COLLABORATING FOR A SAFER, HEALTHIER, MORE PRODUCTIVE FREMONT COUNTY



The Fremont County Prevention Program has made huge strides towards our goal of building a healthier, happier, more productive community. Our efforts have taken an approach focused on data driven practices and collaboration. While we're happy with the progress we've made, we know there is still a lot left to be accomplished!



BUILDING CAPACITY AND SAVING LIVES -SUICIDE PREVENTION FROM HORSE BACK TO THE MEETING ROOM:

The Fremont County Suicide Prevention Task Force truly believes one life lost to suicide is far too many, so considering our above average rank for death by suicide, we focused on finding ways to share hope and implement lifesaving solutions. A few of the projects we accomplished include partnering with schools to promote mental health resources, hosting a suicide prevention walk, supporting healing rides, creating community resource and information, and creating systems for community members to access mental health care.

NEW LOOK, MORE INVOLVEMENT, BETTER OUTCOMES

With prevention funds shifting back to Fremont County we've been able to energize our coalition seeing an increase in active coalition memberships and community engagement. To support the new growth and better depict our efforts, we rebranded, created organization mission and vision statements, recruitment information, and developed robust digital assets including

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In an effort to amplify our impact throughout the county, meeting locations are now rotated with additional opportunities for members to join remotely via Zoom. These efforts have led to greater engagement by surrounding communities and hold the potential to bring everyone together with a common goal.

DRUGS OUT OF THE = LESS ACCESS MEDICINE CABINET = TO THE STREETS

Fremont County Prevention Program and our partners continue to educate residents on the dangers of medication abuse and how by storing unused or expired medication they could be a part of the problem. In reviewing historic data, we saw an opportunity to focus outreach on outlying rural communities through localized drug take back events.



Examples of successful events include destroying 1,810 prescription pills in Dubois, and 2,930 pills at Midvale.

EMPOWERING STUDENTS TO CREATE A HEALTHIER, SAFER, MORE PROTECTIVE COMMUNITY-SAFE2TELL PROMOTION:

Providing Fremont County students access to the Safe2Tell program allows them to take control and feel a part of keeping our children and schools safe and healthy. Students can use Safe2Tell Wyoming to report: bullying, stealing, threats, fights, drugs, alcohol, weapons, sexual misconduct, harassment, stalking, dating violence, cutting, suicidal behaviors or any other violent or dangerous situations that threaten their safety or the safety of others. To maximize the infrastructure & resource in place, prevention related messaging & awareness materials are being promoted to youth aged 12 to 18 throughout the county.



FREMONT COUNTY FAIR PARTNERSHIP

Historically the Fair has been viewed as an event with heavy drinking where youth report their first time drinking alcohol, using tobacco and other drugs. To discourage these behaviors the Fremont County Prevention Program partnered with local law enforcement and the Fremont County Fair Board to change the narrative and educate on the dangers of alcohol and other drug use.







