

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration  
Center for Substance Abuse Prevention**

**SPF-PFS**

**PFS 19**

**Progress Report  
For FY 2022 - Annual  
Reporting Period: 09/30/2021-09/29/2022**

**Submitted By**

**Grant Award Number:** SP081346

**Grantee Name:** Bulloch County Alcohol And Drug Abuse Council,  
Inc.

**Grantee Address:** 419 Fair Road, Unknown

**Grantee City, State, Zip Code:** Statesboro, Georgia (GA) 30458

**Submitter Name:** Charlotte Spell

**Submitter Phone:** 912-764-6405

**Submitter Title:** Project Coordinator

**Project Officer Name:** Kabaye Diriba

**Project Officer Phone:**

**Project Officer Feedback:** (Kabaye Diriba) Your annual progress report has been approved. Please upload this report to eRA Commons according to the Terms and Conditions of your grant award. Please contact me, Kabaye Diriba, should you have any questions. Thank you for your submission.

**Submission Date:** 12/05/2022

**Accepted Date:** 01/09/2023

## Administration

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### Subrecipient(s)

#### **Subrecipient: Decatur Prevention Initiative**

Address: 1647 Oak Ridge Circle, Stone Mountain, GA 30087

Type: Coalition

Date Funded: 10/01/2019

Funding End Date: 09/30/2024

Status: Active: Has begun implementation and/or funding

Amount Awarded Per Year: \$106,911.00

### High Need Community

#### **Bulloch County/Decatur**

Zip Codes: 30030, 30415, 30450, 30458, 30460, 30461

Target County or Counties: Bulloch County, City of Decatur

Start Date: 03/16/2020

High-Need Community Definition: High-Need Communities are defined as the members of the target population (14-24 yrs) with a history of abuse, neglect, and family history of addiction as well as members of the LGBTQ+ community and those living 150% below the poverty line.

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

## Assessment

### Accomplishments

Name	Description	Date
Assessment of community capacity	<p>BADC and DPI secured IRB approval to obtain data for the college population, after the staff obtained the necessary Collaborative Institute Training Initiative Program. The subrecipient college community has other priorities, and DPI is struggling with obtaining baseline data at this location. The two BADC colleges and one DPI college are providing archival data. The survey has been launched at one college in each community. Both sites are continuing to administer the survey to reach the desired sample size quota.</p> <p>Each community has baseline data for 14-18-year-olds (2022). The sample sizes are comparable to 2020 in both communities.</p> <p>Feedback is gathered at each coalition meeting to help drive strategies and assess training needs. Each community is routinely considering membership and determining gaps in participation and training needs.</p>	5/12/2022
Assessment of community readiness to act	<p>In 2020, Bulloch County and Decatur completed eight community readiness interviews during May and June. Staff completed the scoring and compiled the survey for submission, and the report was compiled and disseminated in August. The follow-up assessment was initiated in Decatur for underage drinking. The readiness scored maintained. This was a positive outcome considering the challenges presented during the pandemic.</p>	6/15/2022
Assessment of community risk and protective factors/causal factors	<p>The staff has developed and reviewed listening group sessions for both communities. Trained facilitators conducted listening sessions in October and completed the reports in February (see attached in Evaluation Section). Both communities will revisit these sessions in 2023.</p> <p>A state marijuana prevention agency identified communities of highest marijuana use rates which included Decatur. DPI was asked to have their community participate in a listening session. The results assisted the agency in producing a statewide marijuana prevention campaign, benefiting both communities.</p>	6/30/2022
Assessment of the magnitude of substance use related problems (consumption/consequences)	<p>Both communities obtained IRB approval to survey students at each respective college and university. BADC and DPI have been tabling events for data collection. Data collection began during Fall 2022 semester and will continue until the semester ends in early December.</p>	8/22/2022

Identification of community gaps in services	<p>After a review of the current needs assessment, both communities have identified the following gaps:                  Need to expand prevention services in local high schools in both communities. The schools are in active discussion with the PFS staff to offer more students the opportunity to participate in EBP.                  Seeking additional clarification of prevention and early intervention services provided at colleges in both communities.                  There is no identified centralized access point or network to reach young adults ages 18-24, particularly those not enrolled in college. However, this population is being reached via social media and theater ads. Analytics indicate this strategy is effective with the 18-24 non-student population. DPI is seeking alternative access to youth through local agencies (Decatur Housing Authority and YMCA). Both communities utilize media campaigns to build awareness and readiness.                  The gap between interagency communication and collaboration is still being experienced in subrecipient communities regarding college.                  No centralized AOD prevention and early intervention services on campus.</p>	8/30/2022
Identification of target communities	Decatur screened approximately 340 9th grade students using the Substance Use Risk Profile Scale. Approximately 48% of the students screened were identified for well-validated personality risk factors for substance misuse.	2/28/2022
Monitoring community needs assessment activities	Opportunities to gather primary data on each college campus in both communities continues to expand.	8/22/2022
Specification of baseline data	Staff updated FY18 high school baseline data using the FY19 and FY20 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0. The team anticipates this survey will be administered in 2021-2022, and GA DOE will post results in July 2022. In FY22, the GA Dept. of Education returned to administering the full GA Student Health Survey 2.0 rather than the brief Student Wellness Survey. Both communities have gathered this data. This grants the opportunity to compare trends prior to the pandemic.	7/20/2022

## Barriers/Challenges

Name	Description	TA Requested	TA Request Date	Additional Description	Date
Difficulty sampling target populations	<p>GA DOE did not offer the GA Student Health Survey in 2020 due to the pandemic, resulting in a gap in trend data.</p> <p>BADC completed the application for IRB approval, including emailing students the survey as a data collection method. The PI on the project was in agreement to this in the beginning. However, just before submitting the application, the PI indicated that the data collection</p>	No		BADC has formed a steering committee that is meeting regularly. The participants are very positive, expressing interest and need for this project. A faculty member	5/16/2022

method would need to be changed to "tabling events" to recruit survey participants. This has resulted in a tremendous reduction in the number of students who have been reached to participate in the survey. Even though both communities received IRB approval from respective colleges, the mechanism for obtaining surveys is limited. College environments operate at a slower pace than what each provider anticipated when developing the timeline.

volunteered to take on the lead point of contact for the International Review Board (IRB) approval. This process will grant BADC greater access to students. DPI has identified receptive staff at the local college and meets with them in a small workgroup regularly. Both providers are tabling at collegiate events to gain visibility and gather survey data.

BADC posted flyers around campus with a QR code that will pull up the student survey. Staff has also reached out to Student Leadership & Civic Engagement and asked that they send the flyer out to students. The Assistant Director of Greek Life has agreed to send the survey to Chapter Presidents, post to social media, and add to the November newsletter.

					Both communities are in constant communication with college administrators to address the PFS action plan.	
Difficulty sampling target populations	The Decatur community was unexpectedly required to receive active parental permission to screen youth for the PreVenture program.	No			Working closely with the program trainers and the school system administration, DPI developed a Google form that was sent to all parents of students enrolled in the winter semester health classes. A sizable number of parents provided permission and 172 students were screened.	2/7/2022
Lack of available data for specific age group populations (e.g. 18 to 25 year olds)	Local data for 18-25-year-olds are not readily available.	No			BADC and DPI initially conducted focus groups for this population. After prolonged efforts, the staff has received permission to gather surveys on campus. The team is also considering other data sources in each community of non-college youth ages 18-25.	9/26/2022

<p>Lack of collaboration between stakeholders (e.g., between agencies, between coalitions, between jurisdictions and funded community levels)</p>	<p>By definition, a steering committee is to remove obstacles to assist the provider in accomplishing project goals. However, both communities have not always experienced this benefit.</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>BADC and DPI are networking with other departments to expand the opportunities to administer the survey and to provide services.</p>	<p>9/29/2022</p>
<p>Major external community events like weather disasters</p>	<p>COVID-19 cases began to climb in the community in March 2020. The local university and public schools closed their doors to students and faculty. Most community members chose to shelter in place, and crowded events did not occur. The original individual-level strategy selected must travel for training and was no longer an option for the 2020-2021 school year. However, the individual-level strategy did open a virtual training option in the summer of 2021, and both communities participated. Decatur approached the schools and began their EBP in October.</p> <p>Communities are reeling from the after effects of the pandemic. Schools have seen a lag in reaching the grade-level Georgia standards of excellence. Students are reporting more mental health concerns that is consuming school resources. Identifying and training professionals who are in high demand has been challenging.</p> <p>GA Southern University students did not return to campus until Fall Semester 2020. Bulloch County public schools re-opened with a hybrid model in mid-August 2020. Bulloch schools are the proposed site for the implementation of the new individual-level strategy. The city of Decatur schools re-opened in mid-August virtually only and did not open in a hybrid model until late spring. Agnes Scott College re-</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>The staff continues to conduct most stakeholder meetings virtually. Equipment to allow for more effective hybrid meetings has been obtained and tested. Staff in both communities have taken advantage of PTTC training and webinars on various topics to keep communities on track through COVID and beyond. Staff continue to communicate regularly with community partners by email and phone calls. Initially, schools in both communities were open to programming in 2021-2022, and screening did occur in one community. Actual program delivery began in that community in late October.</p>	<p>9/29/2022</p>

		opened completely virtual as well and returned in the Winter of 2021.			Both communities have relied heavily on digital campaigns to increase awareness. Based on the community readiness score, this is an appropriate strategy.	
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## Capacity

### Membership

Name	Title	Organization	Date Joined	Member Type	Sector	Status	Date Exited
Janel Allen	Child and Adolescent Services Coordinator	DeKalb County Community Service Board	05/05/2020	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Behavioral health department/division	Active	
Multiple Youth under 18	Team Member (currently 13 Up from 5)	DPI Youth Action Team	10/01/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Youth groups/representatives	Active	
Anthony Robinson	School Resource Officer	City of Decatur Police Department	08/13/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Law enforcement agency	Active	
Kimberly Wilson	Program Coordinator	GUIDE, Inc.	10/01/2018	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Other (not listed)	Active	
Diane Andree	Student Success Coordinator	City Schools of Decatur	09/05/2017	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	School(s)/school districts	Active	
Marie McCollum	Director of Programs and Partnerships	Decatur Education Foundation	11/05/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Civic or volunteer organizations	Active	
Ninetta Violante	Asst. Fire Chief	Decatur Fire and Rescue	12/06/2017	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Emergency medical system	Active	
Kathleen Donovan	Media and Marketing Director	Decatur Parents Network and Pathways Transition center	04/05/2016	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Media (radio/TV stations, newspaper)	Active	
Stacey Stevens	Asst. Director	Decatur/Dekalb YMCA	03/05/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Other (not listed)	Active	
Lori Murphy	Program Development Director	Medical Association of Georgia	01/08/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Health care professionals	Active	
Devon Johnson	Maternal Substance Abuse and Child Development Outreach	Emory University and Hospital	12/16/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Health care professionals	Active	
Corey Bivens	Director of Youth Outreach and Programming	Decatur Housing Authority	01/01/2015	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Other (not listed)	Active	
Susan Morley	Parent in Long term Recovery	NA	11/13/2018	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Recovery community	Active	
Scott Tewell	Parent and PTSA representative	PTSA	11/12/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Parents/family/caregiver groups	Active	
Joel Gould	Local Business Owner and Person in Long term Recovery	Carrot and Stick	09/11/2018	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Business community	Active	
Wendy Jefferson	Public Health Evaluator	DeKalb County Public Health	12/16/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Public health department	Active	

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Joe Lee	Coordinator for Project Graduation	GA Dept of Labor	01/01/2015	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Other (not listed)	Active	
Joanne Chopak-Foss	Professor	College of Public Health	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	Research/Evaluation	Active	
Duane Sprull	Director Career Academy	City Schools of Decatur	01/01/2015	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	School(s)/school districts	Active	
Tony Pagliarullo	Pastor	Friendship Baptist Church	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	Faith-based organizations	Active	
Catherine Tootle	Manager	Susan Ford Recovery Community Organization	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	Recovery community	Active	
Sara Gheesling	Therapist	Private Therapist	06/02/2020	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	School(s)/school districts	Active	
Bret Frazier	Assistant Director	Center for Addiction Recovery	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	Advocacy volunteers	Active	
Gemma Skuraton	Director of Student Wellness	GA Southern University	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	School(s)/school districts	Active	
Joy Deal	Program Director	Statesboro-Bulloch Co Parks & Recreation	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	Other (not listed)	Active	
Valencia Breedlove	Juvenile Program Administrator	Dekalb County Juvenile court	01/01/2015	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Courts/judiciary	Active	
Troy Earnest	Lay Leader	Decatur Young Life	03/19/2019	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Faith-based organizations	Active	
Jamey Patrick	Parent	Parent	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	Parents/family/caregiver groups	Active	
Kacey Gammon	Director of Substance Use Services	Pineland CSB	06/18/2020	Project Advisory Council	Behavioral health department/division	Active	
Jackie Howard	Nursing Instructor	Ogeechee Technical College	04/16/2020	Project Advisory Council	Health care professionals	Active	
Angel Riley	Deputy Chief Assistant District Attorney	DeKalb County District Attorney's Office	01/01/2021	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Courts/judiciary	Active	
India Kellum	Project Health Officer-Substance Misuse Prevention	Dekalb County Public Health	09/30/2021	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Public health department	Active	
Johnnie Moore	School Resource Officer	City of Decatur Police Department	08/01/2021	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Law enforcement agency	Active	
Isaac Howard	Sr. Asst. DA-Pretrial Diversion	DeKalb County District Attorney's Office	03/01/2021	Other: DPI Workgroup Coalition	Courts/judiciary	Active	

## Advisory Council and Other Workgroup Meetings

Meeting Type	Meeting Name/Topic	Meeting Date	Uploaded File
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	Campus & Community Partnership	10/13/2021	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	10/07/2021	
Other - Prevention Education Committee	GA's Opioid & Substance Use Response Plan: Prevention Education Committee	10/26/2021	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	11/04/2021	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	12/02/2021	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	01/06/2022	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	02/03/2022	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	03/03/2022	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	04/07/2022	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	05/05/2022	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	06/02/2022	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	08/04/2022	
Project Advisory Council	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council	09/01/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	Campus & Community Partnership	01/12/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	Campus & Community Partnership	04/13/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	Campus Wellness Ambassadors	07/11/2022	
Other - state advocacy group	GA Alcohol Policy Alliance Board of Directors	10/08/2021	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	GA Alcohol Policy Alliance Board Meeting	12/03/2021	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	City Council Package Stores Work Session	12/21/2021	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	GA Alcohol Policy Alliance	01/28/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	GA Alcohol Policy Alliance	02/10/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	GA Alcohol Policy Alliance Board Meeting	03/04/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	GA Alcohol Policy Alliance Board Meeting	03/31/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	6-Month Strategic Plan	05/30/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	Let's Be Clear, GA Board Meeting	06/10/2022	
Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup	GA Prescription Drug Prevention Collaborative	09/07/2022	
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	October 2021 DPI meeting	10/12/2021	<a href="#">dpi october 2021 coalition agenda and minutes.pdf</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	November 2021 DPI meeting	11/09/2021	<a href="#">November 2021 Coalition meeting agenda SURVEY RESULTS.docx</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	December 2021 DPI Appreciation Event meeting	12/06/2021	<a href="#">6.DPI DECEMBER APPRECIATION MINUTES.docx</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	January 2022 DPI meeting	01/11/2022	<a href="#">2.dpi january coalition agenda and minutes 2022.pdf</a>

Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	February 2022 DPI meeting	02/08/2022	<a href="#">3.dpi february coaliti on agenda and min utes.pdf</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	March 2022 DPI meeting	03/08/2022	<a href="#">4.DPI March COALITION AGENDA AND MINUTES.pdf</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	April 2022 DPI meeting	04/12/2022	<a href="#">dpi april notes with agenda.pdf</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	May 2022 DPI meeting	05/10/2022	<a href="#">dpi may coalition ag enda 2 final 1 .p df</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	DPI September 2022 Meeting Agenda and Notes	09/13/2022	<a href="#">dpi september coaliti on agenda 1 (1).pdf</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	DPI Coalition July 2022 Agenda	07/12/2022	<a href="#">dpi july coalition ag enda and minutes u pdated (1).pdf</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	DPI Coalition June Meeting Agenda-Staff only	08/16/2022	<a href="#">DPI June Coalition Agenda (1).docx</a>
Other - DPI Workgroup Coalition	DPI Coalition August 2022 Agenda	08/09/2022	<a href="#">DPI August Coalition 2022 Agenda final.docx</a>

## Grantee Funding Resources

Source of Funding/Resources	Did the grantee use the funding stream for program priorities in your communities?
SAMHSA Partnerships for Success (PFS)	Yes
SAMHSA Strategic Prevention Framework for Prescription Drugs (SPF-Rx)	No
SAMHSA State Targeted Response to the Opioid Crisis Grants (Opioid STR)	No
Drug Free Communities Grants	Yes
STOP Act Funding	Yes
Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant	Yes
State/Territory Funds (excluding State Medicaid)	No
Local Funds (excluding State Medicaid)	Yes

## Training and Technical Assistance (TA)

### Received by Grantee

#### Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/20/2022

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: Project Officer and grantee decided to meeting bi-monthly instead of monthly moving forward.

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

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Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Georgia School of Addiction Studies**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/28/2022

Brief Description: This four-day training is hosted annually and not only provides pertinent training, but allows attendees to benefit from networking and collaboration.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Grantee Data Collection; Infrastructure Development; Prevention Fundamentals; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Substance Use; Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Georgia School of Addiction Studies

Delivery Mechanism: Face to Face

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/16/2022

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Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: CADCA**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/18/2022

Brief Description: The CADCA Mid-Year Conference presents timely updates on a variety of prevention topics from top presenters from around the nation. This professional development opportunity keeps the grantee in tune with the latest findings regarding all steps of the SPF process.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Grantee Data Collection; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; Marketing/Communications; Prevention Fundamentals; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning; Substance Use; Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Additional Description: This conference ran from July 18-21, 2023.

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Delivery Mechanism: Face to Face

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Prevention Meets Harm Reduction: How Community Collaborations Work Across the Continuum, Pt 2**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/30/2022

Brief Description: The prevention spectrum now includes harm reduction strategies. Understanding how these two work together is necessary to bring stakeholders on board as we address substance use across the continuum.

Topics: Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: How can prevention coalitions work across the continuum of care to maximize impact and sustain systems-level changes that promote wellness for everyone? This virtual series will provide a framework for understanding harm reduction strategies by sharing the history and pillars of harm reduction as a social movement and examples of various types of harm reduction strategies. Participants will explore how the goals and values of prevention intersect with harm reduction and how we can work together through community collaborations to address overlapping goals. Finally, we will explore how the knowledge brought from those with lived experience can enhance our implementation strategies across the continuum of care.

Source of Assistance: PTTC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Prevention Meets Harm Reduction: How Community Collaborations Work Across the Continuum, Pt. 1**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/28/2022

Brief Description: The field of substance use prevention has been introduced to harm reduction. This shift requires solid understanding to be able to effectively share with stakeholders.

Topics: Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: How can prevention coalitions work across the continuum of care to maximize impact and sustain systems-level changes that promote wellness for everyone? This virtual series will provide a framework for understanding harm reduction strategies by sharing the history and pillars of harm reduction as a social movement and examples of various types of harm reduction strategies. Participants will explore how the goals and values of prevention intersect with harm reduction and how we can work together through community collaborations to address overlapping goals. Finally, we will explore how the knowledge brought from those with lived experience can enhance our implementation strategies across the continuum of care.

Source of Assistance: PTTC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Alcohol Policy/Advocacy**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/24/2022

Brief Description: Technical assistance helped the newly formed GA Alcohol Policy Alliance understand how to influence policy through advocacy, not lobbying.

Topics: Community Data Collection; Environmental Strategies;  
Substance Use

Additional Description: Technical assistance helped the newly formed GA Alcohol Policy Alliance understand how to influence policy through advocacy, not lobbying.

Source of Assistance: Other - Mike Sparks & Dylan Ellerbee  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/21/2022

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update of PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Lessons Learned from Marijuana Legalization**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/24/2022

Brief Description: Understanding lessons learned by states that have legalized marijuana equips those in GA to bring those lessons to local and state policymakers as a tool to advocate against marijuana legalization.

Topics: Collaboration; Developing Prevention Systems; Strategic Planning; Substance Use

Additional Description: Today's marijuana is much more potent than in the past — with pot edibles, candies, cookies, ice creams, and waxes being up to 99% THC. In comparison, marijuana in the Woodstock era contained 5% THC. Luke Niforatos will take participants through the latest facts and figures on what is really happening in legalized states and the overall goal of the legalization movement.

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/17/2022

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana & Social Justice, Part 2**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/10/2022

Brief Description: Understanding how the marijuana industry shapes messaging to sound like they are concerned about social justice, but then realizing that the industry targets low-income neighborhoods helps the grantee educate the community on myths surrounding marijuana legalization.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Substance Use  
Additional Description: Where there are issues of systemic injustice and racism, legalization does not address the root of these issues and instead only exacerbates these problems by promoting increased drug use and the accompanying negative social consequences in disadvantaged communities.

Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Be Clear, GA  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana and Youth: A Data Perspective with Emphasis on Vermont**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/03/2022

Brief Description: BADC will be using data to drive decisions to address marijuana use.

Topics: Community Data Collection; Substance Use; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: GAPA Legislative Approach Debrief and Planning**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/27/2022

Brief Description: To have a well-thought out plan for legislative session so GAPA can be effective in addressing alcohol policies with legislators.

Topics: Collaboration; Environmental Strategies

Additional Description: No other comments

Source of Assistance: Other - Alcohol Justice

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Bridge the Gap Between Parents and Teens: How to Keep Tweens & Teens Talking to Us**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/26/2022

Brief Description: BADC needs to provide parents with tips and tools to keep their children engaged in conversations regarding substance use. Parents are a major influence in a child's decision to engage in risky behavior.

Topics: Substance Use

Additional Description: There are so many curveballs and moments of uncertainty in parenting 'tweens and teens. In this presentation, we will focus on trouble spots such as keeping our big kids talking to us, putting an end to arguing and yelling, and being the kind of parent your child can confide in.

Source of Assistance: Other - Operation Parent

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: The Progression of Vaping to Marijuana & Alcohol to Opiate Abuse**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/26/2022

Brief Description: To be able to show the connection of vaping to use of other drugs. This information needs to be shared with youth and parents.



Topics: Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: This presentation will review the clinical data which shows this natural progression to truly have scientific merit.

Learning Objectives

1. To understand the increased use of vaping, especially among our youth and young adults, and how vaping enhances the levels (bioavailability) of substances causing further difficulties.
2. To obtain knowledge about the multiple different substances both legal and illicit that are being abused via vaping.
3. To achieve better comprehension on how vaping has been designed and clearly demonstrated to lead to marijuana use and abuse.
4. To understand how marijuana use contributes and progresses to opiate/opioid misuse and abuse.

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/19/2022

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Polysubstance Use: Methamphetamine Amidst the Overdose Crisis**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/12/2022

Brief Description: This information is very useful as BADC strives to reduce overdose deaths in the community. Understanding the polydrug use among different demographics assists staff in addressing the problem.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Community Data Collection; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: This workshop will present recent data about overdose deaths during the recent COVID-19 pandemic and the marked increases in fentanyl-related and stimulant-related (i.e. methamphetamine and cocaine) across the country. These changes are a stark reminder of the polydrug nature of drug use, and Dr. Compton will emphasize the importance of primary prevention in addressing these serious concerns.

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: ADHD & Cannabis Use**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/05/2022

Brief Description: This training provided useful information that can be used to address a specific subpopulation's vulnerability to cannabis use disorder. The more we can inform the community, the less young people will use marijuana.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) is a condition characterized by attention dysregulation, impulsivity, hyperactivity and executive functioning issues. Cannabis is one of the most widely abused substances among people with ADHD. Studies show that those diagnosed with ADHD are more likely to develop a Cannabis Use Disorder. One study found that 34% to 46% of those seeking treatment for cannabis dependence had an ADHD diagnosis. Cannabis is not medicinal for ADHD. Cannabis carries lifelong psychological and physical consequences to the developing brain and body, and people with ADHD are especially vulnerable to its effects. This webinar will first educate viewers on the facts on ADHD, a widely misunderstood diagnosis. Understanding why people with ADHD are at higher risk for dependence will be reviewed through knowledge on the ADHD brain, as well as other psychological factors. Though marijuana use is a hotly debated topic, this webinar focuses on strong scientific studies

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/15/2022

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Take Down Tobacco - National Day of Action Preview**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/09/2022

Brief Description: Preparing for National Take Down Tobacco Day - our community addresses vaping both nicotine & THC

Topics: Collaboration; Environmental Strategies; Marketing/Communications; Substance Use

Additional Description: no additional comments

Source of Assistance: Other - Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana's Impact on Driving**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/24/2022

Brief Description: To increase the public's perception of risk surrounding marijuana use.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals; Substance Use

Additional Description: This seminar will discuss the impact marijuana use has on driving. Review of pharmacokinetics of major cannabis components. Review data from impaired driving fatalities and methods used to monitor impaired drivers.

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Legislative Session Preparation**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/18/2022

Brief Description: BADC staff is helping to launch a statewide alcohol policy alliance. This TA session walked GAPA members through some of the do's and don'ts around advocacy and lobbying. This is needed because influencing alcohol policy at the state level trickles down to impact our local community.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development; Organization Development

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: Other - Alcohol Justice

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Framing Fundamentals, Part 3**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/16/2022

Brief Description: Communities need to know best practices for framing prevention messages. This was a 3-part series that built upon each session.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Marketing/Communications

Additional Description: Learn what framing is and why it matters; Get weekly tips to help you more effectively frame and deliver substance use prevention messages; and Strengthen your framing skills through practice and feedback in the workshop series.

Source of Assistance: Other - HIDTA; ADAPT; Frame Works

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call with Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/15/2022

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana & the Pediatric Patient**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/08/2022

Brief Description: This training provided information on how to incorporate an evidence-based tool into a community's prevention system to address youth marijuana use. With adolescents having a very low perception of harm regarding marijuana, it is important that they hear the facts from adults they feel they can trust.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: Psychosocial screening is an essential part of the adolescent medical visit. Recent changes in marijuana laws around the country have impacted adolescent views on marijuana and teens' perception of harm regarding marijuana use has decreased. Currently, marijuana now surpasses tobacco use for many young people. The adolescent visit is an important opportunity to address common misperceptions regarding use. This talk will give the provider an update on today's marijuana and includes a) a brief review of those health effects that make the adolescent population particularly vulnerable to marijuana use, b) a discussion on cultural norms and how they affect adolescent and young adult use, and c) the importance of self-efficacy in choosing healthy behaviors.

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Framing Fundamentals, Part 2**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/01/2022

Brief Description: Messaging is so important as we work with diverse populations. It is important to learn best practices to ensure cultural competency.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Marketing/Communications

Additional Description: Learn what framing is and why it matters; Get weekly tips to help you more effectively frame and deliver substance use prevention messages; and Strengthen your framing skills through practice and feedback in the workshop series.

Source of Assistance: Other - HIDTA; ADAPT; Frame Works  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Where Does Cannabis Go in the Body and How It May Affect the Teenager's Brain**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/25/2022

Brief Description: Understanding where cannabis goes in the body & how it affect the developing brain equips the grantee to educate youth and young adults on the risks of cannabis use.

Topics: Substance Use

Additional Description: This presentation will begin with the composition of the cannabis plant, outlining its complexity with over 400 chemicals and four major compounds. It will then provide an overview of the endocannabinoid system within the brain and the body. This will be followed by the characteristics of the adolescent brain, particularly focussing on the possible effects of THC on the pruning process. It will also provide information on the effects of cannabis use on cognitive functioning, as well as the possible induction of THC on disrupting the excitatory-inhibitory balance of neural networks.

There will then be a discussion on why some teenagers are more at risk of developing an enduring psychotic illness following the use of high-THC cannabis.

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Framing Fundamentals - Workshop 1**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/19/2022

Brief Description: To help ensure the grantee is producing prevention messages that are framed in an effective way.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Marketing/Communications

Additional Description: This is an 8-week series. Learn what framing is and why it matters; Get weekly tips to help you more effectively frame and deliver substance use prevention messages; and Strengthen your framing skills through practice and feedback in the workshop series.

Source of Assistance: Other - ADAPT; HIDTA; and Frame Works

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/18/2022

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Let's Be Clear Annual Marijuana Prevention Summit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/11/2022

Brief Description: Understanding marijuana and social justice issues helps the grantee incorporate cultural competency in the SPF process of this project. Also, understanding how the marijuana industry actually targets low-income areas that are predominantly occupied by people of color sets the grantee up to educate and inform the public on this issue.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Substance Use

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: Other - Smart Approaches to Marijuana  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/21/2021

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Cannabis and Mental Health**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/08/2021

Brief Description: The training increased the capacity of the provider to tailor prevention efforts to address mental health topics that are scientifically linked to cannabis use.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Prevention Fundamentals; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: This session will review literature regarding cannabis and it's impact on various mental health disorders. It will discuss how to consider the current state of literature in the context of your patient's clinical presentation, how to evaluate the risk/benefit in your patient and how to approach psychoeducation regarding the impact of cannabis on mental health disorders such as depression, bipolar, anxiety, sleep and psychosis.

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: High in Plain Sight**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/07/2021

Brief Description: Grantee & sub-recipient need to gain knowledge on the recent ways that youth and young adults are abusing everyday products that are not typically viewed as substances of abuse. This information will be used to educate others, especially parents, on signs and specific products to be aware of when trying to prevent substance use.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Substance Use

Additional Description: Topics to Be Addressed  
How to recognize alcohol and drug clothing, alcoholic energy drinks, alcopops;

Alcohol and drug concealment methods and containers, drug paraphernalia;

Drug related music and groups, logos, stickers, new technology, youth party tendencies, party games, non-traditional alcoholic beverages;

Social networking sites;

Synthetic drugs, OTC drugs, inhalants, concentrates, Ecigarettes, and popular party drugs; and

Common stash compartments that can be used to hide weapons and other contraband.

Source of Assistance: Other - Officer Jermain "TALL COP" Galloway  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: TA on Alcohol Policy Brief**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/22/2021

Brief Description: As part of the GA Alcohol Policy Alliance, we are creating an alcohol issue brief to educate policymakers on the risks associated with excessive drinking. The issue brief also provides suggested strategies from the CDC's Community Preventive Services Task Force.

Topics: Marketing/Communications; Organization Development

Additional Description: Bob Brewer M.D. served as a Lead Epidemiologist for Alcohol Program in the National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion. He provided a wealth of information to help guide us as we craft the policy brief.

Source of Assistance: Other - Retired CDC Staff - Dr. Bob Brewer  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Preparing an Alcohol Issue Brief**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/22/2021

Brief Description: Bob Brewer with the CDC reviewed the first draft of the GA Alcohol Policy Alliance's alcohol brief. He then met with the grantee's project coordinator who is also the data director for GAPA to discuss the brief and provide technical assistance on how to improve the product. This brief will be distributed to stakeholders and legislative partners.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: Other - CDC  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PFS Continuation Application**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/18/2021

Brief Description: This training was needed to provide us with information on how to apply for continuation funding and what to include in the application.

Topics: Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: CSAP

Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call with Project Officer**

Status: Received

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Was Training Timely: Yes

Begin Date: 11/16/2021

Additional Description: No additional comments

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: The Dangerous Truth About Today's Marijuana: High-Potency, Psychosis, and Suicide**

Status: Received

Brief Description: The training provided recent information about high-potency THC products, use statistics, and overdose statistics. A mother who lost her son shared the journey that her son went on from high school until his death. She shared how he first accessed marijuana and the methods he later used to sell drugs. All of this information provides a clearer picture of the marijuana landscape as it is TODAY. Parents and grandparents need to be educated on this. This is why we need to be informed.

Topics: Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Source of Assistance: Other - International Academy on the Science and Impact of Cannabis (IASIC)

Was Training Timely: Yes

Begin Date: 11/10/2021

Additional Description: Laura Stack is a mother who lost her son, Johnny, to suicide as a result of experiencing psychotic episodes caused by his use of high-potency THC products. She has a training that people can complete to become one of 'Johnny's Ambassadors' to share the message about the danger of these products.

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Women and Weed**

Status: Received

Brief Description: Understanding how the marijuana industry specifically markets to women will help our efforts to educate women on the risks associated with marijuana use.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Marketing/Communications; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Source of Assistance: Other - International Academy on the Science and Impact of Cannabis (IASIC)

Was Training Timely: Yes

Begin Date: 11/09/2021

Additional Description: This is part of a series of webinars being offered by IASIC.

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Women and Weed: History of Cannabis and Women's Health**

Status: Received

Brief Description: This training provided information specific to a subpopulation. The grantee will be better able to address women and how cannabis can affect women.

Begin Date: 11/09/2021



Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description: This presentation will outline the rapidly changing culture of cannabis use highlighting potency and routes of administration, perception of risk, and common exchanges regarding substance use and women's issues. It will share popular products marketed to women and campaigns targeted to female identified individuals. It will review public health concerns including child protective services, health concerns of using during pregnancy and breastfeeding, as well as the influence on self and family, and how to have an intelligent "cannabis conversation."

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Let's Get Clear Annual Marijuana Policy Summit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/04/2021

Brief Description: Marijuana legalization is a hot topic in the state of GA. Attending the policy summit provides the grantee with updates on where legalization stands and what may be coming up during the next legislative session. If we are able to prevent further legalization, it will reduce access, thereby protecting youth and young adults in our communities.

Topics: Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Get Clear, GA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana - Parenting for Prevention**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/03/2021

Brief Description: Parents are often unaware of the reality of today's marijuana landscape. Educating them is an effort to increase their ability to hold conversations with their children to reduce the likelihood of use.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Prevention Fundamentals; Substance Use

Additional Description: In this webinar, we will explore the important role parents play, discuss the landscape of cannabis products our kids may be exposed to and learn how we can reduce the chances of our teens using.

Source of Assistance: Other - Operation Parent

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: The Dangerous Truth About Today's Marijuana**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/28/2021

Brief Description: The grantee needs to stay informed of the types of high-potency THC products available and how they can affect the mental health status of youth and young adults. This will increase the capacity of the grantee to share this type of information with the intended audience.

Topics: Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use

Additional Description: Laura Stack's 19-year-old son, Johnny, died by suicide on November 20, 2019, after becoming delusional from dabbing high-THC marijuana concentrates. Soon afterward, Laura started a 501c3, Johnny's Ambassadors, to educate parents and teens about the dangers of today's high-THC marijuana on adolescent brain development, mental illness, and suicide. In this session, Laura will share the story of Johnny's marijuana addiction from a parent's point of view, a poignant chronicle of the shocking descent from innocence to eventual suicide.

Source of Assistance: Other - Laura Stack, Johnny's Ambassadors  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Cannabis & the Opioid Epidemic**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/26/2021

Brief Description: Many young adults are using multiple substances simultaneously. This training helped the grantee better understand how using marijuana & opioids together can affect individuals. This is important for us to know as we try to educate young adults in our communities.

Topics: Substance Use; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description: The relationship between the endocannabinoid and opioid system will be described and the associated public health and safety concerns will be outlined.

Source of Assistance: Other - IASIC  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Accelerating Successful ACEs & Resilience Efforts in 2022**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/26/2021

Brief Description: Learning how to develop and implement strategies to reduce ACEs, increase the use of Trauma-Informed Practices, and strengthen community resilience.

Topics: Developing Prevention Systems; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; Prevention Fundamentals; Risk and Protective Factors

Additional Description: Participants will learn how this current program is helping these coalitions dramatically improve their effectiveness in building out and implementing parts of a larger ACEs & Resilience strategy.

The webinar shares parts of their journey and shows examples of the techniques they are learning for creating more powerful and "implementable" strategies.

Source of Assistance: Other - The ACEs & Resilience Resource Commons for Communities (ARRCC)  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Meeting with Steven Sainz, Legislator**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/22/2021

Brief Description: There is a need to know how best to approach and address legislators as we educate them on substance use issues.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description: Representative Sainz provided TA to myself and a colleague as members of the GA Alcohol Policy Alliance. He addressed methods of communication, messaging, and education vs. lobbying.

Source of Assistance: Other - Local Legislator

Delivery Mechanism: Telephone Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: SAM Summit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/22/2021

Brief Description: Smart Approaches to Marijuana (SAM) provides timely information regarding marijuana-related outcomes, recent policy changes, and all things in between. This is very important for us as a coalition in a state where marijuana dispensaries have been approved, but are not yet in place. Also, we need all the information we can get to help educate community members on the potential negative consequences of any further marijuana legalization.

Topics: Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Smart Approaches to Marijuana

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Georgia Legislative Process**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/22/2021

Brief Description: As a member of the GA Alcohol Policy Alliance (GAPA), BADC participated in a TA call with a local state representative who walked participants through the legislative process. This session was needed as the newly formed GAPA began to review alcohol-related legislation that could affect local communities.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: Other - GA State Representative Steven Sainz

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly Call w/Project Officer**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/19/2021

Brief Description: PFS staff meet with the Project Officer to review accomplishments & barriers encountered. The PO also provides any updates pertinent to the project.

Topics: Other - Monthly update on PFS project

Additional Description: No additional comments

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Cocaine, Meth, and Stimulant Summit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/14/2021

Brief Description: This is a 3-day summit with valuable information on emerging threats regarding cocaine, meth, and stimulants. All three substances are being abused in our local community. The conference provides examples of collaboration between public health and law enforcement. It is imperative that we know what is happening with these substances since they are being addressed in the PFS.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Development of Overdose Prevention System; Environmental Strategies; Overdose Outcome Measures; Overdose Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., shelter, correction facility); Risk and Protective Factors; State/Territory Data Collection; Substance Use/Abuse; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - HMP Psychiatry + Behavioral Health  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: The Neuroscience of Addiction**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/12/2021

Brief Description: The training provided information on the science of addiction. Gaining a better understanding of how addiction affects the brain helps us to better understand what is happening as our target audience begins to use. We are better equipped to address what it is we are trying to prevent.

Topics: Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - NAADAC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: HIDTA Prevention Summit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/07/2021

Brief Description: This summit provides updated information on substance use and overdose emerging threats and emerging trends. It is necessary for us to stay current in our research to ensure that we are addressing priority needs.

Topics: Collaboration; Developing Prevention Systems; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - HIDTA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana-Related Suicide**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/14/2021

Brief Description: Marijuana use among 14-24 year olds is a concern in Bulloch County. It is important to understand how substance use and mental health interact. This information can be shared with the target population and parents.

Topics: Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Be Clear GA - state marijuana prevention education & advocacy group

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Red Ribbon Week & Beyond**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/09/2021

Brief Description: Red Ribbon Week is celebrated each year. This webinar provided a chance to hear of activities that prevention providers have implemented that could be replicated locally. It also provided a networking opportunity with prevention providers across the state.

Topics: Collaboration; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE - state prevention partner

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Legislative Approach**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/01/2021

Brief Description: GA has not had an advocacy group to address effective alcohol policy. BADC's project coordinator is helping to establish the GA Alcohol Policy Alliance, under the supervision of the U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance. Michael Sparks conducted this TA session to provide an overview of what the legislative approach to prevention may look like.

Topics: Organization Development

Source of Assistance: Other - U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: Social Injustice and Marijuana

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/19/2021

Brief Description: GA's statewide marijuana prevention education & advocacy group holds an annual summit each year. BADC's project coordinator serves as the President of Let's Be Clear. She and the executive director met with Smart Approaches to Marijuana to discuss having this year's main topic be Social Injustice and Marijuana.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Smart Approaches to Marijuana (SAM)

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: Developing a Local Policy Campaign

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/13/2021

Brief Description: GA has limited medical marijuana. This course is helpful in teaching participants the steps to take to address policy at the local and/or state level. Each year, there is legislation that attempts to relax laws around marijuana. This is a tool that can be used to empower communities to address potential concerns with further legalization.

Topics: Collaboration; Environmental Strategies

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/12/2021

Brief Description: Week 3 of CADCA's National Coalition Academy

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/11/2021

Brief Description: Week 3 of CADCA's National Coalition Academy

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Organization Development; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy**

Status: Received

Brief Description: Week 3 of CADCA's National Coalition Academy

Topics: Collaboration; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Was Training Timely: Yes

Begin Date: 08/10/2021

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Parents Can't Stop What They Don't Know**

Status: Received

Brief Description: BADC has a newly formed Parent Network. This training allowed participants to learn effective communication strategies to help parents understand the landscape of today's substance use.

Topics: Collaboration; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Source of Assistance: Other - Operation Parent

Was Training Timely: Yes

Begin Date: 08/10/2021

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy**

Status: Received

Brief Description: Week 3 of CADCA's National Coalition Academy

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Was Training Timely: Yes

Begin Date: 08/09/2021

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: GIS Mapping Alcohol Outlets**

Status: Received

Brief Description: BADC plans to be one of two pilot sites for the GA Alcohol Policy Alliance to produce GIS mapping of alcohol outlet density overlaid with calls for service from local law enforcement. The allowance for package stores will be on the ballot November 2021. This is one strategy to be used when addressing the number of licenses, location of outlets, etc.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Data Entry; Environmental Strategies; Grantee Data Collection; Needs Assessment

Source of Assistance: CDC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Begin Date: 08/03/2021

Additional Description: TA call was with Mike Fliss.

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Vaping 101**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/30/2021

Brief Description: Though THC is illegal in GA, vape products are available via the internet and local dealers. It is a popular method among 14-24 year-olds. It is important for prevention providers to understand what products are available, what they look like, and the potential effects to be able to educate the community.

Topics: Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse; Youth Involvement

Source of Assistance: Other - A GA DFC Coalition

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Alcohol: No Ordinary Commodity**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/20/2021

Brief Description: This was an additional 7-hour training on the strategies outlined in the book.

Topics: Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Alcohol: No Ordinary Commodity**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/19/2021

Brief Description: Prevention partners from across the state participated in this training provided by Michael Sparks and Dylan Ellerbee with the U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance. Participants read and discussed effective strategies to reduce excessive alcohol use. These partners are the foundation of the GA Alcohol Policy Alliance. During COVID-19, the state and most of its communities relaxed alcohol-related laws. Prevention providers need to know how to select and implement evidence-based, effective strategies.

Topics: Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Alcohol Outlet Density**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/30/2021

Brief Description: A TA call with Michael Sparks from the U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance and ChangeLab Solutions to discuss his work conducting an alcohol outlet density project.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Environmental Strategies

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Emerging Trends**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/23/2021

Brief Description: Keeping up with emerging drug trends is necessary to ensure that prevention providers are alert to what may be happening in the local community. This helps stay current with the community needs assessment.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - HIDTA

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Underage Drinking Among College Students**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/16/2021

Brief Description: The PFS addresses the college-age population. Bulloch County has one university, one technical college, and one state college. There are over 20,000 enrolled at the Statesboro campus.

Topics: Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - DEA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PreVenture**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/11/2021

Brief Description: Facilitator training is required to implement as an individual-level strategy to reach ages 14-17.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Overdose LifeLine

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PreVenture**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/10/2021

Brief Description: Facilitator training needed to implement as an individual-level strategy to reach ages 14-17.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Overdose LifeLine

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PreVenture**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/09/2021

Brief Description: PreVenture will be implemented as an individual-level strategy in Bulloch County to reach youth ages 14-17. This was the facilitator training required to implement the program with fidelity.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Overdose Lifeline

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Policy Analysis**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/01/2021

Brief Description: Substance-related policies are introduced at the state and local level. Prevention professionals need to understand how to analyze policies to identify best practices and to identify areas for improvement.

Topics: Collaboration; Environmental Strategies; Risk and Protective Factors; Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - ChangeLab Solutions

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy**



Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/20/2021

Brief Description: Week 2 of the National Coalition Academy covered the following topics: 1) designing & selecting interventions, 2) strategic & action planning, and 3) coalition evaluation.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/19/2021

Brief Description: Week 2 of the National Coalition Academy covered the following topics: 1) designing & selecting interventions, 2) strategic & action planning, and 3) coalition evaluation.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/18/2021

Brief Description: Week 2 of the National Coalition Academy covered the following topics: 1) designing & selecting interventions, 2) strategic & action planning, and 3) coalition evaluation.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: National Coalition Academy**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/17/2021

Brief Description: Week 2 of the National Coalition Academy covered 1) designing & selecting interventions, 2) strategic & action planning, and 3) coalition evaluation.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana Opt-Out Toolkit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/29/2021

Brief Description: Georgia has limited legal medical marijuana. Cultivation and dispensaries were just approved. Local communities have the option to "opt-out" of either or both of these. Training on how to use the toolkit helps participants know how to approach local policymakers to hold a conversation around cultivation and dispensaries and how they can affect youth marijuana use.

Topics: Collaboration; Environmental Strategies  
Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Be Clear GA  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building Capacity for Community Change**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Capacity building is step 2 of the Strategic Prevention Framework. This webinar was offered to coalition members as a refresher for some and an introduction for others. It is important to assess a workgroup's capacity to address priorities is required to ensure effective implementation.

Begin Date: 04/28/2021

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity  
Source of Assistance: Other - CADCA  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: GAPA Training**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: The grantee is assisting in the formation of a statewide alcohol policy alliance. This is a gap identified by several prevention professionals. The training was to introduce participants to several best practices utilized to implement effective policies to reduce excessive alcohol use.

Begin Date: 04/20/2021

Topics: Collaboration; Infrastructure Development  
Source of Assistance: Other - U.S. Alcohol Policy Alliance  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Clear the Vapor**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Vaping has been on the rise in our community over the past several years. Youth and young adults report a low perception of harm. This conference helped inform the provider of updates on statistics and strategies to address use.

Begin Date: 04/07/2021

Topics: Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: Other - Parents Against Vaping E-Cigs (PAVE)  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Grantee participated in a 6-week course on Building a Local Policy Campaign, provided by the Southeast PTTC. This training provided steps for grassroots efforts to affect policy at the local and state level.

Begin Date: 03/19/2021

Topics: Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development  
Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course  
Was Training Effective: Yes

Was Training Timely: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Grantee participated in a 6-week course on Building a Local Policy Campaign, provided by the Southeast PTTC. This training provided steps for grassroots efforts to affect policy at the local and state level.

Begin Date: 03/12/2021

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/05/2021

Brief Description: Grantee participated in a 6-week course on Building a Local Policy Campaign, provided by the Southeast PTTC. This training provided steps for grassroots efforts to affect policy at the local and state level.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/26/2021

Brief Description: Grantee participated in a 6-week course on Building a Local Policy Campaign, provided by the Southeast PTTC. This training provided steps for grassroots efforts to affect policy at the local and state level.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/19/2021

Brief Description: Grantee participated in a 6-week course on Building a Local Policy Campaign, provided by the Southeast PTTC. This training provided steps for grassroots efforts to affect policy at the local and state level.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Suicide Prevention & Substance Use**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/18/2021

Brief Description: Suicides often involve substance use. Addressing potential negative consequences of substance use provides a more comprehensive approach.

Topics: Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse; Violence Prevention

Source of Assistance: Other - Voices for Prevention (GA)

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/12/2021

Brief Description: Grantee participated in a 6-week course on Building a Local Policy Campaign, provided by the Southeast PTTC. This training provided steps for grassroots efforts to affect policy at the local and state level.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/05/2021

Brief Description: Grantee participated in a 6-week course on Building a Local Policy Campaign, provided by the Southeast PTTC. This training provided steps for grassroots efforts to affect policy at the local and state level.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Moderated Distance Learning Course

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Substance Abuse Prevention Advocacy Day Training: Alcohol & Marijuana**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/27/2021

Brief Description: This training was held to prepare participants for the upcoming Substance Abuse Prevention Advocacy Day at the Capitol. Participants learned how to prepare 1-pagers and how to schedule appointments with legislators.

Topics: Environmental Strategies

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Voice for Prevention (GA)

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana Policy Summit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/14/2021

Brief Description: There is a need to understand how to approach marijuana policy in Georgia. Participants learned strategies to implement at the local and state levels.

Topics: Environmental Strategies

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Get Clear GA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Strategic Prevention Framework**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/06/2021

Brief Description: An overview of the Strategic Prevention Framework as a refresher course.

Topics: SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description: The training is a great introduction for new advisory group/steering committee members. The SPF guides the work of this project.

Source of Assistance: Other - state prevention partner

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Strategic Prevention Framework**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/06/2021

Brief Description: The SPF model is used in the PFS project.

Topics: SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: CSAP

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Filling Assessment Gaps**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/21/2020

Brief Description: Helped participants identify what specific areas may be missing in their needs assessment. Once identified, the training offered potential solutions to filling those gaps.

Topics: Community Data Collection; Grantee Data Collection; Needs Assessment; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: TA to Keep Meeting Participants Engaged**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/12/2020

Brief Description: The TA call was a follow-up by Leadership for Change to discuss specific activities and methods of engagement to keep virtual meeting participants interested and engaged. This is applicable to both youth action team meetings as well as adult workgroup meetings.

Topics: Youth Involvement

Additional Description: The experience was great. Eric also sent pdf copies of resources to me.

Source of Assistance: Other - Leadership for Change

Delivery Mechanism: Telephone Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Adverse Childhood Experiences & Prevention**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/07/2020

Brief Description: The training introduced participants to the categories of adverse childhood experiences. Participants learned how trauma can affect the developing brain and how an increased ACEs score puts a child at an increased risk for substance use later in life.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc.

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: New Tools, New Tech, New Takeaways**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/01/2020

Brief Description: Introduces participants to new tools that are available online and can be used during virtual meetings.

Topics: Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development

Additional Description: Adding new resources to assist in keeping community members engaged during the pandemic is extremely helpful. This type of webinar takes place monthly.

Source of Assistance: Other - Leadership for Change

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Youth Professionals Virtual Bootcamp, Part 4**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/24/2020

Brief Description: This was Part 4 of a four-part series designed to assist youth professionals on how to move traditional prevention strategies in to the virtual world.

Topics: Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; Information Technology; Infrastructure Development; Marketing/Communications; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Leadership for Change & GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Youth Professionals Virtual Bootcamp, Part 3**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/17/2020

Brief Description: This was Part 3 of a four-part series designed to assist youth professionals to move tradition prevention strategies into the virtual world.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; Marketing/Communications; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Leadership for Change & GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Open TA Call for SPARS Report**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/15/2020

Brief Description: Open call to assist grantees in learning how to complete the SPARS annual report.

Topics: Data Entry; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: SPARS  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Youth Professionals Virtual Bootcamp, Part 2**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/10/2020

Brief Description: This was Part 2 of a four-part series designed to help youth professionals move their strategies into the virtual world.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; Information Technology; Infrastructure Development; Marketing/Communications; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Leadership for Change & GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Youth Professionals Virtual Bootcamp, Part 1**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/03/2020

Brief Description: This was part one of a four-part series created to assist youth professionals in moving prevention strategies into the virtual world.

Topics: Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; Marketing/Communications; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Leadership for Change & GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Fundamentals of Prevention, Part 4**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/03/2020

Brief Description: This session is part 4 of a 4-part series. The focus was on planning and implementation. There was discussion around how to select potential strategies and the importance of involving stakeholders in the process, including YOUTH.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Prevention Fundamentals; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Fundamentals of Prevention, Part 3**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/02/2020

Brief Description: This was Part 3 of a 4-part series. This session focused more on conducting a community needs assessment and capacity building.

Topics: Community Data Collection; Needs Assessment; Prevention Fundamentals; Readiness Assessment; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); State/Territory Data Collection; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Fundamentals of Prevention, Part 2**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/01/2020

Brief Description: Fundamentals of Prevention is one of the four core courses required for prevention certification in GA. This session was part 2 of 4. It discussed the timeline of prevention and an overview of the SPF model.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Fundamentals of Prevention, Part 1**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/31/2020

Brief Description: This session was part 1 of a 4-part series required for prevention credentialing in the state of GA. Participants were introduced to the SPF and immediately discussed cultural competency & sustainability.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc.  
Was Training Timely: Yes

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Anti-Racism Training**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/24/2020

Brief Description: The training was a 6-hr training set at user's pace. It provided an overview of the history of minority populations being oppressed. There was opportunity for discussion through a class thread. People with lived experience of racism shared testimonials.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Cultural Competence/Diversity

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - El Paso Diversity and Resilience Institute

Delivery Mechanism: Self-Paced Distance Learned Course/Tool

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Ethics of Prevention, Part 3**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/21/2020

Brief Description: This was session 3 of a 3-part series.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Prescription Drug Abuse Prevention**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/20/2020

Brief Description: The session provided an overview of prescription drug abuse across GA. Participants were shown a demonstration of how to access more local and school-specific data for grades 6-12. Possible individual-level and environmental strategies were introduced.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Marketing/Communications; Overdose Outcome Measures; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Substance Use/Abuse; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Ethics of Prevention**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/19/2020

Brief Description: This session was part 2 of a 3-part series.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Ethics in Prevention, Part 1**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/17/2020

Brief Description: Ethics is one of the four core courses required for those seeking prevention credentialing in Georgia. This session was part 1 of 3.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Communication Skills for the Prevention Professional, Part 3**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/14/2020

Brief Description: This session was part 3 of 3 of the required communication course.



Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Marketing/Communications; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Was Training Timely: Yes

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Communication Skills for the Prevention Professional**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/12/2020

Brief Description: This is part 2 of 3 of the required communications course for prevention credentialing. The course discusses different methods of communication and being culturally competent in all communications.

Topics: Collaboration; Marketing/Communications; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc.

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Communication Skills for the Prevention Profession, Part 1**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/10/2020

Brief Description: In Georgia, there are four core prevention courses required to seek prevention certification through the Prevention Credentialing Consortium of GA (PCCG). This is Part 1 of 3 of the communication course. Participants seeking credentialing were required to attend live.

Topics: Collaboration; Marketing/Communications; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc.

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Underage Drinking Prevention**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/06/2020

Brief Description: An overview of underage drinking at the national, state & local level. Access to county and school-specific data for middle & high school populations. An overview of potential individual-level and environmental strategies to address underage drinking. Using the SPF model for underage drinking prevention project.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Substance Use/Abuse; Youth Involvement

Additional Description: GUIDE, Inc implements a summer camp each year for middle & high school youth action teams. This year, camp was canceled. GUIDE decided to offer adult advisors a series of trainings as we went through "Georgia Teen Institute University." Some sessions were considered "core" classes while others were considered "electives."

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Truth, Racial Healing and Transformation**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/22/2020

Brief Description: Continue to expand our capacity to address racism as well as support our new partner, Agnes Scott College

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Agnes Scott College

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PFS Academy 2020 - Sustainability**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/21/2020

Brief Description: This session provided participants with the elements of a sustainable prevention program. Participants learned how to integrate sustainability into each step of the SPF.

Topics: SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: Working with Youth Action Teams

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/14/2020

Brief Description: Participants were all youth advisors or work with youth in some capacity. GUIDE sponsors youth action teams across the state. BADC has 4 teams in Bulloch County. Two teams are in middle schools and two teams are in high schools. Team members are peer educators who address underage drinking, prescription drug abuse/misuse, and other relevant topics with other high school students. These teams reach our 14-18 year olds.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: SPF 201

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/09/2020

Brief Description: This session dove a little deeper into the SPF model. Participants were able to share their experiences following the SPF with some type of prevention project.

Topics: SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description: There was a SPF 101 session offered for those who have not had much or any experience with the SPF model. The 201 session was for providers who have had at least a moderate amount of experience.

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDE, Inc

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: Rural Community Toolbox

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/24/2020

Brief Description: This training walked participants through the rural community toolbox, which has tools that can be utilized during each step of the SPF. The resources are specifically geared toward rural communities.

Topics: Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - ONDCP

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: PFS Academy 2020 - Evaluation

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/23/2020

Brief Description: This session spoke to data collection and analysis; process and outcome measures; and modifying programming when needed.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Prevention Fundamentals; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: When Alcohol, Summer, COVID and Teens Intersect**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/15/2020

Brief Description: This webinar covered the unprecedented times prevention professionals have found ourselves in during this pandemic. Summer is already a high-risk season for youth substance use, but add in a pandemic and we find unique risk factors. Keeping youth engaged virtually can serve as a protective factor.

Topics: Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Information Technology; Marketing/Communications; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Operation Parent

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Emerging Trends in Substance Use**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/21/2020

Brief Description: An overview of recent trends in substance use broken down by substance and age of user.

Topics: Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Transition from High School to College**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/19/2020

Brief Description: Discussed potential risk and protective factors for youth who are transitioning from high school into college. Taking these into consideration when planning prevention strategies for this population is very important.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - The Council on Alcohol and Drugs

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PFS Academy 2020 - Implementation**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/19/2020

Brief Description: This session provided participants with the tools needed to implement evidence-based programs, policies, and practices with fidelity and effectiveness.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PFS Academy 2020 - Planning**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/21/2020

Brief Description: Prepared participants to plan to address the needs that were identified during the assessment step.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Ethics in Prevention**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/25/2020

Brief Description: Mandatory training for our state to maintain prevention provider credentialing. Also provided information on how to approach any potential conflict of interests and confidentiality issues in our service provision.

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: PFS Academy 2020 - Capacity Building**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/24/2020

Brief Description: This session walked participants through community readiness, along with how to increase available resources to help address prevention efforts.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; Infrastructure Development; Marketing/Communications; Organization Development; Prevention Fundamentals; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Substance Use Prevention with Young Adults**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/12/2020

Brief Description: BADC has limited experience providing services directly to young adults over age 18. This training provided information specific to doing prevention work with ages 18-24.

Topics: Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - searching for source

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Grow Your Knowledge: Cannabis Prevention, Policy, and Pharmacology 3-Part Webinar Series**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/11/2020

Brief Description: Cannabis Laws/Policies: Federal and Regional Update and Using SPF and Prevention Science to Inform Policy

Topics: Collaboration; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description: This was Part 2 of a 3-part series. Part 3 has been postponed. Date TBA

Source of Assistance: Other - Mountain Plains PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: "Grow Your Knowledge: Cannabis Prevention, Policy, and Pharmacology (3-Part Webinar Series) "**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/04/2020

Brief Description: Overview of Denver's "High Costs" media campaign.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description: This was Part 1 of a 3-Part series.

Source of Assistance: Other - Mountain Plains PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: SPARS TA**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/30/2020

Brief Description: To build staff capacity in reporting project deliverables

Topics: Data Entry

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: SPARS

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: SPF-PFS 2019 Orientation Part 2**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/10/2019

Brief Description: Part II of the SPF Grantee Orientation

1) CSAP PFS DSP-MRT Data Entry Training

2) CSAP DSP-MRT Work Plans Data Entry Training

30 DSP-MRT Community Outcomes Module and EBPPP for PFS Grantees

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Community Data Collection; Data Entry; Grantee Data Collection; Needs Assessment; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description: Recorded Training

Source of Assistance: CSAP

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: SPF-PFS 2019 Orientation**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/01/2019

Brief Description: Included:

Introduction and Welcome

SPF-PFS Program Overview

Grants Management Overview

SAMHSA's TTC

Protection of Human Subjects

Topics: Community Data Collection; Data Entry; Grantee Data Collection

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: CSAP

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Monthly TA Calls**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/15/2019

Brief Description: Monthly TA Calls with Grantee, Sub-Recipient, and all related staff to monitor progress, discuss problem-solving, and grant deliverables.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Community Data Collection; Data Entry; Needs Assessment; Readiness Assessment; Sustainability; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Telephone Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Provided to Sub recipients or Communities**

**Training/TA Name: Tall Cop Says Stop: Youth Trends and School Use**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/16/2021

Brief Description: Jermaine Galloway provides information on latest trends being seen in schools. This training was also attended by a law enforcement sector member. DPI provided the registration.

Topics: Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: This Grantee

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Suicide and Marijuana**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Comorbidity of suicide risk and substance use is a concern in our community.  
Topics: Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Be Clear Georgia  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 09/14/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Georgia School of Addiction Studies**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: The Georgia School of Addiction Studies allowed our coordinator and evaluator to learn more about assessing needs in the community, gain skills in specific evidence-based programming, enhance cultural competency and learn more about the successful programs in our state.  
Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Needs Assessment; Prevention Fundamentals; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities and Georgia School of Addiction Studies  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 08/30/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Face to Face  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: First Choice, Second Chances**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: A collaborative effort by both PFS communities to host a nationally recognized speaker to assist parents and youth. This training helped understand the process of addiction and steps parents can take to prevent or intervene early.  
Topics: Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: This Grantee  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 08/26/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: High in Plain Sight**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Jermaine Galloway is able to share what is being sold in local retail outlets that impacts our youth.  
Topics: Environmental Strategies; Needs Assessment; Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: Other - Voices for Prevention  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 08/16/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Decolonizing Mental Health-Filling the Gaps**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/28/2021

Brief Description: This training provided a unique opportunity to hear from Georgia professionals on addressing systemic racism in treatment programming.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Public Broadcasting

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: The 5 W's of Implementing Prevention Projects

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/21/2021

Brief Description: Training of newer DPI team members on prevention fundamentals.

Topics: Developing Prevention Systems; Infrastructure Development; Needs Assessment; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Gwinnett United in Drug Education

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: CADCA Mid-Year Conference

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/12/2021

Brief Description: New Youth Coalition members were able to attend the Youth Leadership Track in our Community, as well as coalition members and staff. This training helps ensure that our group stays updated on newest trends and effective strategies.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Infrastructure Development; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Prevention Fundamentals; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Georgia's Opioid Crisis: Health Disparities in Underserved Populations

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/23/2021

Brief Description: This special was broadcast on Public Broadcasting. DPI is constantly exploring ways to address any systemic issues regarding our services.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Overdose Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., shelter, correction facility); Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: ACES: Translating Evidence into Practice

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/21/2021

Brief Description: DPI's school system is focusing on ACES and DPI has been invited to be on a district team addressing ACES as well as diversity and inclusion.

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors

Source of Assistance: CDC

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: Post Award Amendments

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/17/2021

Brief Description: To stay in compliance with grant requirements, it is important to stay up-to-date with amendments process

Define post-award amendments

Identify post-award amendments

Describe how to submit a post-award amendment application

Provide a live demo of the eRA system on the post-award amendment submission process and guidance on how to respond to a

Request for Additional Materials (RAM)

Provide a short demo of the eRA system on Terms Tracker - submissions responding to special terms and conditions

Topics: Other - Building internal capacity to effectively administer the SPF-PFS grant

Additional Description: This was a refresher for the training offered in October.

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Preventing Underage Drinking in a College Population

Status: Received

Begin Date: 06/16/2021

Brief Description: As we struggle to work with our local college, DPI is on the constant lookout for new approaches on how to reach 18-24 year old youth in our community

Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Navigating ERA commons

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/13/2021

Brief Description: ERA is our online management system and is sometimes challenging to navigate. Modifications are being made that grantees need to be aware of and have the capacity to navigate.

I. Introductions

II. Systems and ongoing changes

III. Resources for obtaining assistance

II. Understanding grant number structure

III. Understanding roles needed to process actions in eRA

IV. How to access eRA Commons

V. Managing your grant in Commons

VI. eRA FAQs from SAMHSA grant recipients

VII. Questions

Topics: Other - Increasing internal capacity to administer SAMHSA grant

Additional Description:



Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Adaptations During Covid**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Looking at ways other communities are adapting to the virtual world is very helpful at this time.  
Topics: Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Needs Assessment; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning  
Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 05/06/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Marijuana/Cannabinoids/Analogues: What Are They?**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: As variations of marijuana become more available in our State, the staff need to be informed so that information can be shared with the community.  
Topics: Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Be Clear Georgia  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 05/06/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Youth Voice**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Learning to more effectively engage Youth members.  
Topics: Youth Involvement  
Source of Assistance: Other - Gwinnett United in Drug Education  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 04/22/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Town Hall for Tobacco Free Kids and Alcohol Justice**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: This training looked at how retailers target diverse communities.  
Topics: Collaboration; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: Other Grantee  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 04/20/2021  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Financial Mgt.**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/15/2021

Brief Description: The Goals of today's training are to increase awareness to help grantees comply with federal financial requirements and avoid major audit liability

- Office of Financial Advisory Services - Mission Areas
- Federal Regulations Applicable to Grant Recipients
- Common Financial Management Issues
- Questions & Answers

Topics: Other - Financial Management

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: Covid-19 and Alcohol Use Disorder in Diverse Communities

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/06/2021

Brief Description: DPI seeks to stay abreast of incidence of alcohol use during Covid and is always open to increase ability to be inclusive of diverse communities.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Needs Assessment; Risk and Protective Factors

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Sustainability Toolkit

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/31/2021

Brief Description: DPI needed assistance in refining our sustainability plan. This plan will help us plan and seek future funding.

Topics: Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Grants 101

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/18/2021

Brief Description: The objectives of the webinar are to briefly:

1. Discuss key roles and responsibilities of SAMHSA staff and recipients.
2. Describe organizational processes that must be put in place to effectively manage the grant.
3. Provide an overview of the key tasks that must be performed during the lifecycle of the grant.

Topics: Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; Other - Grants 101 to help discuss details of the grant process.

Additional Description: This was a refresher for a second-year grantee.

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Community-wide Naloxone Training and the Good Samaritan Law

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/07/2021

Brief Description: This training was for parents, general community and DPI staff to understand the Good Samaritan Law and the use of Naloxone.

Topics: Development of Overdose Prevention System; Overdose Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., shelter, correction facility); Substance Use/Abuse

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Overdose Prevention

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Additional Description: As the pandemic continues, overdoses are increasing across our area.

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: State Prevention Conference

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/22/2021

Brief Description: Learning what specifically is going on in our state that has been successful is very helpful to the team as we update our strategic planning process.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Building a Local Policy Campaign-The first five steps

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/12/2021

Brief Description: To address local policies, it is important to know the steps of a policy campaign. This was a six week training course.

Topics: Environmental Strategies

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - SE PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: CADCA Leadership Forum

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/02/2021

Brief Description: Five Day annual CADCA conference provided many workshops that helped the PFS partners learn more about our newest target population (college-aged young adults) as well as learn about emerging trends and new ways to provide strategies that can bring about community-level change.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Community Data Collection; Environmental Strategies; Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: SAMHSA's 17th Annual Prevention Day

Status: Received

Begin Date: 02/01/2021

Brief Description: Staying abreast of national trends and new programming.

Topics: Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Overdose Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., shelter, correction facility); Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

#### Training/TA Name: Shared Risk and Protective Factors for Substance Misuse and Suicide

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/26/2021

Brief Description: As suicide rates increase among our target population, DPI wants to ensure that we are able to address local conditions and root causes.

Topics: Risk and Protective Factors

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Building a State-Wide Alcohol Alliance

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/25/2021

Brief Description: A brief look at the need to collaborate across agencies to bring about community-level change.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Environmental Strategies; Infrastructure Development; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Substance Use/Abuse; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - US Alcohol Policy Alliance

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Dover Youth-To-Youth

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/21/2021

Brief Description: Expanding ways for our youth action team to make an impact in our community by advocacy.

Topics: Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Voices for Prevention

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Continuation application

Status: Received

Begin Date: 01/14/2021

Brief Description: Application required by SAMHSA. This training helped us refine our plans for the upcoming fiscal year as well as assess what is currently successful and potential problem areas.

Topics: Other - Successfully completing the mandatory Continuation Application; Risk and Protective Factors; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning; Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Cultural Competency, Cultural Diversity and Racial Bias in Covid Era**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/04/2020

Brief Description: As part of our SPF process, staff and members seek to be inclusive in all of our activities.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA School of Addiction Studies

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: LBC Annual Summit**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/01/2020

Brief Description: As DPI expanded our scope to include marijuana, it is imperative that we are able to effectively communicate our concerns to our community.

Topics: Other - Educating policy makers and the community about the impact of marijuana on the young brain

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Let's Be Clear Georgia

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Vaping Update**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/12/2020

Brief Description: As our community has identified concerns for marijuana use among our target populations, our staff needs to be well-trained in the various methods for ingesting marijuana.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Risk and Protective Factors; Strategic Planning; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - National Council on Behavioral Health

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Completing the FFR**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/12/2020

Brief Description: All applicants are required to submit this form.

Topics: Other - Successfully completing the mandatory FFR

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Team Building**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/12/2020

Brief Description: During Covid-19, it is more important than ever to learn ways to maintain and build our team.

Topics: Collaboration; Community Development; Infrastructure Development; Organization Development; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Gwinnett United in Drug Education

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: 2020 Methd and Stimulant Conference**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/03/2020

Brief Description: In the midst of an opioid crisis, receiving quality training on other substance use trends across the nation and in our communities is critical.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Overdose Outcome Measures; Overdose Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., shelter, correction facility); Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - Psychiatry and Behavioral Health Network

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Completing the Data Puzzle: Filling Assessment Gaps

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/21/2020

Brief Description: As part of our data collection has been difficult for at least one target population, DPI seeks guidance on alternative ways to address data gaps.

Topics: Community Data Collection; Needs Assessment

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Post Award Amendments Part 1

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/15/2020

Brief Description: This training provided detailed on information of when to apply for amendments and adjustments including the difference in formal and informal carryovers.

Topics: Other - Training on SAMHSA specific info on Post Award Amendments

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Monthly TA Calls with Project Officer and Monthly preplanning calls prior

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/13/2020

Brief Description: Monthly calls required by Project Officer. Monthly calls and monthly team meeting prior to calls is very helpful to stay abreast of concerns and successes.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Community Data Collection; Data Entry; Needs Assessment; Other - Monthly cross-site collaboration and monthly meetings with project officer; Readiness Assessment; Sustainability; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

#### Training/TA Name: Cultural Competency Part 2

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/13/2020

Brief Description: As part of the SPF process, DPI regularly participates in cultural competency training.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Open Call for SPARS annual report**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/15/2020

Brief Description: Clarification and Training needed on completing annual report

Topics: Data Entry

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: SPARS

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: PFS Assessment Gaps**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 09/09/2020

Brief Description: Identifying data gaps and possible ways to address those.

Topics: Community Data Collection; Grantee Data Collection; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - PTTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: AntiRacism Training with Jane Elliott**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/27/2020

Brief Description: This training was provided by some very key players in our community and it was critical to support their efforts. The information was extremely timely and helpful.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - City of Decatur Government and Beacon Hill Black Alliance

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: National Prevention Network Virtual Conference**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 08/25/2020

Brief Description: Learn more techniques to deal with our community from others involved in prevention across the nation.

Topics: Collaboration; Developing Prevention Systems; Environmental Strategies; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Additional Description: The Washington State PSA project, "Not a Moment Wasted" was especially helpful as we go forward with planning PSA's. Also learning more about podcasts.

Source of Assistance: Other - National Prevention Network

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: CADCA Mid-Year Conference**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 07/27/2020

Brief Description: Collaborating with other prevention professionals across the nation to learn more about EBP and strategies to address college students and populations identified in our DIS. Also expand our capacity to involve youth in our work.

Topics: Collaboration; Environmental Strategies; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Needs Assessment; Organization Development; Prevention Fundamentals; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Source of Assistance: Other - Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: How to be an Anti-Racist with Ibram X. Kendi**

Status: Received

Brief Description: Building capacity to be an active partner in eliminating racism in our community

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity

Source of Assistance: Other - Prince George's Library System

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 07/20/2020

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Georgia Teen Institute University**

Status: Received

Brief Description: As we could not attend our regular state-wide youth development conference, the project staff attended an extensive, summer-long program that taught all aspects of the SPF as well as tools and techniques to engage youth throughout the year. Attending this training also provided our youth with guaranteed scholarships for next years conference. Two staff working on this grant were able to attend and graduate as well as have youth develop a strategic prevention plan for the upcoming year.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability; Youth Involvement

Source of Assistance: Other - GUIDEe, Inc.

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 06/18/2020

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Anti-Racism Training**

Status: Received

Brief Description: Ensure cultural competency within all aspects of programming and planning (SPF). A 6 hour virtual course was completed. Shared course with all on workgroup and other prevention professionals.

Topics: Cultural Competence/Diversity; SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

Source of Assistance: Other - Diversity and Resiliency Institute of El Paso

Was Training Timely: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 06/10/2020

Additional Description:

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Effective: Yes



**Training/TA Name: Emerging Trends in substance Abuse**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/21/2020

Brief Description: Confirmed some of our concerns about emerging drugs in our community, cocaine, specifically. Helps us be better able to manage and plan for new prevention efforts.

Topics: Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - NE ATTC

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Tailoring Your Message to Your Audience**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/20/2020

Brief Description: As we are using more virtual PSA's, wanted to learn more about fine-tuning our message to our audiences.

Topics: Environmental Strategies; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description: Although the focus was marijuana, the information shared from focus groups on messaging among young adults was especially helpful

Source of Assistance: Other - Smart Approaches to Marijuana

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Sustainability**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 05/14/2020

Brief Description: Learning more about how to sustain results as well as programming.

Topics: SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF); Strategic Planning; Sustainability

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA Dept. Of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Mental Health in a time of Covid**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 04/28/2020

Brief Description: Gaining an understanding of the impact of natural disasters on substance misuse among youth, young adults and parents.

Topics: Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description: Very concerning at the mention of a "tsunami" of mental health and addiction issues coming towards our community as a result of the pandemic.

Source of Assistance: Other - HHS-Partnership Center

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Brain Science and Substance Misuse**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 03/18/2020

Brief Description: Building capacity of project personnel to address substance misuse among populations under the age of 25 (prior to full brain development).

Topics: Prevention Fundamentals; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - SE PTTC  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Substance Use Prevention-We Need a Bigger Boat**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Helping prevention providers begin to understand how to serve populations in the middle of a pandemic. Particularly helpful as we target new populations and new issues.  
Topics: Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Substance Use/Abuse  
Source of Assistance: Other - SAMHSA, PTTC, ATTC, MTTC  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 03/12/2020  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: CADCA Leadership Forum**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Five Day annual CADCA conference provided many workshops that helped the PFS partners learn more about our newest target population (college-aged young adults) as well as learn about emerging trends and new ways to provide strategies that can bring about community-level change.  
Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Collaboration; Community Development; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Environmental Strategies; Grant Writing/ Funding/ Resource Development; National Outcomes Measures (NOMS); Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Strategic Planning; Substance Use/Abuse; Sustainability; Youth Involvement  
Source of Assistance: Other - Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 02/03/2020  
Additional Description:  
Delivery Mechanism: Face to Face  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Innovative Strategies for Engaging Underserved Populations**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Expand capacity to reach all of our community. Reaching underserved populations is often a dilemma for coalitions, agencies, and organizations. This presentation will help participants explore the causes of community disengagement and provide tips and strategies for facilitating meaningful participation of underserved populations in community change efforts.  
Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Developing Prevention Systems; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Prevention Fundamentals; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Strategic Planning  
Source of Assistance: Other - SE PTTC  
Was Training Timely: Yes  
Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

Begin Date: 01/15/2020  
Additional Description: Very timely and good trainers.  
Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference  
Was Training Effective: Yes

**Training/TA Name: Reaching Students**

Status: Received  
Brief Description: Looking for an EBP that aligns with our local needs.  
Topics: Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs

Begin Date: 01/14/2020  
Additional Description: Discovered a new EBP that seems to fit our population. PreVenture.

Source of Assistance: Other - Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: LGBTQ+ Special Interest Groups**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/11/2019

Brief Description: As our health disparity impact statement showed, our community needs to explore ways to engage LGBTQ+ youth and young adults.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Cultural Competence/Diversity; Identifying/ Selecting/ Implementing Evidence-Based Programs; Youth Involvement

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - National Council on Behavioral Health

Delivery Mechanism: Web Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: SPF-PFS 2019 Orientation Webinar-Part 11**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 12/10/2019

Brief Description: Part II of the SPF Grantee Orientation

1) CSAP PFS DSP-MRT Data Entry Training  
2) CSAP DSP-MRT Work Plans Data Entry Training  
3) DSP-MRT Community Outcomes Module and EBPPP for PFS Grantees

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Community Data Collection; Data Entry; Grantee Data Collection; Utilizing Epidemiological Data

Additional Description: Recorded Series.

Source of Assistance: CSAP

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: SPF-PFS 2019 Orientation Webinar**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 11/01/2019

Brief Description: Pre-Recorded Orientation Webinar Series for SPF-PFS 19 recipients.

Topics: Data Entry; Grantee Data Collection

Additional Description: Included:  
Introduct'sPion and Welcome  
SPF-PFS Program Overview  
Grants Management Overview  
SAMHSA's TTC  
Protection of Human Subjects

Source of Assistance: CSAP

Delivery Mechanism: Video Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: Monthly TA Calls with Project Officer and Monthly preplanning calls prior**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/15/2019

Brief Description: Required by project officer

Topics: Organization Development; Other - Monthly cross-site collaboration and monthly meetings with project officer

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: My Project Officer

Delivery Mechanism: Telephone Conference

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Training/TA Name: "Introduction to Behavioral Health and Addictive Diseases:**

Status: Received

Begin Date: 10/15/2019

Brief Description: Training hosted by local police department. A new way to engage partners as well as expand capacity for dealing with young adults who may be experiencing dual-disorders.

Topics: Behavioral Health Disparities; Prevention in Specific Settings (e.g., workplace, correctional facilities); Risk and Protective Factors; Substance Use/Abuse

Additional Description:

Source of Assistance: Other - GA NAMI

Delivery Mechanism: Face to Face

Was Training Timely: Yes

Was Training Effective: Yes

Subrecipients: Decatur Prevention Initiative

**Accomplishments**

Name	Description	Date
Building coalitions	BADC and DPI were successful in adding the PFS project to their current community coalition.	1/16/2020
Contributing to decisions to allocate resources	Both community workgroups decided to allocate resources to four digital campaigns to reach the target population after receiving the first campaign analytics. This decision was discussed with our project officer during a monthly TA call. Each campaign ran for thirty days.	4/14/2020
Convening leaders and stakeholders	BADC convened leadership from the local university and community college to introduce the project and to discuss how these stakeholders can be involved.	6/2/2021
Convening leaders and stakeholders	DPI engaged a key stakeholder at the local college and is now regularly meeting with a workgroup. This new-found partnership enabled DPI to partner at a community fair, gain IRB survey approval, and access to students. DPI also helped one key stakeholder gain a national professional award and DPI has received support in seeking additional funding opportunities.	1/1/2022
Leveraging funding and other resources	Both communities have been able to leverage funds to provide professional development opportunities relative to the project to local stakeholders.	8/11/2021
Leveraging funding and other resources	DPI was able to secure STOP Act funding that will address gaps in addressing underage drinking, with the support of local stakeholders. DPI has also collaborated with another agency to expand LGBTQ+ services within the Georgia college community.	9/29/2022
Organizing agency networks	BADC's project coordinator has committed several hours to assist in organizing a state alcohol policy alliance. It became very evident during COVID that Georgia lacked any such network.	1/8/2021
Other - Professional Training	The staff of both communities completed the four core courses required to qualify for prevention certification in the state of Georgia. Other staff also completed the six-hour Anti-Racism training conducted by the El Paso Diversity and Resiliency Institute. The information gained from professional training is shared with workgroup members monthly. Additional professional state and national training were also attended.	9/1/2020

Other infrastructure development	Both communities have expanded their youth action teams. Youth action teams are peer-led groups in middle and high schools that implement data-driven community-based prevention programs. Members have received extensive training in the Strategic Prevention Framework by attending the Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America Mid-Year Conference.	7/30/2020
Other infrastructure development	Both sites have secured the technology to allow for more engaging virtual or hybrid meetings.	8/16/2021
Other infrastructure development	PFS team members have been pursuing prevention specialist certification, and now both site coordinators are certified. With the new virtual training environment, the staff can access quality training that has previously been feasible or affordable. The new capacity to quickly meet with professionals across the county has been invaluable. One training series on developing an alcohol policy has been incredibly beneficial for the Bulloch Community. The team can take the knowledge gained back to their respective communities and share it with partners and stakeholders. This helps build our infrastructure to sustain prevention efforts.	9/29/2022
Training and technical assistance to enhance the capacity of community stakeholders, coalitions, partner organizations, and service providers	A virtual poly-substance abuse conference was held in September, and local stakeholders, key community partners, and organizations were invited to attend this conference. Members from both recipient communities attended. Local, state and national resources were available in the virtual resource room. The PSA campaign developed with the PFS project was part of the rotating billboard in the virtual lobby. The speakers were nationally recognized, and their materials were available to all participants. The conference was recorded and available for 30 days after the event. This was the first time this team utilized a virtual conference platform.	9/15/2022
Training and technical assistance to enhance the capacity of community stakeholders, coalitions, partner organizations, and service providers	Communities trained and oriented community stakeholders to the project's goals and objectives. Community stakeholders were also trained in the Strategic Prevention Framework and the strategies for community-level change.	7/31/2020
Training and technical assistance to enhance the capacity of community stakeholders, coalitions, partner organizations, and service providers	Throughout the year, both communities have been able to provide training and technical assistance to community stakeholders. Both sites are committed to building the prevention capacity of their respective communities to promote sustainability beyond the lifespan of the project.	9/29/2021

## Barriers/Challenges

Name	Description	TA Requested	TA Request Date	Additional Description	Date
Difficulties getting buy-in from partnering agencies	Bulloch continues to experience challenges in gaining buy-in and participation from the local technical college and the local university. Each institution has different issues. The technical college has a diverse population (high school students to senior citizens), making identifying a venue for gathering data challenging. The staff does not seem to have the flexibility to administer external surveys. The university students now have access to the survey's QR code, but monitoring has indicated minimal participation. Some university staff in key positions have not promoted the survey as originally planned.	No		The team continues to be in communication with the technical college and inviting them to the steering committee. Options for purchasing survey responses are also being considered that would geo-fence the targeted communities. Alternative options for university students for survey administration have been identified and Bulloch staff will begin approaching these alternative sites in 2023 (i.e. Greek Life).	9/29/2022

Difficulties getting buy-in from partnering agencies	Due to COVID-19, several partnering agencies had to shift priorities.	No		Both communities practiced flexibility in working with partners. We moved to a fully virtual mode in a brief amount of time. Both communities continued to work hard to cultivate relationships by being present to meet their needs (i.e., flexible meeting times, online training, and assisting with identifying community resources). Staff in both communities adjusted work schedule and workload to meet the demands of the pandemic.	3/13/2020
Major external community events like weather disasters	COVID-19 presented many challenges. All in-person meetings, training, etc. ceased immediately. Our colleges faced extreme financial challenges, including staff reduction. Reaching the high-need communities has been extremely challenging due to inconsistent digital capacity and access. The impact on potential partners with families has been challenging. Data obtained during this time may not be comparable to data from any other time.	No		Staff from both communities received training on how to use different virtual platforms. Staff has remained positive and flexible during this learning curve period.	3/13/2020

<p>No leadership or political commitment to the issue</p>	<p>Both school systems' leadership have had to prioritize addressing the impact of Covid-19 on the students' learning. Bulloch County Schools' leadership seems to prioritize external partnerships and, in particular, prevention activities.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>09/29/2022</p>	<p>In regular meetings with the project officer, the PFS team has an opportunity to ask for guidance and help. The team regularly receives input from our various project officers on addressing these concerns.</p>	<p>9/29/2022</p>
<p>No leadership or political commitment to the issue</p>	<p>The City of Decatur is a very alcohol-centric community, and alcohol sales bring in a lot of tax revenue. Although elected officials say they support our prevention efforts (i.e. annual proclamation for Alcohol Awareness Month), the city council tends to vote pro-alcohol. A recent example was the passage of an open container district.</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>DPI works with local law enforcement and to date, no real problems have been reported with the open containers. DPI continues to work with parents to address community norms and is utilizing PSA campaigns to encourage parents to talk with their underage children about the impact of alcohol use on the teen brain. The youth coalition members also present their concerns to the council during Alcohol Awareness month.</p>	<p>9/29/2022</p>



## Planning

### Accomplishments

Name	Description	Date
Articulation of a vision for prevention activities	Initially, project staff identified an evidence-based program to serve the high-needs communities. Due to barriers encountered, other programs have been considered. Staff have received training in multiple Evidence-based programs. After reviewing several EBP options, BADC identified Prime for Life 420 and Project Toward No Drug Abuse as community-based programs.  DPI identified This is Not About Drugs as an additional strategy to reach more youth.	8/22/2022
Articulation of a vision for prevention activities	The Polysubstance Use Prevention Summit was sponsored by the PFS project. Three national speakers participated. The topics were as follows: "Emerging Drug Threats Initiative,"  The event was attended by participants from across the state. It was recorded and made available to others for 30 days after the event.	9/15/2022
Discussion on adjustments based on on-going needs assessment activities	After completing the initial community readiness assessments, the team received approval from the project officer to expand the scope of the initial proposal to include marijuana in our identified substances. The listening groups further confirmed the need to address marijuana among the targeted population. Both communities have adjusted their plans and campaigns to include marijuana to implement their strategies under Goal 2 (Decrease youth substance abuse).	1/1/2021
Discussion on adjustments based on on-going needs assessment activities	Both communities have experienced great success based upon analytics analysis of social media and theater-based prevention ads. Each community adjusted messaging based on these analytics and targeted messaging appropriate to local conditions and revised the timeline accordingly.  The challenges of the first two years have impacted the planned in-person individual-level strategies. Each community has adjusted their timeline and activities to better reflect community readiness and needs. Each community carefully considers the suggested activities for their respective Tri-Ethnic community readiness scores.	1/20/2022
Identification of key milestones and outcomes	As activities are planned, the team realized that intercept surveys are no longer practical for media campaigns. The media outlets are gathering very detailed analytics that is very reliable and ensure that the targeted populations are engaging with our campaigns.	9/30/2021
Identification of key milestones and outcomes	Both communities collaborated to develop and publish a project summary to provide the communities with information on the key milestones and outcomes achieved during the project's first full year.	1/1/2021

<p>Identification of key milestones and outcomes</p>	<p>The project team continues to be mindful of the community awareness level determined during the community readiness assessment. Both communities were initially believed to be at a pre-planning stage, stage 4. Upon discovering that both communities were at a level 3 of vague awareness ( Defined as "Most feel that there is a local concern, but there is no immediate motivation to do anything about it"), the team made the necessary changes. A heavier focus has been placed on building community awareness and building an infrastructure to help support strategies. Suggestions made in the Tri-Ethnic Center Community Readiness Handbook for this stage are being considered carefully as planning proceeds.</p>	<p>9/30/2021</p>
<p>Identification of key milestones and outcomes</p>	<p>The team has been able to identify key milestones with the implementation of the chosen evidence-based strategy, PreVenture, in each community. One goal this year was to identify and train at least two PreVenture facilitators in each community. With each community looking for persons with therapeutic skills, this was quite a challenge. Because of the demand for support for young people experiencing mental health concerns, persons with these skills are in high demand. With much recruitment and planning, six qualified facilitators were trained as well as the project evaluator. Once the training was completed, it was easier for project staff to set key milestones in place for program implementation.</p>	<p>9/30/2021</p>
<p>Identification of other sources of funding for the plan</p>	<p>GA Dept. of Behavioral Health released a Statement of Need to hold an opioid-focused community showcase event. BADC's steering committee has been discussing holding a Polysubstance Prevention Summit. If awarded this funding, BADC could blend the two of these ideas together for one two-day event.</p>	<p>10/25/2021</p>

### Barriers/Challenges

Name	Description	TA Requested	TA Request Date	Additional Description	Date
<p>Lack of stakeholder support for the program plan</p>	<p>The Decatur community continues to meet roadblocks when it comes to eliciting support from the local college. However, other partners have indicated that this is not unusual. It is essential to remember that this college population is a subset of the youth ages 18-24 in the community (consisting of 900 students, primarily out-of-state). The 1500+ Decatur residents between 18-24 who are not at this college are often challenging to identify, as many may not live at home full time as they pursue advanced training and education. However, our partners at the local housing authority are collaborating with us to plan activities that could</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>The team has explored multiple avenues of college access through faculty, administration , and student services staff as well as utilizing personal networks within the community. The team has completed the required paperwork for data collection and</p>	<p>1/1/2021</p>

	<p>reach the portion of these emerging adults who live in their community (125 young adults). This population was identified as experiencing health disparities in our health disparity statement (approximately 125 young adults). Team is having difficulty gathering baseline data on this age group.</p>			<p>received no response. However, we have been able to engage a few students in listening groups by using community contacts. The public service campaigns have been digitally targeted to young adults in the community through streaming services, geo-focused advertising, print advertising with public transit, and advertising at the local theatre. Ads were also placed on social media platforms (Snapchat and YouTube) to reach this age group and analytics show that this was a successful strategy.</p>	
<p>No leadership or political commitment to substance use prevention</p>	<p>Both communities continue to experience local political will to expand alcohol availability. Decatur passed an open container ordinance while Bulloch passed to allow package stores within the Statesboro city limits.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>01/10/2022</p>	<p>Staff received training through PTTC in the Ten Steps of Policy Development. This training equipped staff to effectively communicate with local policymakers.</p>	<p>9/29/2022</p>

Other - Community Readiness	Due to the early stage of readiness (vague awareness), community members may need to hear more about underage drinking and more entry-level drug use (nicotine and marijuana). Addressing the targeted substances of cocaine and heroin is not on the radar of the local communities.	No		PSA's were developed to address the precursors to these substances. Additional campaigns and resources are being developed for future distribution. Project staff has reached out to another state whose PFS campaign addressed the same population group and worked with them to replicate some very successful programs.	6/30/2020
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## Disparities

### Focus and Data Gaps

**What steps did you take to ensure that high-need communities are focusing on the identified disparate subpopulation(s)?**

**Describe any data gaps you identified related to the disparate or subpopulation(s). Please be specific. If no data gaps currently exist, please enter "n/a" for not applicable.**

**For any data gaps described above, please explain how you are addressing the gaps. If you had none, please enter "n/a" for not applicable.**

### Access to Prevention Efforts

**Briefly describe the specific strategies implemented to address behavioral health disparities in your high-need community(ies). Include any information on how you, as the grantee, are supporting its/their progress.**

**If you used a planning model, please briefly describe the model you are using and how you are ensuring your high-need community(ies) integrated it into its/their approach to addressing behavioral health disparities. If you did not use a planning model, enter "n/a" for not applicable. Note: you will report general updates in the Implementation section, anything reported here should be specific to behavioral health disparities.**

**From the list below, please select the strategies you developed and implemented to ensure that your high-need communities understand and are using the National CLAS Standards.**

**How are communities documenting and monitoring use of National CLAS Standards?**

### Use and Reach of Prevention Efforts

**How do you monitor the efforts related to addressing behavioral health disparities at the community level?**

**What are your data collection processes related to behavioral health disparities data?**

**How are you determining the accuracy of numbers directly served and numbers indirectly reached for and high-need community?**

**How are you helping communities use their data to address the identified behavioral health disparities?**

### Outcomes of Prevention Efforts

**How are you monitoring outcomes related to disparate subpopulations at the community level?**

**Describe how you use outcome data related to disparate subpopulations to evaluate processes and/or make programmatic adjustments to address your identified priorities and issues.**

**Describe other ways that you use programmatic data to demonstrate the impact of your efforts on reducing behavioral health disparities.**

**Accomplishments**

Name	Description	Date
ASSESSMENT: Defined additional high-need subpopulations (age, residential area, SES, other)	With assistance and feedback from the other BADC staff and team members, the Epidemiologist drafted and finalized Disparity Impact Statements for the Bulloch and City of Decatur communities. The Disparity Impact Statement t defined specific subpopulations within the target community and strategies for reaching those disparate populations. Besides, the Disparity Impact Statement outlined the strategies BADC will use to integrate cultural competence and CLAS standard. Local secondary data were analyzed to define the populations and identify high-need subpopulations. Limited primary data was integrated into the process as well to supplement the primary data. Data and narrative used in the Disparity Impact Statement contributed to building capacity. Once subpopulations were identified, BADC identified gaps in the community related to those subpopulations and proceeded to engage members of the community to gather support.	3/17/2020
ASSESSMENT: Defined disparate population(s) (race, ethnicity, sex, LGBTQ)	BADC defined Disparate populations in the Diversity Impact Statements for both the Bulloch County and City of Decatur communities. When identifying disparate populations BADC chooses to focus on the following in both communities: Race/Ethnicity, Gender, Reading Proficiency, Socioeconomic Status, and Student Discipline. Furthermore, the Epidemiologist identified the total of several individuals in each population to serve per implementation year. Specific data was provided to justify focusing and define this as disparate populations. Qualitative data and feedback from community partners play a crucial role in identifying the high needs communities; staff will work closely with community members to build relationships that allow for strategies in high needs communities to reach the disparate populations. Moreover, differences within groups will further define high needs communities.	3/17/2020
ASSESSMENT: Obtained data specific to your disparate or high-need sub-population(s)	BADC completed literature reviews and secondary data analysis to determine the target disparate and high need subpopulations once identified in the Disparity Impact Statements. The Georgia Student Health Survey was highly utilized to gain specific data for the youth and young adult populations. To obtain data for the young adult population (18-25 years old), data was retrieved for local government health records such as Georgia's Department of Public Health and public scientific articles and databases. Gender, ethnicity, and socio-economic status showed to be common variables contributing to disparities related to drug and alcohol use in the targeted communities. However, data specific to the Decatur community indicated affluent populations also contribute to underage drinking and drug use, causing those communities to be a high need despite the impact of health disparities on subpopulations residing in high need communities.	3/1/2020

<p>CAPACITY: Provided training to increase the capacity of prevention workforce and relevant agencies or organizations to address substance abuse-related behavioral health disparities in your state, tribe, or jurisdiction.</p>	<p>Monthly meetings are hosted in the Bulloch County and City of Decatur communities. At various times during the year, members attending the meetings were provided with the education of the substance abuse prevention specific to the strategies BADC has planned to implement in each community.</p>	<p>9/30/2020</p>
<p>EVALUATION: Assessed changes in the number of individuals in the high-need subpopulation served or reached. (age, residential area, SES, other)</p>	<p>A community awareness campaign was launched in the Bulloch County community. BADC used geo-targeting to reach the target population with the messages. Using geo-targeting, BADC was able to estimate the total number of people reached by the awareness campaign.</p>	<p>1/1/2020</p>
<p>PLANNING: Considered behavioral health disparities in the planning process (e.g. in prioritization, community selection, or intervention selection)</p>	<p>BADC prioritized working in collaboration with the local colleges and universities to reach the young adult population to implement prevention strategies. Representatives at colleges/universities have been identified in Bulloch County and the City of Decatur. Although individuals often change, BADC was able to interview representatives during the community readiness assessments. BADC plans to move forward, prioritizing colleges/universities building on information gained from current relationships.</p>	<p>9/1/2020</p>
<p>PLANNING: Considered behavioral health disparities in the planning process (e.g. in prioritization, community selection, or intervention selection)</p>	<p>To overcome barriers limiting and, in many cases preventing interactions between staff members and especially the target population, BADC has prioritized using digital communication channels. BADC has been successfully communicating to develop strategies and adaptations that will allow for program progression despite this serious barrier. BADC has successfully continued to have meetings with stakeholders and plan for implementation once restrictions are reduced and/or lifted. Currently, for community selection, BADC is focusing on segments of the population where digital communication can be implemented with the community to see if there are opportunities for implementation.</p>	<p>9/30/2020</p>

### Barriers/Challenges

Name	Description	TA Requested	TA Request Date	Additional Description	Date
<p>ALL: Difficulty engaging the population(s) experiencing substance abuse-related behavioral health disparities in assessment, capacity building, planning, implementation, evaluation, or dissemination efforts</p>	<p>Due to statewide restrictions in place to reduce and prevent the spread of Covid-19, BADC has faced challenges and barriers to all activities in each phase of the Strategic Prevention Framework. Internal and external interactions with the community have been impacted, which has impacted the data collection process (assessment), partnership building (capacity), strategic planning (planning), implementation of any face-to-face strategies, and overall evaluation due to limited data and activity. BADC has pivoted to using digital</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>09/30/2020</p>	<p>The BADC staff addressed this barrier/challenge by communicating internally and planning strategies to adapt to statewide restrictions. The team communicated regularly using digital communication platforms and</p>	<p>9/30/2020</p>

communication platforms; however, it is challenging to communicate with the community using this method consistently. The local school systems and college/universities were shut down due to the pandemic. BADC planned to use the schools and other programs associated with the schools to reach each community's target populations. Therefore, this step in the planning stage has been halted except for planning meetings. BADC has been forced to rely on using media to disseminate awareness messages. However, this strategy is still limited because community members are spending most of their time in their homes and are not exposed to the community's messages. BADC understands these challenges are not unique to the Bulloch County and City of Decatur communities and works daily to brainstorm strategies to overcome barriers and pinpoint adaptations, allowing some measures of implementation to occur.

conference calls to replace face to face planning meetings. These same methods were used to communicate with volunteers, community members, and stakeholders. Continued engagement with volunteers, community members, and stakeholders was a top priority while confronting this challenge to ensure BADC is apart of the community during this time of need and will continue to work for all community members. This strategy will also work toward sustainability to encourage community ownership. Moreover, BADC's main goal is to be prepared to implement as soon as possible when restrictions are lifted, and it is safe to interact with community members. BADC supports the community



					<p>through these times, just as BADC will support the community to prevent and reduce substance abuse. Although data collection has been limited, the focus has been using secondary data to develop a baseline, in addition to qualitative primary data. Primary quantitative data will be collected as well using e-surveys. For this strategy to be effective, it will be necessary to find avenues to communicate directly with the community and target population to receive the e-surveys. This is a challenge that must be overcome, as well.</p>	
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## Implementation

### Subrecipient Progress

Subrecipient	Description
Decatur Prevention Initiative	<p>DPI was able to implement the Evidence-Based program as initially proposed. During the academic year (2021-2022), 262 students were screened; 117 unique individuals were invited to participate; 68 students attended at least one session and 48 students completed the PreVenture program. Active Part Permission became a requirement during the spring semester. Eleven groups were offered throughout the year, with 4 sessions for each group. There was positive feedback from participants, parents, and school personnel.</p> <p>DPI was finally able to offer programs to the targeted college population.</p> <p>During this grant period, DPI focused strongly on building awareness of the issue in the community. Much of this was accomplished by public awareness campaigns. Three theater ads reached an estimated 273,245 moviegoers. The social media campaigns, targeted at youth, young adults and parents of emerging adults were delivered for 643,255 impressions, and 1,712 individuals visited the website.</p>

### Promising Approaches and Innovations

Name	Description	Subrecipient
Awareness campaigns	<p>DPI and BADC worked closely with the developers of the Just Not Worth It campaign to add two new components to the program. These programs address alcohol and opioids and are available in English and Spanish. Both ads were launched via social media campaigns and were delivered for 196,948 impressions, with 632 click-throughs to resources available on the website. Companion print materials were also strategically placed at the high school and college. DPI worked closely with CDC to receive permission to use their Fentanyl and Naloxone campaigns. The Fentanyl campaign aired in 2 local movie theatres during spring break, where there were over 121,368 moviegoers. This campaign was also pushed out through social media with 219,738 impressions. CDC's Naloxone social media campaign for young adults had 98,994 impressions. A campaign was developed targeting parents of emerging adults and was launched at the movies during graduation by an estimated 38,667 moviegoers.</p>	Decatur Prevention Initiative

<p>Geo-fenced campaigns</p>	<p>With BADC, we launched 4 distinct geo-targeted in each community as these launched at the beginning of Covid-19 and proved to be a successful way of getting our message out to the community. The four campaigns were: 1) No Regrets, Spring Break (alcohol and cocaine), 2) Coping in healthy ways and modeling for our youth (underage drinking), 3) Mixing prescription drugs with alcohol (alcohol and opioids) and 4) Study drugs: Not what you expected (stimulants as a precursor to other drug use). All campaigns had a display ad as well as a video ad. Clicking on the ads resulting in driving to our website, where a special resource page was prepared for each campaign.</p> <p>We were unable to deliver the original ECP identified, Preventure. Instead, we offered All-Stars Senior virtually to 108 students, many who fit in our disparity categories. Pre and post data has been gathered but not yet analyzed. We have set up focus groups for assessment, as surveys are on hold for colleges.</p>	<p>Decatur Prevention Initiative</p>
<p>Just Not Worth It Campaign</p>	<p>With BADC, Decatur Prevention Initiative produced and disseminated a comprehensive media campaign to address illegal substance use among 14-24-year-olds. Both communities utilized a variety of media platforms, including ads on YouTube, Snapchat, cinemas, RedBox, streaming services, and geotargeted digital campaigns. Print ads were placed with mass transit and in local schools. Each site has a dedicated website for this campaign, appealing to the target audience. All media pieces have a mechanism in place (link, QR code) to drive viewers to the campaign website. Analytics are available for all campaigns to ensure that the target population is reached.</p>	<p>Decatur Prevention Initiative</p>
<p>PreVenture</p>	<p>Decatur Prevention Initiative and BADC project staff completed the facilitator training. Both communities have had facilitators trained. DPI scheduled their first assessments and program for October 2021. BADC scheduled the first assessments and program for January 2022. Program materials for both sites have been purchased.</p>	<p>Decatur Prevention Initiative</p>
<p>PreVenture</p>	<p>For the first time, DPI implemented PreVenture programs within the school. During the academic year, 262 students were screened; 117 unique individuals were invited to participate, 68 students attended at least one session, and 48 students attended the last group session. These 48 students completed a feedback form. Active Parent Permission became a requirement during the spring semester. Eleven groups were offered throughout the year, with 4 sessions for each group. All students in the ninth-grade health classes, including those who did not qualify for PreVenture, were offered another broad-based evidence-based prevention program. This program was funded through another funding source.</p>	<p>Decatur Prevention Initiative</p>

## Accomplishments

Name	Description	Date
Adapting interventions to ensure cultural competence while preserving core program elements	Both project coordinators served as content advisors on the "Just Not Worth It" campaign. This allowed for specific recommendations to ensure the campaign was culturally competent and representative of our diverse communities. Spanish versions of the messages are available. BADC is considering purchasing some Spanish materials.	5/10/2021
Developed effective stakeholder partnerships (e.g., between state agencies, and community and partner organizations)	BADC developed a steering committee consisting of key stakeholders, including the local university and technical college. This had been a difficult partnership to establish. Bulloch established a parent network for more parent involvement. DPI expanded its partnerships to include more parents and youth, as well as the court system.	6/2/2021
Developed effective stakeholder partnerships (e.g., between state agencies, and community and partner organizations)	BADC's Project Coordinator is serving as a member of the prevention education committee as part of the state's Opioid and Substance Use Response Team. This partnership is between BADC and GA Dept. of Public Health.	10/26/2021
Developed effective stakeholder partnerships (e.g., between state agencies, and community and partner organizations)	Both communities have longstanding positive relationships with their respective local school systems. Each community was ready to offer the originally chosen evidence-based program (EBP; Preventure) to a targeted group of students. When the EBP had to be changed, the community was willing to pilot the new program (All Stars Sr) virtually in a classroom to 108 students. The addition of this program was seen as a value-added to teachers who were teaching virtually. The other community's school system continues to support these efforts but could not add any additional curriculum components due to the hybrid instructional structure's nature.	9/30/2020
Developed effective stakeholder partnerships (e.g., between state agencies, and community and partner organizations)	Both communities were able to develop key partnerships with local colleges/universities for this grant. Each community received feedback on the proposed student surveys. Project staff is working diligently to establish mutually beneficial active partnerships to promote our target populations' health.	9/30/2020
Developed efficient systems for distributing tangible resources (e.g., naloxone kits)	DPI partnered with the GA Overdose Project to provide Naloxone training and kits to community members. Decatur continues to pursue having Naloxone available in local schools. Bulloch has supplied local schools with Naloxone kits and administration training.	8/30/2021
Developing a process for selection of evidence-based policies, programs, and practices	Both communities adopted an evidence-based approach to media campaign selection and development. The PIE (Positive, Inclusive, & Empower) checklist was created by The Community- The Anti-Drug Coalition. This process is based on research for effective prevention via media sources. Both communities will continue to use this checklist as a guide for future media campaigns.	2/15/2021

Developing a process for selection of evidence-based policies, programs, and practices	Project Coordinators did an extensive search of evidence-based program databases. No program seemed to fit the parameters for these communities. After attending a PTTC training, the coordinators explored resources shared and discovered a previously unknown program. The developers were contacted, and it was determined that the program would fit both communities' parameters. Arrangements for training were made, with one community piloting the program. The coordinator from BADC would also attend the training to determine feasibility for implementation in that community.	3/2/2020
Developing a process for selection of evidence-based policies, programs, and practices	The program selected in March had to be put on hold due to COVID-19 and in-person training restrictions. Therefore, a back-up program (All Stars Sr) was selected that did not require facilitator training. This was one of the few evidence-based programs that could be offered to the target population remotely or virtually.	5/1/2020
Ensured interventions implemented with consistency and fidelity	The program coordinator and facilitator have been in ongoing contact with the All Stars Sr program developer to ensure that the program is delivered with fidelity. The sessions led by the facilitator include local youth substance use data to share with the students, as instructed by the developer.	9/30/2020
Grantee-level interventions being implemented	All Stars Sr was incorporated into the high school curriculum at the local career academy. The program is being offered entirely virtually by an experienced All Stars facilitator. One hundred-eight participant is being surveyed to assess program impact. Students who complete the program will receive a certificate of completion that is a component of their classroom grade.	9/1/2020
Implemented policies within organizations to facilitate interventions	DPI and the local high school implemented a policy to screen students in health class to determine eligible students for participation in the PreVenture program. Students deemed eligible, would then be placed into the appropriate group based upon assessment results.	9/29/2021
Leadership or political commitment to the issue among stakeholders	Decatur school leadership has committed to including DPI's evidence-based programs during the school day and to providing support services for grades 9-12. The Athletic Department leadership has committed to providing information to student-athletes and their supporters/families on prescription painkillers. A brochure has been developed for supporters/families and a postcard for athletes. These will be distributed at future events. BADC is considering duplicating for the Bulloch community.	9/21/2021
Leadership or political commitment to the issue among stakeholders	Packaged sales passed in November in the city of Statesboro which is Bulloch's county seat. The City Council held a work session on Nov. 16, 2021. At this time, the mayor announced that he will form an ad-hoc committee to review best practices and to report back to the council. The mayor also noted that a staff person from BADC would be named to that committee.	11/16/2021
Monitoring the implementation of interventions	Both communities have monitored media campaigns, including the "Just Not Worth It" campaign to ensure the target population is reached. Social platforms were monitored to ensure effective reach in both communities. Click-thru rates show that our target population is visiting our websites and receiving messaging and local resources.	9/30/2021

Obtaining evidence that selected interventions are proven effective in research settings and communities	PFS staff completed the PreVenture facilitator training. During training, the program facilitator provided multiple resources to show evidence of program effectiveness in a variety of settings.	6/11/2021
Specific community-level interventions being implemented	A series of public service announcements have been conducted in each community. The PSA's were consistent with the grant goals and focused on the targeted substances and age groups (14-24). Due to the statewide shelter-in-place order, it was determined that the best communication method was through digital campaigns. To date, there have been four completed campaigns, beginning in March. These campaigns were delivered 632,520 times and drove 715 people to the DPI website.	8/31/2020
Specific community-level interventions being implemented	BADC implemented the "Just Not Worth It" campaign utilizing a new method offered by Screenvision, placing binge drinking prevention ads on streaming channels. BADC did a test run of 3 months, ending in the following analytics: Nov 2021-Jan 2022: 250,307 impressions; 315 clicks; 239,701 video plays with a 75.5% completion rate. Note: most views were seen via ESPN (during football season). The same psa was run in theaters for 5 weeks during Spring Break, formals, & graduation resulting in the following: April 2022-June 2022: Binge Drinking psa - 18,787 viewers. The cocaine psa ran in the theater for 5 weeks during back-to-school in Aug 2022 - Sept 2022 resulting in the following: 44,388 views.	9/29/2022
Specific community-level interventions being implemented	BADC partnered with the local recovery community organization (RCO) and a local business owner to hold the first Festival of Hope. The event began with an overdose awareness walk with 29 banners featuring a total of 4,350 pictures of individuals who lost their lives to overdose or fentanyl poisoning hanging along the path. The walk ended with participants passing by banners featuring faces of local individuals in Recovery, which kicked off our Festival of HOPE. Over 200 community members participated with each wearing the color purple to signify overdose awareness + recovery. The event ended with a Narcan training. Eighteen participants completed the training.	9/3/2022
Specific community-level interventions being implemented	BADC, along with the sub-recipient, launched four media campaigns to address alcohol, prescription drug misuse, and cocaine use. As the target population was required to shelter in place, then go out on a limited basis, the media campaigns were a good alternative to the individual-level strategies that we were unable to implement. The campaigns were geo-targeted to reach the 14-24 yr old population. For Bulloch, the total # of digital ads served was 551,061, with 794 clicks through to the BADC website. There were 381,536 video PSA's served with 787 clicks through to the BADC website. Overall, there was a 57%-67% video completion rate.	8/30/2020
Specific community-level interventions being implemented	Bulloch Alcohol & Drug Council participated in the DEA's National Drug Take-Back Day. We had three collection sites across the county. There were both adult and youth volunteers who participated.	10/23/2021
Specific community-level interventions being implemented	I Need a Drink Campaign message - Decatur had 260,000 impressions; 60 days	7/28/2021
Specific community-level interventions being implemented	Not a Moment Wasted campaign - December-January; Decatur had 225,000 impressions; 30 day campaign	1/23/2021

<p>Specific community-level interventions being implemented</p>	<p>The first Polysubstance Use Prevention Summit was held on 9/15/22. This was a virtual event that was made available in both communities as well as across the state of Georgia. Key speakers represented the Emerging Threat Initiative through HIDTA, the University of Washington, and the Drug Enforcement Agency's forensics department. A total of 39 participants participated during the live event with 49 participating in the event on-demand within 30 days of the event date. Local, state, and national partners were represented in the exhibit hall. Participants were able to download materials from each booth and send it to their email. Live chat with booth representatives was also available throughout the event.</p>	<p>9/15/2022</p>
<p>Successfully recruited appropriate intervention attendees</p>	<p>The pilot program (All Stars Sr) has successfully recruited 108 high school participants. Many of these are members of a high-need community, as defined in our disparity impact statement.</p>	<p>9/30/2020</p>
<p>Successfully recruited appropriate intervention attendees</p>	<p>The Prime for Life program requires that participants complete an assessment prior to participating in the program. Individual scores empower BADC to identify individuals who are at high risk for a substance use disorder. Upon doing so, staff are able to make recommendations for additional evaluation and/or substance use treatment, along with appropriate referrals. The program also reaches individuals who are within the age range of the target population and are not enrolled in either the university nor the technical college.</p>	<p>9/17/2022</p>

## Barriers/Challenges

Name	Description	TA Requested	TA Request Date	Additional Description	Date
<p>Difficulties getting schools, law enforcement, medical facilities, or other organizations on board for implementation</p>	<p>In the beginning, all local schools, including colleges/universities, were willing to consider active participation in our strategies. The pandemic forced schools to reprioritize staff responsibilities. The administration has expressed that they are reluctant to add more to the current staff load. One community's education approach is completely virtual, while the other is implementing a hybrid model. This has resulted in funding concerns and, in some cases, staff reductions. Some original partners have been part of staff reduction, and others have been reassigned.</p> <p>Another sector (law enforcement) has presented a different set of challenges. Local law enforcement is dealing with crises on multiple levels. Substance abuse prevention strategies are not at the top of their priority list. For example, drug drop boxes may be in public buildings that are no longer easily accessible, and drug take-back days have been rescheduled or canceled. Law enforcement funding is also being reallocated and in one community has resulted in changes to the school resource officers.</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>Staff in both communities continued to reach out to our school communities. We are trying to determine what the benefit is for them to work with us during this time. Project coordinators continue to reach out to newly identified staff members who may have time and willingness to devote to the program.</p> <p>Each community is considering other methods to dispose of their unused medications safely. Drug deactivation kits are being distributed in one community. Information is being provided to educate community members of alternative drug drop box locations that are not housed within the police department.</p>	<p>3/18/2020</p>



<p>Logistical barriers to providing interventions (e.g. lack of space)</p>	<p>Spaces that have historically been available for meetings have not been accessible over the past eighteen months. The subrecipient's high school is overcrowded and space for implementation is limited.</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>The subrecipient has been willing to be flexible and make adaptations as needed. This may include limiting group size and rescheduling sessions as needed.</p>	<p>9/29/2021</p>
<p>Major external community events like weather disasters</p>	<p>As the pandemic continues, there has been limited access to target populations. Subrecipient's local law enforcement continues to not offer support for DEA Medicine Take Back Days and the drug drop box access has been severely limited. Local partners are somewhat limited on their availability to collaborate in prevention activities (i.e.; fall festivals).</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>Update: With communities opening back up, local drug drop boxes are now accessible and being utilized. More community events are being held with great community participation.</p>	<p>8/30/2022</p>
<p>Major external community events like weather disasters</p>	<p>COVID-19 required major adjustments and flexibility in our timeline and staff.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>03/17/2020</p>	<p>Our Project Officer has provided monthly support in guiding us through challenges brought on by the pandemic. Extensive virtual training has been provided by SAMHSA (PTTC) and SPARS. These trainings have been accessed by staff and have been invaluable. Training opportunities have continued through the second year of this project.</p>	<p>9/29/2021</p>

No leadership or political commitment to the issue	Subrecipient community has a low political will to address local ordinances that may impact revenue. This includes an upcoming open container district ordinance and a reluctance to address marijuana dispensaries.	No		Subrecipient participates in a statewide coalition for marijuana prevention. However, our partners continue to monitor potential issues with marijuana and alcohol access.	9/29/2021
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## Evaluation

### Evaluation Plan - Uploaded Document(s)

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### Evaluation Report - Uploaded Document(s)

[DPI PFS Community Readiness Report.docx](#)

#### Brief description

A community readiness survey was conducted in each community. The level of readiness helps determine the types of strategies needed to bring about community-level change.

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#### Brief description

The Community Readiness Assessment for this project period focused on underage drinking. This process builds on years of conducting this interview in the Decatur community. More information will be gathered in 2023 on illicit drug use.

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#### Brief description

DPI, the subrecipient community conducted a qualitative survey for students completing the program. This document shows this information as well as number of students who were screened, invited, participated and completed.

### Other Document - Uploaded Document(s)

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#### Brief description

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#### Brief description

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## Accomplishments

Name	Description	Date
Assess program effectiveness	Both communities have experienced success in monitoring the effectiveness of multiple media campaigns by collecting detailed analytics from each media outlet. Analytics provide the number of impressions, website click-through rates, video completion rates, and demographics to ensure campaigns are reaching the target population.	9/29/2021
Assess program effectiveness	Decatur can track community readiness levels for addressing underage drinking since 2013, utilizing the Tri-Ethnic Community Readiness model. This model has a score range of 1 to 9, with grading occurring by consensus on five dimensions. This model utilizes interviewing key informants in each community. Since DPI has begun using this method of tracking community readiness, there has been an increase from our original score of 4.36 to the current level of 6.1.	7/1/2022
Assess program effectiveness	Nineteen participants completed a pre/post test for the Prime for Life program. According to test results, all 19 experienced an increase in knowledge as a result of program completion.	9/17/2022
Assess program effectiveness	When the shift was made to promoting our project messaging via geo-targeted public service announcements, there was an added benefit of accurately tracking the number of ads served, the numbers who watched our videos, and the numbers who clicked through to our websites. The columns below indicate digital ads served, the digital clicks, the commercial servings, the commercial clicks, and the percentage of those who watched the completed video. Bulloch 551,061 794 381,536 787 57-67% Decatur 412,140 558 220,380 255 59-62%	9/29/2020
Ensure service delivery quality	Both communities ensure quality delivery of the social media campaigns through tracking analytics provided by the advertising agency utilized in each community. Social media platforms that reach the targeted populations are Snapchat, Facebook, and Instagram. The analytics report for each campaign aired allows the evaluator to track that the targeted populations are being reached. These reports also indicate the number of individuals who go to the respective websites where there are additional resources. Snapchat also provides profiles of the users that helps the team better plan future programming. These campaigns target multiple substances including alcohol, marijuana, opiates, cocaine, and prescription drugs.	9/29/2022
Identify successes	An executive summary for each community was produced and disseminated to community stakeholders. The format for this summary is a double-sided infographic highlighting the successes of year one. One side highlights grantee successes while the other side highlights the subrecipient's successes. This will be repeated annually.	7/1/2021

Identify successes	Both communities utilized movie theaters to deliver public service announcements during the release of movies that were anticipated to be a draw for the targeted populations. The theaters can identify the number of times each ad is shown throughout all the screens and the number of moviegoers. These ads were from the "Just Not Worth It" campaign and can be seen on the <a href="http://www.JustNotWorthItDPI.org">www.JustNotWorthItDPI.org</a> and <a href="http://www.JustNotWorthItBADC.org">www.JustNotWorthItBADC.org</a> sites. The Decatur theaters ADD NUMBERS Per Community. Another way to assess these campaigns is the website visits for the last year.	9/29/2022
Identify successes	During the first year of the grant, the PFS Team planned and implemented several opportunities to collect qualitative data. During the late spring, the Tri-Ethnic model of Community Readiness calls were made in each community to assess the level of readiness for future grant implementation. Four Listening Groups (ages 16-18; 18-20 not in school; 18-21 in postsecondary education; and 21-24 not in postsecondary education) are planned for October and November. An analysis of the data collected from the Community Readiness calls and the Listening Groups will be completed and shared with each community coalition. ALL-STARS Senior survey data is not yet available.	9/29/2020
Identify successes	The subrecipient community finally implemented and evaluated the identified individual strategy, PreVenture. Over 153 students were screened at Decatur High School, utilizing the Substance Use Risk Profile Scale, for participation in the PreVenture groups. DPI gained access to these students during their health classes (typically ninth-grade students). These sessions focus on four distinct personality types that may place them at higher risk for substance misuse and mental health issues (negative thinking, anxiety sensitivity, sensation seeking, and impulsivity). Each student receives a workbook specific to their personality type and meets for four sessions with a certified facilitator. Students who attended the final session completed an exit survey, and the feedback received was very positive (report attached in the previous section). All students participate in another prevention program, even if not chosen for small group participation.	5/31/2022
Monitor and evaluate all program activities	The team meets regularly to assess progress and to report to the project officer. This includes such evaluation components as the listening group development. The delivery of the EBP in the sub-recipient community included virtually tracking participation, completion, and results. We are awaiting evaluation feedback from the program developer.	9/29/2020
Monitor and evaluate all program activities	Utilizing the project timeline, the staff regularly assesses project status while preparing a monthly report for the project officer. This ensures that both communities are meeting target deadlines.	9/29/2021

Other - Gaining Internal Review Board approval for college-based survey	Both communities gained Internal Review Board approval for Indiana University's Prevention Insights survey tailored specifically for this project. Gaining authorization from the respective institutions required that staff become IRB certified in data collection. Three members of the PFS team participated in intensive training to meet this qualification. Prevention Insight staff, project staff, and institution representatives worked to tailor the survey to be more inclusive and address the specific goals of this project. Decatur was able to launch this survey in September at Agnes Scott College. For this initial event, 155 undergraduate students completed the survey. The survey was not closed during this project year to garner a larger sample size based on FTE college enrollment. Future survey collection events are scheduled for the upcoming academic year. CHARLOTTE	7/1/2022
Promote sustainability of outcomes	Each community shares its local accomplishments, local data, and national trends with community groups (churches, PTSA, elected officials, and service groups). Sharing the successes of these prevention efforts helps point to the need to sustain the prevention infrastructure. DPI received national recognition as a Blue Ribbon Coalition for its ability to collect and communicate that data to its community from the Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA).	9/29/2022

**Barriers/Challenges**

Name	Description	TA Requested	TA Request Date	Additional Description	Date
Lack of cooperation/follow-through by communities/subrecipients /partners in collecting data	Each community has had challenges implementing the college survey that aligns with the proposed timeline. Even though IRB approval was gained at Agnes Scott College at the beginning of the second semester, the college was unwilling to allow DPI to administer the survey until the start of a new academic year. The rationale was that the college has another survey that is a priority for administrators, as it determines student satisfaction (National Survey of Student Engagement).	No		Each community had to cooperate with their respective institutions to determine the best time for survey administration .	9/29/2022

Major external community events like weather disasters	COVID-19 and the Delta variant continue to present unique challenges for the delivery and evaluation of services. Resources are limited and community partners are weary.	No		Project staff brainstorm ideas on how to revitalize and re-engage people. Both communities purchased technology to make hybrid meetings more engaging. Staff continue to assess training needs and provide opportunities for professional development.	9/29/2021
Major external community events like weather disasters	Due to Covid-19, the Indiana Survey was to be administered during the fall semester to students at Agnes Scott College in Decatur. Georgia Southern University in Statesboro has been delayed until the agencies have access to each campus. Consequently, the grantees can not report any quantitative data at this time.	Yes	03/13/2020	Regular communication occurs between agencies and campus administrators . As soon as it is feasible, the survey will be administered in each community.	9/29/2020

<p>Major external community events like weather disasters</p>	<p>With the Covid variants still present in the communities, holding face-to-face events was limited. The schools were very reluctant to allow outside visitors on campuses. The impact of the Covid shut down was being felt by the students, and a big emphasis was placed on catching up academically and addressing mental health concerns. Statewide data collection during the pandemic was impacted, with the Georgia Department of Education's Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0 not being offered during the 2020-21 school year (a wellness survey was administered with low participation rates). The 2021-2022 school year's survey was no longer mandatory, which impacted data collection across the state.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Both communities continued to host coalition and stakeholder meetings, with varying levels of success. The PFS team also attended meetings within their communities whenever possible and attended project specific training sessions. The City Schools of Decatur allowed the PFS team into the schools and considered them "substitute" teachers. This speaks to the strong relationship DPI has established with the school system. Each partner is encouraging their respective superintendents to participate in the GSHS survey, pointing out the potential advantages to the community.</p>	<p>9/29/2022</p>
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Other - Low Number of Program Participants	The Prime for Life program being implemented in Bulloch County mainly serves the 18-25 year old population. The number of participants is very low each month. There is another provider that is on probation's approved list of drug education programs. This organization does not use an EBPP, but rather implements an in-house version of Prime for Life. This reduces the cost which allows them to offer the class at a lower price. This organization also offers the class online which is very appealing to this age group.	No		BADC recently added this strategy to the PFS plan. A plan of action has been established to meet with local attorneys and probation officers to share more information about the fidelity of the program and its effectiveness.	9/17/2022
Other data or data collection challenges	As BADC was preparing to complete the Internal Review Board (IRB) application, staff were informed of the requirement for all staff to complete the university's certification requirements. Upon certification completion, additional documentation was presented to staff.	No		Staff completed ALL requirements and the IRB application was submitted for review on September 30, 2021.	9/29/2021
Other data or data collection challenges	Both communities have experienced a delay by the Indiana College Survey in approving and finalizing edits due to Indiana University's staff turnover. This delay has resulted in the inability to collect baseline data for college students in both communities.	No		The project Coordinator has been in contact with Indiana College to monitor any progress.	9/29/2021

<p>Other data or data collection challenges</p>	<p>The City Schools of Decatur experienced some pushback from a few parents on utilizing passive permission for PreVenture screenings and group participation.</p>	<p>No</p>		<p>Working with the PreVenture trainer and the school system administration , DPI developed an active permission form on Google Sheets to share with all students prior to screening. The principal of the high school sent out the initial request for permission for all students enrolled in the winter semester health classes. There was initial concern that not enough parents would participate, but the PreVenture screener was able to involve students in gaining approval. This process was very successful and is continuing to be utilized for 2022-2023 Fall and Spring Semesters. The project staff remains sensitive to parental concerns.</p>	<p>1/16/2022</p>
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## Sustainability

### Accomplishments

Name	Description	Date
Establishment of key ongoing policies	DPI was able to work with the school system to change internal policies to allow all schools k-12 to have Naloxone in the nurse's offices. After the policy was adopted, DPI helped coordinate Naloxone training for all nursing staff last December. DPI has sought this policy change for several years.  DPI secured funding that allows DPI to play a key role in changing substance misuse discipline policies at the high school and college levels.	9/1/2022
Leveraging funding and other resources to ensure sustainability of efforts	DPI successfully secured funding from local, state, and federal funding sources to expand current programming. This funding will NOT supplant PFS efforts but will address gaps in services and build the overall readiness of the community to sustain programs and outcomes.	9/30/2022
Other - Increase visibility of prevention efforts in the community	DPI sought state funding to co-host a Back to School event in the community with other key partners in Decatur. This funding elevated DPI's visibility among key stakeholders and potential partners and was an excellent opportunity to build community readiness. DPI was able to share information related to the PFS project at this event.	8/1/2022
Planning for sustaining the infrastructure	DPI is currently seeking funding to establish DPI's prevention infrastructure and build capacity among stakeholders. Local groups and foundations are being approached to help maintain DPI as a key leader in the prevention infrastructure. One grant proposal received funding to enable prevention to become a part of the Agnes Scott College Honor Court.	9/30/2022
Planning for sustaining the infrastructure	The subrecipient community was approved by the school leadership to include EBP screening into regularly offered health classes. This addition to the health curriculum paves the way for long-term sustainability.	8/16/2021
Training grantee-level stakeholders and administrators on the importance of program activities	DPI regularly includes data on effectiveness of current prevention efforts within the monthly coalition meetings. Local stakeholders, including key community business leaders and elected officials were trained on the current efforts and the effectiveness of prevention efforts.	9/30/2022
Training grantee-level stakeholders and administrators on the importance of program activities	Provided ongoing training and support materials to workgroup members and partners on sustainability. Discussed assessing the success of projects and prioritizing the future projects' feasibility as they meet the community's needs.	9/29/2021

### Barriers/Challenges

Name	Description	TA Requested	TA Request Date	Additional Description	Date
No leadership or political commitment to sustaining program activities	The political will of the city council to commit funds to prevention efforts continues to be a challenge.	No		DPI was able to interact with many city officials at community events. The city council	9/30/2022

seems to be growing more positive about DPI's activities. Presenting to the local Rotary Club, comprised of business community leaders, was another way to address this barrier. DPI also received the Blue Ribbon Coalition designation (one of 19 in the country) from the Community Anti-Drug Coalition of America (CADCA). This designation was awarded to coalitions proficient in documenting and communicating the effectiveness of prevention efforts in their respective communities. This designation elevates our status with specific key stakeholders. DPI also now regularly submits articles for publication in the city magazine. This magazine is produced by the city government and is delivered to

					every home in Decatur. DPI's sustainability plan is updated each year, and part of our plan is to increase our visibility and value in the community.	
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## Annual Outcomes

### Evidence-based Practices, Policies, and Programs

Did you or your subrecipients actively deliver any Prevention Interventions **Yes** that are evidence-based programs, policies or practices (EBPPP) , during the last fiscal year?

#### Grantee Level Evidence-based Practices, Policies, and Programs (EBPPPs)

Bulloch County Alcohol And Drug Abuse Council, Inc.

##### Media Campaign

Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant? **No**

Target of the Intervention **Alcohol,  
Opioids,  
Other - stimulants,  
Prescription Drug Misuse**

Number Served to Date **0**

Number Reached to Date **70217**

##### PRIME For Life

Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant? **Yes**

Target of the Intervention **Alcohol,  
Marijuana,  
Opioids,  
Prescription Drug Misuse**

Number Served to Date **19**

Number Reached to Date **19**

#### Grantee Totals

Total Number Served to Date	Total Number Reached to Date	Total New EBPPP	Total EBPPP
<b>19</b>	<b>70236</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>

Intended Evidence-based Practices, Policies, or Programs (EBPPPs)  
 Non-duplicated number of individuals planned, by grant year

Prevention Intervention Name	Intended Audience	Total
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#### Subrecipient Level Evidence-based Practices, Policies, and Programs (EBPPPs)

##### Decatur Prevention Initiative

###### Other - "Just Not Worth It" Public Awareness Campaign

Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant? **No**

Target of the Intervention	<b>Alcohol, Marijuana, Opioids, Prescription Drug Misuse</b>
Number Served to Date	2
Number Reached to Date	2
<b>Other - Media Campaign-Focused on Norms for Parents- 79% video completion for video ads. 251 website visits</b>	
Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant?	<b>No</b>
Target of the Intervention	<b>Alcohol</b>
Number Served to Date	<b>260413</b>
Number Reached to Date	<b>46116</b>
<b>Other - PreVenture Groups 117 invited</b>	
Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant?	<b>No</b>
Target of the Intervention	<b>Alcohol, Marijuana, Opioids, Prescription Drug Misuse</b>
Number Served to Date	<b>68</b>
Number Reached to Date	<b>68</b>
<b>Other - PreVenture Screening</b>	
Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant?	<b>No</b>
Target of the Intervention	<b>Alcohol, Marijuana, Opioids, Prescription Drug Misuse</b>
Number Served to Date	<b>262</b>
Number Reached to Date	<b>0</b>
<b>Other - PreVenture-Training of Facilitators completed</b>	
Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant?	<b>No</b>
Target of the Intervention	<b>Alcohol, Marijuana, Opioids, Other - Mental Health, Prescription Drug Misuse</b>
Number Served to Date	<b>8</b>
Number Reached to Date	<b>4</b>

**Other - Social Media Campaigns**

Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant?	<b>No</b>
Target of the Intervention	<b>Alcohol, Marijuana, Opioids, Other - stimulants (adderal and cocaine), Prescription Drug Misuse</b>
Number Served to Date	<b>643255</b>
Number Reached to Date	<b>1712</b>

**Other - This Is Not About Drugs**

Was this EBPPP intervention actively implemented in this community prior to receiving funding for this grant?	<b>No</b>
Target of the Intervention	<b>Opioids</b>
Number Served to Date	<b>48</b>
Number Reached to Date	<b>48</b>

**Subrecipient(s) Totals**

Total Number Served to Date	Total Number Reached to Date	Total New EBPPP	Total EBPPP
<b>904056</b>	<b>47950</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>

**Community-Level Outcome Data**

**Survey Data**

Data Source Name: **Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0- 2019-2020**

Survey Items: **Question 39: During the last 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol ?**

Specified Substance: **Alcohol**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **30-day use**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Exact PFS Required Outcome Measure**

Response Options: **0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days**

Reported Outcome Description: **Grades 9-12,2231 students in the Bulloch County School system's total response options were 16.3%. For the state of Georgia in grades 9-12, the total response rate options were 12%. On the 2018-2019, Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options were 17% and the state of Georgia was 13% for grades 9-12.**

**Decatur Prevention Initiative**

Interview Type	<b>Baseline</b>		
Data Collection Date	<b>February 2020</b>		
Population Parameters	<b>Grade</b>	Grade(s)	<b>9,10,11,12</b>
Other Sample Descriptors	<b>0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days.</b>		



Description of Sampling Design	<b>Census</b>				
Multiple Year Pooled Estimate	<b>No</b>				
Multiple Year Estimate Description					
Value Type	<b>Percentage</b>				
Calculated Value	<b>22</b>	Standard Error	<b>999999999</b>	Standard Deviation	<b>999999999</b>
Survey Item Valid N	<b>1113</b>				
Comments	<b>1113 City of Decatur High School students in grades 9-12 responded to question #39- During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol? The local response options were 22%. The state of Georgia total response options was 12%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options were 27% and the state total response options were 13%. DPI does not have access to the raw data from the state survey consequently, the standard error and standard deviation information is not available.</b>				

Data Source Name: **Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0 -2019-2020**

Survey Items: **Question # 48: During the past 30 days. on how many days did you drink 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?**

Specified Substance: **Alcohol**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **Binge drinking**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Exact PFS Required Outcome Measure**

Response Options: **0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days**

Reported Outcome Description: **The outcome from the 2231 students surveyed in 9-12th grades in Bulloch County is 8.6% . The rate for the state of Georgia that encompasses grades 9-12 is 6%**

**Decatur Prevention Initiative**

Interview Type	<b>Baseline</b>				
Data Collection Date	<b>February 2020</b>				
Population Parameters	<b>Grade</b>	Grade(s)	<b>9,10,11,12</b>		
Other Sample Descriptors	<b>0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days</b>				
Description of Sampling Design	<b>Census</b>				
Multiple Year Pooled Estimate	<b>No</b>				
Multiple Year Estimate Description					
Value Type	<b>Percentage</b>				
Calculated Value	<b>11</b>	Standard Error	<b>999999999</b>	Standard Deviation	<b>999999999</b>
Survey Item Valid N	<b>1113</b>				

Comments **1113 students in grades 9-12 in the City of Decatur high school responded to question # 48 on the survey: During the last 30 days, how many days did you drink 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is within a couple of hours? The total response options were 11% and the state of Georgia total response options were 6%. On the 2018-2019 grades 9-12 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options were 11% and the state total response options were 7 %. DPI does not have access's to the raw data for the state survey so the Standard of Error and Standard Deviation cannot be reported.**

Data Source Name: **Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0-2019-2020**

Survey Items: **Question #44: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use marijuana (also called pot, weed or hashish)?**

Specified Substance: **Other - Marijuana**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **30-day use**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Not a PFS Required Outcome Measure or approved substitute**

Response Options: **0 days; 1-5 days; 6-11 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days**

Reported Outcome Description: **In grades 9-12, 2231 students in the Bulloch County School system's total response options were 10.7%. The state of Georgia total response options were 9%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0 for grades 9-12, the local total response options were 20% and the total state response options were 20%.**

**Decatur Prevention Initiative**

Interview Type	<b>Baseline</b>				
Data Collection Date	<b>February 2020</b>				
Population Parameters	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Grade(s)</b>	<b>9,10,11,12</b>		
Other Sample Descriptors	<b>0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days</b>				
Description of Sampling Design	<b>Census</b>				
Multiple Year Pooled Estimate	<b>No</b>				
Multiple Year Estimate Description					
Value Type	<b>Percentage</b>				
Calculated Value	<b>17</b>	Standard Error	<b>9999999999</b>	Standard Deviation	<b>9999999999</b>
Survey Item Valid N	<b>1113</b>				

Comments **In grades 9-12, 1113 students in the City of Decatur School system responded to question #44: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use marijuana (also called pot, weed, or hashish)?The total response options was 17%. The state of Georgia was 9%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options was 20% and for the state the local response options was 10%. DPI did not have access to raw data consequently, the Standard Error and Standard Deviation was not available.**

Survey Items: **Question #45: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use heroin (also called dope, crack, smack, junk, or snow)?**

Specified Substance: **Other - Heroin**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **30-day use**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Exact PFS Required Outcome Measure**

Response Options: **0 days; 1-5 days, 6-10 days, 11-20 days, More than 20 days**

Reported Outcome Description: **2231 students in grades 9-12 in the Bulloch County School system total response options were 2.5%. The rate or 9-12 grade On the 2018-2019 survey the reported local rate was 2.8% and for Georgia 3%.**

### Decatur Prevention Initiative

Interview Type	<b>Baseline</b>				
Data Collection Date	<b>February 2020</b>				
Population Parameters	<b>Grade</b>	Grade(s)	<b>9,10,11,12</b>		
Other Sample Descriptors	<b>0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days, More than 20 days</b>				
Description of Sampling Design	<b>Census</b>				
Multiple Year Pooled Estimate	<b>No</b>				
Multiple Year Estimate Description					
Value Type	<b>Percentage</b>				
Calculated Value	<b>3</b>	Standard Error	<b>9999999999</b>	Standard Deviation	<b>9999999999</b>
Survey Item Valid N	<b>1113</b>				
Comments	<b>In grades 9-12, 1113 students in the City of Decatur School System's total response options were 3% for Question# 45: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use heroin ( also called dope, crack, smack, or snow)?. In the state of GA, the total response options were 2.5%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options were 3% and the state total response options were 3%.</b>				

Survey Items: **Question #47: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use prescription drug tranquilizers or sedatives (such as Benzos, Xanax/Xans, Klonopin, Ativan) that was not prescribed to you?**

Specified Substance: **Prescription Drugs**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **30-day use**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Exact PFS Required Outcome Measure**

Response Options: **0 days, 1-5 days, 6-10 days, 11-20 days, More than 20 days**

Reported Outcome Description: **In grades 9-12, 2231 students in the Bulloch County School system's total response options were 3.7%. In the state of Georgia, the total response options were 3%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health, the local total response options were 3.5% and the state's local response options were 4%.**

### Decatur Prevention Initiative

Interview Type	<b>Baseline</b>				
Data Collection Date	<b>February 2020</b>				
Population Parameters	<b>Grade</b>	Grade(s)	<b>9,10,11,12</b>		
Other Sample Descriptors	<b>0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days</b>				
Description of Sampling Design	<b>Census</b>				

Multiple Year Pooled Estimate

Multiple Year Estimate Description

Value Type

**Percentage**

Calculated Value

**3**

Standard Error

**0**

Standard Deviation

**0**

Survey Item Valid N

**1113**

Comments

**In grades 9-12, 1113 students in the City of Decatur School system's total response options were 3% . In the state of Georgia the total response options were 4%. The students responded to Question # 47: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use prescription tranquilizers or sedatives ( such as Benzos, Xanax/Xans, Klonopin, Ativan) that was not prescribed to you? On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student , the local total response options were 3+% and the state total response options were 4%. DPI did not have access to raw data consequently, Standard Error and Standard Deviation was not available.**

Survey Items: **Question #49: During the last 30 days, on how many days did you use a prescription drug stimulant ( such as Ritalin or Adderall) that was not prescribed to you?**

Specified Substance: **Prescription Drugs**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **30-day use**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Exact PFS Required Outcome Measure**

Response Options: **0 days, 1-5 days, 6-10days, 11-20 days, More than 20 days**

Reported Outcome Description: **In grades 9-12, 2231 students in the Bulloch County School system's total response options were 4%. In the state of Georgia the total response options were 3%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Service, the local total response options were 4.4% and the state's total response options were 3.5%.**

**Decatur Prevention Initiative**

Interview Type

**Baseline**

Data Collection Date

**February 2020**

Population Parameters

**Grade**

Grade(s)

**9,10,11,12**

Other Sample Descriptors

**0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days**

Description of Sampling Design

**Census**

Multiple Year Pooled Estimate

**No**

Multiple Year Estimate Description

Value Type

**Percentage**

Calculated Value

**4**

Standard Error

**0**

Standard Deviation

**0**

Survey Item Valid N

**1113**

Comments **In grades 9-12, 1113 students in the City of Decatur School system responded to Question #49: On how many days, did you use a prescription drug stimulant such as Ritalin or Adderall that was not prescribed to you? The local total response options were 4% and the state of Georgia total response options were 3%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options were 4% and the state total response options were 3.5%. DPI did not have access to the raw data consequently, Standard Error and Standard Deviation were not available.**

Survey Items: **Question #83: How much do you think people risk harming themselves, physically and in other ways, when they use prescription drugs that are not prescribed to you?**

Specified Substance: **Prescription Drugs**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **Perceived risk/harm use**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Exact PFS Required Outcome Measure**

Response Options: **No risk; Slight risk**

Reported Outcome Description: **In grades 9-12, 2231 students in the Bulloch County School system's total response options were 37.8%. In the state of Georgia for grades 9-12, the total response rates were 37%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia State Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options were 42% and the state's total response options were 37%.**

**Decatur Prevention Initiative**

Interview Type	<b>Baseline</b>				
Data Collection Date	<b>February 2020</b>				
Population Parameters	<b>Grade</b>	Grade(s)	<b>9,10,11,12</b>		
Other Sample Descriptors	<b>No risk; Slight risk</b>				
Description of Sampling Design	<b>Census</b>				
Multiple Year Pooled Estimate	<b>No</b>				
Multiple Year Estimate Description					
Value Type	<b>Percentage</b>				
Calculated Value	<b>23</b>	Standard Error	<b>0</b>	Standard Deviation	<b>0</b>
Survey Item Valid N	<b>1113</b>				

Comments **In grades 9-12, 1113 students in the City of Decatur School system responded to question #83: How much do you think people risk harming themselves, physically and in other ways, when they use prescription drugs that are not prescribed to you? Local total response options are 23% and the state of Georgia's total response options are 37%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the total local response options were 24% and the state's total response options were 37%. DPI did not have access to the raw data consequently, Standard Error and Standard Deviation were not available.**

Survey Items: **Question# 46: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use a prescription drug pain killer ( such as Hydrocodone, Hydro's, Oxycodone, Oxy, Gabapentin, Gabbies, or Tramadol/Tammie's) that are not prescribed to you?**

Specified Substance: **Prescription Drugs**

PFS Required Outcome Measure: **30-day use**

Are you reporting an exact PFS Required Outcome, an approved substitute PFS Required Outcome, or neither: **Exact PFS Required Outcome Measure**

Response Options: **0 days; 1-5 days, 6-10 days; 11-20 days, More than 20 days**

Reported Outcome Description: **In grades 9-12, 2231 students in Bulloch County School system total response options were 5%. The state of Georgia's total response options were 4%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey 2.0, the local total response options were 5% and the state total response options were 4%.**

### Decatur Prevention Initiative

Interview Type	<b>Baseline</b>				
Data Collection Date	<b>February 2020</b>				
Population Parameters	<b>Grade</b>	Grade(s)	<b>9,10,11,12</b>		
Other Sample Descriptors	<b>0 days; 1-5 days; 6-10 days; 11-20 days; More than 20 days</b>				
Description of Sampling Design	<b>Census</b>				
Multiple Year Pooled Estimate	<b>No</b>				
Multiple Year Estimate Description					
Value Type	<b>Percentage</b>				
Calculated Value	<b>3</b>	Standard Error	<b>0</b>	Standard Deviation	<b>0</b>
Survey Item Valid N	<b>1113</b>				
Comments	<b>In grades 9-12 , 1113 students in the City of Decatur School system answered question #46 : During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use a prescription drug pain killer (such as Hydrocodone, Hydro's, Oxycodone, Oxy, Gabapentin, Gabbies or Tramadol/Trammies) that were not prescribed to you? The local total response options were 3% and the state of GA total response options were 4%. On the 2018-2019 Georgia Student Health Survey, the local total response options were 4% and the state total response options were 4%. DPI did not have access to the raw data consequently, the Standard Error and Standard Deviation was not available.</b>				

## Administrative Data

### Substitute Data Source Request

#### Survey Data

Outcome Measure: **30-day alcohol use**

Data Source Name: **Indiana University Prevention Insight College Survey**

Exact wording of the proxy item and response options the grantee is requesting to substitute for the PFS Required Outcome Measure: **In each community, the staff and volunteers will use a modified version of the Indiana University Prevention Insight College survey. The organizations have worked with the survey developer to shorten and alter several questions to reach the PFS Required Outcome measures. The complete survey has been uploaded as a supporting document to provide the exact wording. The precise text of the proxy survey outcomes are as follows:**

**Past month substance use**  
**Binge Drinking**  
**Consequences of alcohol use**  
**Underage student's access to alcohol**  
**Perception of peer beliefs**

Exact wording of the outcome that will be reported to SAMHSA/CSAP: **Student status:**

**Full-time, Part-time, or N/A**

**Where do you currently live:**

**Question removed**

**Are you a member of a social fraternity, sorority, or group?**

**Yes/no**

**Have you ever served on active duty in the United States Armed forces, either in the regular military or national guard or military reserve unit? Active duty does not include training for Reserves or national guard.**

**Removed**

**Within the past 30 days, on how many occasions (if any) did you use...?**

**Language revised to include marijuana, edibles, wax and oils**

**Within the last 30 days, what percent of students at your school used alcohol, marijuana, cocaine, or heroin? State your best estimate**

**Added language for alcohol, marijuana, cocaine or heroin**

**How do you think your close friends would feel about you having five or more drinks, using RX pills, marijuana, cocaine, or heroin?**

**Added language for cocaine or heroin**

Formulae for calculating or deriving the prevalence estimate (reported outcomes): **DPI and BADC have contracted with Indiana University (IU) to provide a statistical analysis of the data collected using the serving data collection tool. The data analysis offered by IU will be beneficial because the survey developer is performing the analysis. IU will be using their formulae to produce reports in table format with rates displayed by gender, age, and sexual orientation; and the narrative description of the survey results. IU creates tailored plans for analysis, ensuring the appropriate formulae are applied to produce results relevant to the outcomes BADC and DPI are looking to achieve, describing the behaviors of the target population. IU will use analytics such as regression analysis, general linear model, multivariate analysis, latent class analysis, and predictive analytics. The reported outcomes are as follows:**

**Past month substance use**  
**Binge Drinking**  
**Consequences of alcohol use**  
**Underage student's access to alcohol**  
**Perception of peer beliefs**  
**The survey instrument**

Summarize how the collection and reporting of community-level PFS Required Outcome Measure was written in your approved PFS Strategic Plan: **In the data collection section of our strategic plan, BADC and DPI described how BADC and DPI were going to use the colleges and universities in the target communities (in Bulloch County and Decatur) to reach populations between 18-25.**

**Furthermore, BADC and DPI described how BADC and DPI are going to target specific segments of the college campuses such as students attending athletic events and schools (such as the School of Public Health) within the universities that have a vested interested in substance abuse. BADC and DPI acknowledged that there is a significant number of the 18-25-year-old population not enrolled in a college or university. To reach those members of the population, BADC and DPI plan to collect data at locations in the community, which is frequented by members of the population in this age range, such as social clubs, festivals, and adult athletic leagues. Moreover, to be more thorough in our data collection, BADC and DPI described how the organizations would use social media to reach the population with automated survey collection. The data collected will be reported throughout the year quarterly (process data), semi-annually (community progress), and annually (achievement/barriers/lessons learned).**

Does the requested substitution differ from what was written in your approved PFS Strategic Plan? **Yes - This survey will be tailored to meet the specific needs of the two PFS communities. The assessment tool written in the proposal was unable to be adapted.**

Reason for the substitution request: **BADC and DPI are substituting to use the Indiana University Prevention Insight College Survey to achieve the best possible survey response from the target population. The results will more accurately provide outcomes necessary to make the most significant impact on the target populations. The opportunity to modify the questions to improve the specificity of the results and expected outcomes is plus, in addition to the opportunity to receive data reports and a narrative from the survey developer. BADC and DPI will be able to disseminate an electronic version of the survey in addition to the paper and pencil surveys. The developer has results to show the survey will be successful if implemented with the target population identified if used correctly. Overall, the results of this data collection tool will allow for valid and reliable data that will for modifying strategies if necessary, and improve the implementation strategy once the phase begins.**

Agency/Organization responsible for Data Collection: **Bulloch County Alcohol & Drug Abuse Council and Decatur Prevention Initiative**

Were there validity and reliability tests of the survey items constituting the substitute measure? **No**

Are there any published validity/reliability studies for this instrument: **No**

**Substitute Data Source Request Supporting Document**

[SPARS substitute data form responses .pdf](#)

For each data file, describe the contents of the data record(s) field that will be displayed:

**The file contains the contents of this request as a supporting document.**

Does the data approximate the community (e.g., county, city, town, school) where SPF-PFS interventions are delivered:

Most recent month and year for which data are available: /

Is there a data point collected at least 6 months prior to the implementation of SPF-PFS interventions in the community?

Is the data collection repeated every year:

Date of Data Collection: /

Are trend data available:

Sample Size:

Sampling Ratio:

What type of sampling strategy was used to select respondents:

Method of Administration:



Was this a computer-assisted interview:

What was the survey response rate:

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