



Nevada Prevention Resource Center

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Two important events are coming quick!

First is the start of the new school year. At the end of August kids will be returning to school excited to meet their new teachers and see who is in their class. The start of the school year is a great time to connect with parents, teachers, , counselors, and administrators to get the word out about substance use prevention and treatment. If your organization is planning events, trainings, or wants to stock up schools with prevention materials, LET US KNOW! The sooner you tell us about your events, the more materials we can get you for your events. The NPRC staff is happy to help you in choosing materials for all ages and discuss programs available in our library to use. Give us a call or send an email and we will help!

The second upcoming event is Recovery Month in September. The NPRC already has Recovery Month materials ready to send for your picnics, and walks or to put up in offices to promote awareness. Again, the sooner you let us know your needs, the better.

Last is a thank you to all of our users as you have all helped us to have a very successful year once again. It is so great to hear how our materials, newsletter, and services have helped your programs, and we can't wait to collaborate more in the upcoming year!

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Churchill Community Coalition
(775)423-7433

Frontier Community Coalition
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NV Statewide Native American Coalition
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Grants and Submissions:

Nevada Public Health Association conference Call for Abstracts

Call for abstracts is open for both posters and limited concurrent (breakout) session presentations. Content areas should address the conference theme of social justice* as it relates to the topics listed on the site, particularly research and programs displaying application to public health practice.

More information: <http://fs8.formsite.com/mobrien/form392895237/index.html>

Submissions Due August 2, 2010

What a Difference a Friend Makes Contest

SAMHSA and the Ad Council are pleased to announce the What a Difference a Friend Makes Contest. If you have a great story about how you have been there for a friend through his/her recovery from a mental health problem, or how a friend has been there for you, we'd love to hear from you. It's simple to enter—just submit a short video or an essay that tells in a creative and meaningful way how you've supported a friend during a tough time in his/her life or how a friend supported you. The story can be based on your real-life experience, and it does not need to reveal the identity of the friend (unless the friend agrees to participate).

More Information: <http://www.whatadifference.samhsa.gov/contest/>

Entries Due August 31, 2010

Informed Decision-Making in Young Adolescents at Risk for HIV/AIDS

The National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) invites interdisciplinary formative research projects attempting to explore the neurological basis of HIV/AIDS risk avoidance decision-making among young adolescents. Additional research is needed on HIV prevention interventions developed within social and gender constructs of adolescents that consider neurocognitive development and investigate neurocognitive variables. Prevention strategies that consider social, cultural and gender constructs in combination with neurological and cognitive maturity may offer increased intervention effectiveness for reducing HIV risk in younger adolescents.

More information: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-NR-10-008.html>

Letter of Intent Due: July 31, 2010

Application due August 31, 2010



Find the NPRC on Facebook!

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Reno-NV/Nevada-Prevention-Resource-Center/127137350657376>

If your organization has a Facebook page, have the administrator add the NPRC to your favorites. Click on "Add to my Page's Favorites" under our profile picture. Then let us know, and we'll add you!

Did you know that "liking" the NPRC will not allow NPRC staff to see your profile but you'll still get our great updates on your news-feed!

Webinars

July 28, 2010 5:00-6:00pm - What Parents Need to Know About Over-the-Counter Medicine Safety

Our presenter, Mimi Pappas, the Director of Communications & Outreach for Consumer Healthcare Products Association (CHPA), directs the association's outreach efforts with external groups and assists in CHPA's communications projects with the public. In her capacity at CHPA, Pappas helps create and execute campaigns and products for the CHPA Educational Foundation at OTC-safety.org that encourages the safe use of over-the-counter (OTC) medicines. Register Online at <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/858909043>

July 29, 2010 3:30-5:00 - Substance Abuse Prevention Planning with Older Adults

This webinar will present an overview of the problem of substance abuse among older adults and share mediating factors impacting substance abuse prevention planning with the "Baby Boomer" population, discuss the role that medication management and health literacy play in working with this population, describe Arizona efforts implementing SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework to address the needs of older adults. Register online at <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/458817210>

August 3, 1020 - Mental Health for Military Families: The Path to Resilience and Recovery

This training teleconference will help current and past recipients of mental health services, U.S. service members and their families, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs health providers, veteran advocacy organizations, family and peer support personnel within the U.S. Department of Defense and branches of the military (including the reserves), and the general public Register online at <http://promoteacceptance.samhsa.gov/teleconferences/default.aspx>

August 4, 2010 - Embracing Diversity: Crossing barriers to Deliver Treatment to everyone

This episode will look at how substance use is acceptable in some cultures and how this may create a barrier for individuals seeking treatment and recovery services, consider the importance of providing services that incorporate the specific needs of the individual, and examine how some treatment and recovery models may prove more effective for one group than another.

View it at <http://www.recoverymonth.gov/Multimedia/Road-to-Recovery-Television-Series.aspx>

August 26, 2010, 10:00-11:00 - Homelessness and Substance Use Disorder Treatment: Recovery-Oriented Housing and Achieving Healthy Lifestyles

This webinar will explore the issues of permanent supportive housing, comprehensive treatment protocols, and recovery support systems to assist individuals in achieving life-long positive physical and emotional health outcomes in long-term recovery. We can help break the cycle of homelessness.

Register online at http://www.mctft.com/telecasts/view_course.aspx?telecastID=2010-08-26-1

September 1, 2010 - Language Matters: Talking About Addiction and Recovery

This episode will address the language that we use and how language can influence public perceptions; what research has shown about the use of language and suggestions and tips on how to speak about addiction, treatment and recovery to encourage individuals and family members to get help and support people in recovery and the individuals who work in the field providing services. View it at <http://www.recoverymonth.gov/Multimedia/Road-to-Recovery-Television-Series.aspx>

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>

4th National Conference on Women, Addiction and Recovery

It is the intent of the conference co-sponsors to create a CONFERENCE filled with informed dialogue and stimulating resources that inform, inspire and encourage the best possible services for women with substance use disorders and their families.

ReadLearn more and register online at <http://www.samhsawomensconference.org>

July 26-28, 2010 - Chicago, IL

Northwest Alcohol conference

this two day conference will include topics on alcohol, substance abuse, prevention, and enforcement. Visit <http://www.northwestalcoholconference.org> for more information and to register.

July 29-30, 2010 - Park City, Utah

Utah Fall Conference

The Fall Substance Abuse Conference is the premier educational event in the Mountain West, bringing together treatment, prevention, and justice professionals from the region. This conference provides attendees the opportunity to learn new practices in the field of substance abuse prevention and treatment, while offering the chance to network with friends and colleagues who share a commitment to improving substance abuse services across the Mountain West. Visit <http://utahfallconference.org/> for more information

September 22-24, 2010 - St. George, Utah

Nevada Public Health Association Conference

The statewide NPHA annual conference provides an opportunity for Nevada's public health professionals to gather together to discuss relevant public health issues, as well as a chance to network, meet, and stay connected with other professionals in Nevada. Continuing education credits are also available for several public health disciplines. Learn more online at <http://www.nphaonline.org/conference.htm>

September 30-October 1, 2010 - Las Vegas

APHA Annual Meeting: Social Justice: A Public Health Imperative

The APHA Annual Meeting & Exposition is the oldest and largest gathering of public health professionals in the world, attracting more than 13,000 national and international physicians, administrators, nurses, educators, researchers, epidemiologists, and related health specialists. APHA's meeting program addresses current and emerging health science, policy, and practice issues in an effort to prevent disease and promote health. APHA has a world of public health in store for you. Learn more at <http://www.apha.org/meetings/>

November 6-10, 2010 - Denver, CO

The new SAPTA Training Schedule will be available by the end of July!

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*.

NPRC #	Title
1452	Despues de un intento de suicidio: Guia para cuidar a su familiar despues del tratamiento en la sala de emergencias (After an attempt: A guide for taking care of your family member after treatment in the emergency department)
1453	Despues de un intento de suicidio: Guia para cuidarse despues del tratamiento en la sala de emergencias (After an attempt: A guide for taking care of yourself after your treatment in the emergency department)
1454	Supported Employment
1455	Integrated Treatment for Co-Occurring Disorders
1456	Supporting survivors of suicide loss: a guide for funeral directors
1457	SAMHSA disaster kit
1458	Treatment Bibliography
1459	2010 Join the Voices For Recovery: Now More Than Ever! Slim Brochure Spanish
1460	2010 Join the Voices For Recovery: Now More Than Ever! Slim Brochure English
1461	2010 Join the Voices For Recovery: Now More Than Ever! Flyer Spanish
1462	2010 Join the Voices For Recovery: Now More Than Ever! Flyer English

Planning Ahead:

A look at some events in the next few months:

August 8-14 - National Health Center Week

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

September 2010 - National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month

<http://www.recoverymonth.gov/>

Has you or your organization done something great?

Are you planning an event?

Did you go to an amazing conference?

Then tell us!

We love to include local events and reviews in the Update.

Submissions for the next Update are due July 10, 2010

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DID YOU KNOW THAT 3,000 TEENS START SMOKING
EVERYDAY IN THE UNITED STATES?

1,000 OF THEM WILL DIE FROM SMOKING RELATED
DISEASES.

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by volunteering to teach our teen smoking
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IN NEVADA**

The N.O.T. program is a state of the art program specifically designed for teenagers who want to stop smoking or reduce the number of cigarettes they currently smoke. The program has been used throughout the nation and has a total-health approach to helping teens stop smoking. N-O-T has been proven effective through more than 10 years of research and evaluation.

Help be apart of the success of this program!

For more information on the next Facilitator Training being held or more about the program itself, please contact Nicole Roberts by phone: (702)-431-7236 or email: nroberts@lungnevada.org

Upcoming Events:

June 30 and July 1, 2010 1:00-3:00 - The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act

Please join representatives from U.S. Senator Harry Reid's office, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and the Nevada State Department of Health and Human Services to talk about how health reform will benefit Nevada's children and the organizations that serve them.

The June 30th event will be held in Las Vegas, at the Richard Tam Alumni Center, UNLV. Please RSVP by June 24th at: www.surveymonkey.com/s/June30_Forum_Registration or <http://nic.unlv.edu>.

For more information contact: Denise Tanata Ashby, denise.tanata@unlv.edu or 702.895.1040

The July 1st event will be held in Reno at the Washoe County Commission Chambers, 1001 E. Ninth St. Please RSVP by June 25th to Cari Rovig at: (775) 770-6703 or cari.rovig@chw.edu

August 6-8, 2010 - Camp Superkids

Camp SuperKids is a residential asthma camp that provides children ages 7-12 the opportunity to learn how to manage their asthma while having an unforgettable experience in a camp setting. Medical staff will be at camp working with the kids, along with trained volunteers. Campers will receive medications, other respiratory therapy treatments and special diets as needed. Learn more at http://www.lungnevada.org/Vegas/Camp_SuperKids.htm

August 21, 2010, 12:00-5:00 - Children's Cabinet 25th Anniversary

Celebration

The children's Cabinet in Reno will be marking 25 years of keeping children safe and families together AND opening the doors of their new Wilbur D. May Youth Center at 777 Sinclair Street. Come along and see what's in store for the next 25 years. The fun will include face painting, balloons, tours of the youth center, no host barbecue, back to school giveaways and lots more! Everyone welcome. Don't miss it! Details and RSVP to Niki Patin npatin@childrenscabinet.org or 775-856 0356.

September 10, 2010 - Fight for Air Run

This event held at Damonte Ranch HS, in Reno consists of a 10k, 5k, 5k walk, and a half marathon. Details available at <http://www.lungsonlegs.org/>

September 18, 2010 5:00-8:00pm - Recovery Rally

The Foundation for Recovery will be hosting a Recovery Rally in honor of National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month. The event will be held at the FFR bookstore/The Rooms which is located at 4750 W. Sahara Avenue, Suite 10, Las Vegas, NV. Las Vegas City Councilman Steve Wolfson will make the opening remarks followed by vendors, music, guest speakers, with a special speaker meeting at 7pm, and our newly finished Recovery Bus, a touring archive of the history of addiction and recovery. Come out and support the recovery community!

September 20, 2010 - Addiction Showcase, Elko

The Nevada Student Organization will showcase the field of addictions on the Campus of UNLV as a celebration of Addiction Professionals Day. Learn more at <http://www.recoverymonth.gov/Community-Events/2010/Addictions-Showcase-1388.aspx>

September 20, 2010 - Addiction Showcase, Las Vegas

The Nevada Student Organization will showcase the field of addictions on the Campus of UNLV as a celebration of Addiction Professionals Day. Learn more at <http://www.recoverymonth.gov/Community-Events/2010/Addiction-Showcase-1387.aspx>

October 9, 2010 - Fight for Air Walk

This event benefits the American Lung Association and will be held in Las Vegas. Learn more and sign up at <http://www.lungusa.org/pledge-events/nv/las-vegas-walk/>

Local News



The Statewide Native American Coalition is excited to announce the Electronic Billboards media campaign.

The billboard will be up in 3 locations and the dates where you can view the media are listed below:

#1 July 19, 2010 to August 15, 2010 Vista Ext just off of I-80 located just past the first stoplight.

#2 August 2-29, 2010 at East McCarren and Greg Street.

#3 August 23, 2010 to September 5, 2010 US 395 and South Meadow Parkway

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