

Prevention Across Health and Human Services

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Updates on Prevention

- Strategic Visioning
- Collaborative Activities
- Youth Engagement Planning
- Community Grants

Strategic Planning



SAMHSA Strategic Planning Process

Washington County Youth Substance Use Prevention Collaborative Vision:

We envision a Washington County where all youth have positive connections with peers and adults and opportunities for healthy decisions and behaviors. We are committed to reducing youth substance use and gambling through the power of a collaborative approach to prevention.

Prevention Collaborative Structure

PREVENTION STEERING COMMITTEE

Comprehensive governance committee with leaders from SUP, ACEs, and SPC. Bimonthly or quarterly meetings to report progress, share updates, discuss major issues. Steering Committee utilizes a shared website, meetings are recorded and posted, and summaries are shared online.

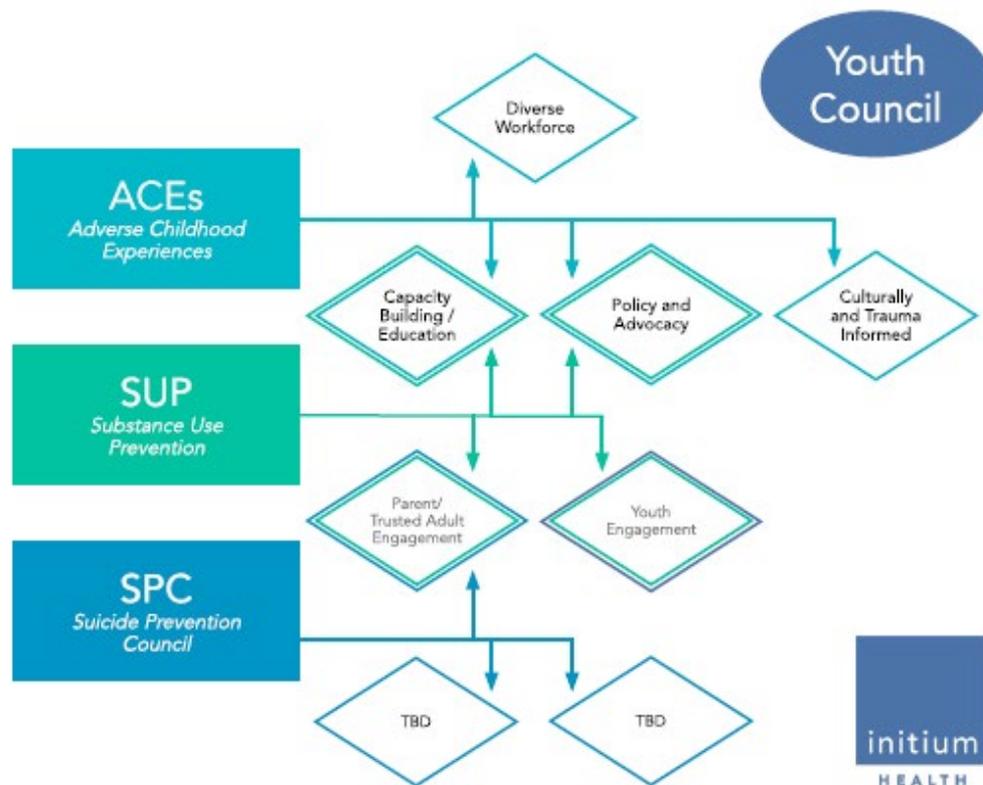
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Funding Opportunities

Strategic Planning

Regional Collaborations

Policy Advocacy



HHS Prevention Retreats



Mission Statement for Prevention

Together we promote and improve health and wellbeing across the lifespan of individuals and communities in Washington County.

We do this through the effective use of data, evidence-based prevention strategies, leadership, advocacy, partnerships, and the promotion of health equity.

We are Committed to:

Trust. We build trust both internally (among each other) and externally (with community and partners) through collaboration, authentic relationships, compassion, and transparency.

Being Reliable. We do what we say and provide evidence-based messaging to the community.

Human Centered Practices. We honor lived experience, combat stigma, and focus on hope and resiliency with the use of trauma-informed principals.

Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion. We strive to recognize, value, and empower all members of our community, celebrating all aspects of their identity.

Continuous learning and growth. We position ourselves as learners and take an innovative, solutions-focused, and strengths-based approach to our work.

Services for Families, Community, and Future Generations.

Collaborative Activities

- Braided Funding and Staffing
- Needs Assessment/Research Team
- Youth Engagement/Advisory Council



Youth Engagement

- Grant Development
- Policy development and presentation to local leaders
- Community engagement/feedback
- Convening event/summit/collaboration with city level YACs
- Areas of interest chosen by youth

Community Grants

Community prevention strategies to improve social and emotional wellness across the lifespan.

- Bienestar
- Bridge-Pamoja
- CAIRO
- Centro Cultural
- Education Explorers
- The FLIP Museum

Community Grants

Partnership with Clackamas County Tobacco Program

- African Refugee Immigrant Organization
- Doulas Latinas International
- Latino Network
- Living Islands Non-Profit
- Portland Opportunities Industrialization Center & Rosemary Anderson High School
- Portland Refugee Support Group
- Somali American Council of Oregon

Thank you!

Questions?

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