

Interagency and Community Coalition

Grady County
2007

Coalition Priorities:

1. Improve quality of life for all Grady County residents.
2. Promote Healthy Lifestyles.
3. Work through government, private citizens, business, and social service agencies.

About Us...

The Interagency & Community Coalition of Grady County has worked on several projects. Significant time was spent assisting the Chisholm Trail Tobacco Free Consortium with the TSET Grant for several counties including Grady County. Sadly, the Consortium's application for the TSET grant was denied. Several members of the Interagency were heavily involved with creating a new service for the homeless in our community called Stepping Stones. The Women's Health Forum approached the Interagency about combining efforts of the Health Fair with the Forum in 2008 to create a larger event to impact more residents of Grady County. We are currently planning a major event for April 2008. The Interagency is also currently considering promoting the Certified Healthy Business program and partnering with Systems of Care.

Partners:

Grady County Health Department	Special Young Adults
Social Security Administration	OESC
Workforce Oklahoma	Workforce Dev. ASCOG
Girl Scout-Sooner Council	Grady Memorial Hospital
Chickasha Chamber of Commerce	Heartland Hospice & Home Health
Canadian Valley Tech Center	Washita Valley Community Action
Legal Aid of Western Okla.	Great Plains Child-care Resource Center
OSU Extension/OHCE	

Key Activities:

- Grady County Health & Resource Fair, Chickasha
- Child Safety Seat Checkup
- Assist with homeless services by supporting Stepping Stones Project
- Chisholm Trail Tobacco Free Consortium on TSET grant

Significant Outcomes:

- ◆ Combined Interagency & Community Coalition of Grady County Health Fair efforts with Women's Health Forum and are now planning on one big event for 2008
- ◆ Provided Education & Enrollment for Medicare prescription drug coverage
- ◆ Assisted community access to health & resource agencies
- ◆ Encourage use of child safety seats

