

Blaine County Community Health Action Team

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Coalition Priorities:

1. Increase Public awareness
2. Youth Development
3. Alcohol, Tobacco, and Drug Prevention Education

About Us...

The Blaine County Community Health Action Team (BCCHAT) has been working hard to educate and promote healthy behaviors throughout Blaine County. The BCCHAT has held the 8th Grade Mini Conference for years and has had huge success with it. They provide prevention education to over 100 students throughout Blaine County. Some of the activities BCCHAT provides are: ATOD prevention, Team Building, Internet Safety, Health & Nutrition education. The BCCHAT also hostess the Wise Guys / Girl Power for Blaine County. The boys and girls are educated on several topics throughout the day. They will get introduced to: SWAT-Students Working Against Tobacco, Self Esteem building, True Colors, Zoomba, Boating & ATV Safety, Skins & Skulls, 2M2L, Football, Bullying Prevention. With the Wise Guys / Girl Power they will provide prevention education to over 140 students throughout Blaine County. BCCHAT has great community support when it comes to holding these events. The mini conference and wise guys / girl power is put on by numerous agencies and volunteers.

Partners:

Blaine County Health Department	Blaine Co. DA's Office
BKTEC	Sooner Success
Sooner Start	Okeene Public Schools
Red Rock APRC	Office of Juvenile Affairs
Blaine Co. OSU Extension	City of Watonga
OCCY	Chisholm Trail Tech Center
Youth & Family Service	Cheyenne & Arapaho Tribes
Watonga Public Schools	CASA
Canton Public Schools	Geary Public Schools
Watonga Ministerial Alliance	Great Plains System of Care
	Opportunities



Significant Outcomes:

- ◆ TSET Grant
- ◆ International Walk to School Day
- ◆ Making Proud Choices
- ◆ Operation Store Front- Tobacco Prevention
- ◆ Positive Community Development-Media Campaign
- ◆ Social Host Ordinance
- ◆ Hosted Several Speakers on "HOT TOPICS" for the Community Coalition
- ◆ Geary Schools Passed Youth Access Ordinance
- ◆ Back Pak Program for youth in Canton & Watonga Schools
- ◆ Town Hall Meeting on Underage Drinking Prevention
- ◆ Sooner Success Work Shop

Key Activities:

- ◆ Girl Power / Wise Guys
- ◆ Tobacco Prevention Education throughout the county
- ◆ Certified Healthy Business
- ◆ Tobacco Free Business
- ◆ 8th Grade mini Health Conference
- ◆ OCCY
- ◆ Car Seat Installations
- ◆ Crystal Darkness Campaign
- ◆ Making Proud Choices Curriculum in alternative schools in Blaine County
- ◆ Mobile Dental Van: Canton, Geary, Okeene and Watonga Schools
- ◆ Sooner Success Work Shop
- ◆ International Walk to School Day; Watonga, Geary and Okeene Schools