



Nevada Prevention Resource Center

Update

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Fall is here and so are many great opportunities to connect with families in your community. Back to School Events, PTA meetings, and school events are a great time to introduce parents to information on substance abuse prevention.

- Some great resources from the NPRC are:
- 3 Things parents need to know about meth
- Communicating With Your Teen
- Keeping Your Teens Drug-Free: A Family Guide
- Marijuana: facts parents need to know
- Resources for Parents
- Suspect Your Teen is Using Drugs or Drinking?
- Warning signs: is your child using meth?

Of course, you can always direct parents to online resources. Some great sites for parents are:

- <http://www.drugfree.org/>
- <http://www.hablacontushijos.org>
- <http://www.theantidrug.com/>
- <http://www.family.samhsa.gov>
- <http://www.laantidroga.com>

If you would like nay of these resources or many more for an event, please let us know, we will be glad to help! Also, please continue to send in information on your community events. We love to include them in the Update.

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Nevada RADAR Network Associate Centers

Churchill Community Coalition
(775)423-7433

Frontier Community Coalition
(775)623-6382

Goshen Community Development Coalition
(702)648-1438

NV Statewide Native American Coalition
(775)355-0600

P.A.C.E. Coalition
(775)777-3451

Partnership of Community Resources
(775)782-8611

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Planning Ahead:

A look at some events in the next few months:

September - National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month

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

October 2009 - Healthy Lung Month

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

October 2009 - Talk about Prescriptions Month

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

October 2009 - National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

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

October 5-11, 2009 - Mental Illness Awareness Week

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

October 10, 2009 - World Mental Health Day

<http://www.wfmh.org/00WorldMentalHealthDay.htm>

October 19-25, 2009 - Drug-Free Work Week

<http://www.dol.gov/asp/programs/drugs/workingpartners/DFWW-Introduction.asp>

October 23-31, 2009 - Red Ribbon Week

<http://www.redribboncoalition.com/>

November 2009 - Lung Cancer Awareness Month

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

November 19, 2009 - Great American Smokeout

<http://acsf2f.com/gaso>

If you want help with finding resources or planning for these events, please let us know. Also, if you plan something, tell us so we can include it in a future newsletter.

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>

Promotion Awareness for Motivational Incentives (PAMI)

This NIDA/SAMHSA blending initiative focuses on informing the field about successful approaches in the use of motivational incentives.

September 29, 2009 - Las Vegas, NV Cooperative Extension

October 15, 2009 - Reno, UNR, WRB 1003

Signs and Symptoms

The basics of pharmacology emphasizing signs and symptoms as well as management of intoxication, overdose and withdrawal from specific drug groups will be highlighted. New chemical agents used as adjuncts to traditional treatment methods will also be discussed.

October 1-2, 2009 - Reno, UNR, WRB 1003

Imagine the Possibilities

This conference will provide information for those providing support or care for someone with disabilities or special health care needs. Learn about community organizations, partnerships between programs, and educational systems. Information: <http://nevadaprc.org/docs/ConferenceRegistration-ImagineThePossibilities.pdf>

October 2-3, 2009 - Reno, NV, UNR, Joe Crowley Student Union

Youth and College Gambling: New Directions, New Discoveries

Hear from leading researchers about key discoveries on youth gambling as well as a task force with in depth recommendations on youth gambling and how higher education institutions are addressing the issue. This webinar provides 1 NAADAC CEU Register online at <https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/198500969>

October 22, 2009 11:00-12:00

Upcoming Events:

September 26, 2009 11:00-3:00 - 9th Annual Recovery Picnic

Join Together Northern Nevada is hosting this event in Cottonwood Park in Sparks. Flyer: <http://nevadaprc.org/docs/RecoveryPicnic.pdf> Please call Brandi at 324-7557 for more information.

September 26, 2009 11:00-3:00 - 2009 Recovery Month Picnic

Join Nevada AADAPTS for their Recovery Month Picnic at Lorenzi Park in Las Vegas. For more information call (702) 610-3382.

October 10, 2009 - A Family Affair...Connecting the Generational Dots

Join the Goshen Community Development Coalition for food, fun, and information on resources available in Las Vegas at the West Las Vegas Library. [Flyer](#)

October 17, 2009 9:00am-1:00pm - Prescription Drug Roundup

Community members are welcome to bring their old prescription and over-the-counter drugs to this event so that they can be disposed of properly. Locations will be available throughout Reno and Sparks. Please see the flyer for the list of locations and contact information. [Flyer](#)

October 23, 2009 - Early Childhood Summit on Comprehensive Services for Homeless Children and their Families

This Summit, held at the Tuscany Suites in Las Vegas, will serve as a venue to bring together professionals serving the young homeless populations in Nevada to help connect service providers with those in contact with these populations as well as provide a forum for discussing the issues associated with homelessness in very young children and their families. If you have any questions regarding this event please contact Denise Tanata Ashby or Tara Phebus at 702.895.1040 or via email at nicrp@unlv.edu. Register online at https://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=7hePV8oNBVosdZMsTLegVw_3d_3d

October 26-30, 2009 - Grantsmanship Training Program

The Grantsmanship Training Program is a comprehensive, hands-on workshop that covers the complete grant development process, from researching funding sources to writing and reviewing grant proposals. More than 110,000 nonprofit and government personnel have attended this fast-paced, five-day workshop, which is followed with a full year of membership support services. Please visit <http://www.tgci.com/gtptraining.shtml> for more information.

October 29, 2009 10:00-11:00 - Drug Free Workplaces: Benefitting Employers, Employees & Communities Webcast

This is an hour-long broadcast that focuses on what a drug free workplace can do for businesses, their employees and families, as well as the community as a whole. Experts will provide valuable information on how businesses gain the tools and assistance necessary to implement a successful drug-free workplace program. Experts in prevention, treatment, and recovery will also discuss substance abuse and addiction as it relates to the workplace. View more and register online at http://www.mctft.com/telecasts/view_course.aspx?telecastID=2009-10-29-1



NPRC Materials Update

Bulk Materials Update

There are four sections in the bulk materials update. The first is *New Materials* which includes everything that has been added to the clearinghouse database. Second is the *Back in Stock* section which includes items that were previously archived but are now available again. Next is the *Archived/Out of Stock* section. These items are out of stock at NCADI and the NPRC does not have any to distribute. Last are the *Discontinued* items. In this section are all items that can no longer be found and the NPRC has no copies of them. 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 #
NSDUH Report June 18, 2009	1368
TAP 31: Implementing Change in Substance Abuse Treatment Programs	1369
Smart Disposal Fact Sheet	1370
Smart Disposal bookmark	1371
Smart disposal Poster	1372
Smart Disposal Spanish Bookmark	1373
Smart Disposal Brochure	1374
Proper Disposal of Prescription Drugs	1375

Library Materials Update

The Library Materials update tells you what items have been added to the library collection. Most of these items are available for checkout and can be sent to your location. To search the online library catalog, please visit <http://library.washoe.k12.nv.us/webopac/main?siteid=804>.

Serials	Call Number	Title	Issue
	BADA JOURNAL NSD	The NSDUH report (formerly the NHSDA Report).	18-June-09

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 September Update are due September 10, 2009.

Community Updates



169 students from throughout Nevada attended the 2009 Statewide Youth Prevention Leadership Training, which included training on FASD, tobacco, alcohol, etc..



Dayton Stand Tall teen teams helped design t-shirts funded through Dayton Task Force, and wore them to school on 9-9-09, along with Healthy Communities staff and school staff. They used items like your bookmarks, posters and factsheets to educate other students, counselors, and teachers as well.



Partnership of Community Resources, in collaboration with Felix Pottery/3 Rooms Gallery, sponsored the community wide "Ring in Kindness" event. PCR staff is happy to report that "We have approximately 110 bells that we are going to randomly hang in our community at the end of September. We are so excited about our first bell hanging. All summer youth and community members have been creating one of a kind pieces of hanging art. Many hands and many hearts have gone into this first phase of our Inspire Kindness campaign."

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