form](#)

April 28, 2010 - Elko

Training of the Trainers Suicide Prevention class

Presented by Nevada Office of Suicide Prevention's Misty Allen. Suitable for a general adult audience, free continuing education credits for most disciplines included. Sponsored by Fernley PTA, lunch and advertising by Healthy Communities Coalition. Location to be announced. Call Quest Lakes at 287-7598 to register and for location.

May 1, 2010—Fernley

Group counseling Skills

This 3-day workshop is designed to provide participants with knowledge and skills essential to the effective facilitation of counseling and education groups in treatment settings.

May 4-6, 2010—Las Vegas, TBD

Ethical Issues in the Human Service Professions

Upon completion of this course, you will gain an understanding of ethical issues as they impact practice, become knowledgeable of the principles specific to ethical decision making and issues related to boundaries and confidentiality, and be able to identify ways in which to reduce liability. This is an online course which will provide 5 CEUs. Learn more and sign up at <http://socialwork.unlv.edu/events>

May 7-21, 2010 - Online

Working with the Mandated Client

Participants will engage in interactive exercises designed to demonstrate useful tools to use while working with clients.

May 21, 2010—Reno, UNR, WRB 2010

Substance Exposed Newborns: Collaborative Approaches to a Complex Issue

Through various formats, this summit will showcase exemplary policies and practices for identifying pregnant substance users and their newborns; referring them to child welfare, treatment and other community services; and developing plans of safe care for the newborns. For more information and to register, visit <http://aia.berkeley.edu/training/SEN2010/> Early bird registration ends March 31!

June 23-24, 2010—Virginia

Planning Ahead:

A look at some events in the next few months:

May 2010 - Mental Health Month

<http://www.mentalhealthamerica.net/go/may>

May 2-8, 2010 - National children's Mental Health Awareness Week

<http://www.ffcmh.org/>

May 9-15, 2010 - National Alcohol and other Drug-Related Birth Defects Week

<http://www.ncadd.org/>

May 31, 2010 - World No Tobacco Day

<http://www.who.int/tobacco/wntd/en>

May 2010 - National Teen Pregnancy Prevention Month

<http://www.advocatesforyouth.org/publications/ntppm.htm>

NPRC Materials Update

Bulk Materials Update

As always, copies of these materials may be available in the NPRC library collection. Please remember that this information may change during the course of the month, and will be updated in the next *Update*.

Title	NPRC #
Behind Bars II: Substance Abuse and America's Prison Population	1419
2008 Town Hall Meetings: Mobilizing Communities to Prevent and Reduce Underage Alcohol Use	1420
Matrix Client's Handbook Intensive Outpatient Treatment for People With Stimulant Use Disorder	1421
TIP 51: Substance Abuse Treatment: Addressing the Specific Needs of Women	1422
Washoe County Safe n' Sober foundation	1423

Library Materials Update

To search the online library catalog, please visit

<http://library.washoe.k12.nv.us/webopac/main?siteid=804>

Call Number	Title	Material Type
BADA KIT 362.2917 REA	Ready, set, listen! board game.	Kit

Webinars

April 22, 2010, 12:00pm - Parties on Wheels: Responding to the Enforcement Challenges of "Booze Buses"

In some college communities "booze buses" sponsored by alcohol establishment corral underage drinkers from college dorms taking them to and from the downtown bars under the thin guise of a "safe ride" program. Elsewhere buses, aided by viral marketing, pick up high school and college age youth in suburban parking lots to take them to certain downtown bars where they will be served. Join us to learn how police and communities are working together to enforce underage drinking laws and the handle the challenges that "booze buses" pose. Register online at <http://www.udetc.org/audioconfregistration.asp>

April 28, 2010, 12:00pm - Reno Judges, University of Nevada at Reno Student Code of Conduct Officers, and Police Innovatively Address College Drinking

Our program will feature representatives from UNR and the local courts who will present information about their efforts and preliminary data that suggest the alternative sentencing practices are having an impact. Register online at http://www.udetc.org/audioconf_judicialregistration.asp

May 20, 2010, 12:00pm - 2010 ID Update: What's in Your Wallet?

Lt. Jim Wilson and Investigator Wilochoski will take us through some of the changes and additions adopted by many states and governmental entities as the move forward in the production of their documents. They will also discuss some of the tools available and needed in order to properly recognize many of the new security features. Register online at <http://www.udetc.org/audioconfregistration.asp>

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Upcoming Events:

April 24, 2010 10:00-2:00 - Silver Springs Wellness Fair and Sustainability Workshop

The Silver Stage Task Force is organizing their annual Wellness Fair at the Silver Stage middle school by collaborating with dozens of local and regional groups. The free event will include a long list of opportunities for fun and free activities and services that span the diverse topics that fall under the subjects of wellness, sustainability, job placement and training. If you'd like more information or would like to host a booth, please contact Cara Childs at 577-3880 or Quest Lakes at 287-7598

April 24, 2010 9:00-2:00 - Prescription Drug Round Up

Community members can bring their unused and expired medications to this drop off event being held at 5 different locations in the Reno/Sparks area. Flyer: <http://nevadaprc.org/docs/RoundUpflyer.pdf>

April 24, 2010 4:00-7:00pm - Fallon Party House

Join the Churchill Community Coalition, Fallon Police Department, and Churchill County Juvenile Probation at this educational Party House. Youth from the Student Reaching Out organization will act out common activities that would happen at an underage house party so parents can see exactly what happens when their kids go to a party. Contact Esther Wright at 775-423-7433 for more information Flyer: <http://nevadaprc.org/docs/PartyHouse2010.pdf>

April 24, 2010 10:00-2:00 - Silver Springs Wellness Fair

Held at Silver Stage Middle School dozens of booths offering free services and information including free child immunizations, HIV testing and H1N1 flu shots. The Fair also includes a Sustainability Workshop hosted by Silver Stage Library (sustainable agriculture, energy, emergency preparedness, etc.) and a Let's Move Relay Race for students. The fair is organized by Silver Stage Task Force, part of Healthy Communities Coalition.

April 25, 2010 9/8c - When Love is Not Enough

Starring Winona Ryder (The Age of Innocence, Little Women) and Barry Pepper (61*), the latest Hallmark Hall of Fame presentation is based on the true story of the sorely tested, but ultimately enduring love between Lois Wilson (Ryder), cofounder of Al-Anon, and her husband Bill Wilson (Pepper), cofounder of Alcoholics Anonymous. Learn more at http://www.hallmark.com/webapp/wcs/stores/servlet/article|10001|10051|/HallmarkSite/HallmarkHallOfFame/HHOF_SCENES

May 15, 2010 9:00-3:00 - Dayton Health Fair

The Dayton Task Force's annual free health fair on Tyler Street during Oodles of Noodles street fair in Old Town Dayton. The fair is a fun and convenient means to access free health services like blood pressure checks and mental health screening, new information about local farmers' markets and community gardens, and information about area wellness, fitness, prevention, recovery, and support groups. Contact Quest Lakes at 287-7598 for more information.

May 22, 2010 12:00-4:00p, - Mound House Community Fair

Mound House Task Force will host a free community fair with the theme, "Mound House: Vibrant History, New Opportunities" with attractions and entertainment focusing on the Pony Express, wild horse, fire fighter, and V & T history, and celebrating new economic opportunities in areas such as the V & T Reconstruction, new area farmers' markets, employer wage subsidies through Lyon Employment Partnership, and expanded opportunities for job training through Comstock Youth Works, Lyon Re-Entry, Sierra Nevada Job Corps, etc. The fair will also include booths highlighting community groups in Mound House today, including Fire Safe Council Chapter and Neighborhood Watch. Preschoolers will have a chance to tour the COW Bus, or Classroom on Wheels, and technicians will be on hand to check car seats to make sure they're installed properly. Northern Nevada Hopes mobile outreach van will be on hand to offer free HIV testing.

June 22, 2010 - Suicide Prevention Training

The Yerington Task Force has organized and will host a free training on suicide prevention by Nevada Office of Suicide Prevention experts at the Lyon Library in Yerington. Please contact Quest Lakes at 287-7598 if you'd like more information.