

## About Us...

Beaver County Partner's in Progress (BPIP), located in Beaver, a rural community in the Oklahoma panhandle, began in 2002 with a specific goal of establishing a Wellness Center in their community. The Beaver River Wellness Corporation was established, became a 501c3 and land was donated for the center. However due to the enormity of the project and lack of funding, progress has been halted. The coalition meets monthly on the third

Tuesday of the month at noon. The coalition is working through the Mobilizing for Action through Planning and Partnerships (MAPP) process and have completed many steps of this framework. We held a visioning session to hear from Beaver County residents on what a healthy community would look like to them. This visioning session actually helped build the partnership. It has been a struggle to get local people involved and the session was definitely a step in the right direction. Many of those at-

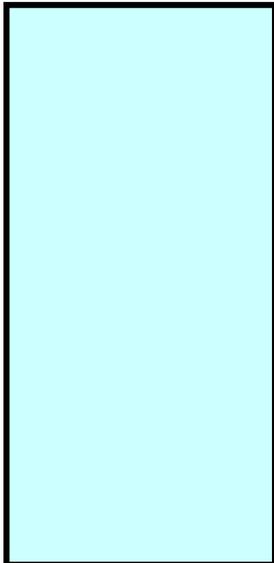
tendees have continued to attend the monthly coalition meetings since that time.

The coalition also continues to work with the Systems of Care team to build their referrals and with the Regional Prevention Coordinators on underage drinking initiatives.

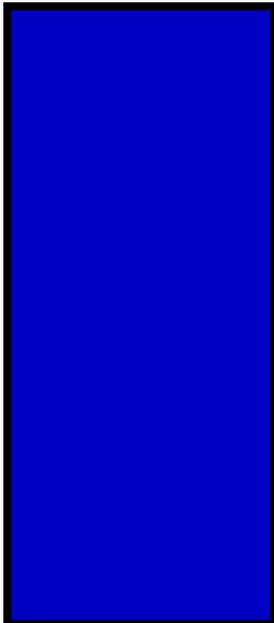
## Partnership Priorities

- Partnership development
- MAPP
- Systems of Care
- Physical Activity





**VISION**  
 Healthy living  
 for the people  
 of Beaver  
 County



**Activites**

MAPP Visioning Session  
 Forces of Change Assessment  
 Car Seat Check  
 SOC Referral Team  
 Soccer field and skate park  
 development

**Outcomes/Impacts**

SOC assisted multiple families  
 Developed vision statement  
 Gave away 12 car seats  
 New coalition members

**Partnerships**

Beaver EMT  
 Beaver Herald Democrat  
 Beaver Memorial Hospital  
 Beaver Senior Citizens  
 City of Beaver  
 Local citizens  
 OSU Extension  
 Regional Prevention Coordinators  
 OEDA  
 Western Plains Youth and Family Ser-  
 vices  
 Area Agency on Aging  
 Beaver County Health Department  
 OSDH Turning Point Staff  
 Opportunities, Inc  
 Oklahoma Highway  
 Patrol

**FUNDING**

**Systems of Care**  
 Provide services to families  
 that have children with emo-  
 tional or behavioral issues  
 September 2011 to Septem-  
 ber 2012(annual)  
 Oklahoma Department of  
 Mental Health and Sub-  
 stance Abuse Service  
 \$60,000

***“A great leader's cour-  
 age to fulfill his vision  
 comes from... passion  
 not position”.***  
**John Maxwell**