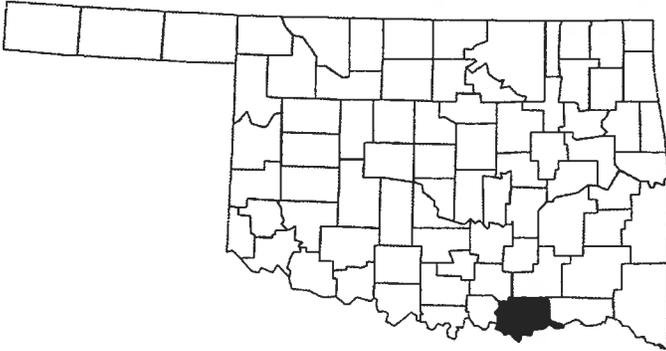


BRYAN COUNTY

BRYAN COUNTY TURNING POINT COALITION

Affiliated with Turning Point in 2002



The Bryan County Turning Point Coalition became a Turning Point partnership in 2002. They have primarily focused on adolescent development and education but have recently identified additional health priorities such as nutrition, diabetes, cardio vascular disease, obesity, and sedentary lifestyles.

Activities

- Developing Bryan County Turning Point Initiative.
- Applied for the US STEPS to Healthy Living Grant.

Outcomes

- Girl POWER Club.
- Wise Guys Program.
- Bryan County Coalition has partnered with the Turning Point Initiative.
- Developed a strategic plan.
- Coalition has change their name to identify itself as a Turning Point partnership "Bryan County Turning Point Coalition."

Future Plans

- Expand partnership.
- Implement Community Needs Assessment.
- Establishment of a School Health Advisory Council.
- Implement addition components of the Strategic Plan.
- Develop a local community needs assessment tool.
- Develop School Health Advisory Council.
- Begin remodeling physical facilities (school) to reduce risk factors associated with asthma by Jan 2004.

Participants

- Bryan County Health Department
- Turning Point staff of the Oklahoma State Department of Health
- Bryan County Coalition
- Bryan County Community Council
- Turning Point Coalition
- Durant Public Schools
- Choctaw Nation Community Health Programs/Health Services
- Durant Chamber of Commerce
- Durant Kiwanis Club
- Durant Lions Club
- OSU Extension Service
- Medical Center of Southeastern Oklahoma
- Success by Six Initiative
- Bryan County Health Department
- City of Durant - Parks & Recreation Department
- Southeast Oklahoma Division on Aging (SODA)
- Chickasaw Nation Health Services