

Delaware County Community Partnership

Delaware County
2008

Coalition Priorities:

1. Alcohol use among teens
2. Meth use in the community
3. Teen sexual activity
4. Obesity among youth
5. More youth activities

About Us...

The Delaware County Community Partnership is a comprehensive interactive involvement of organizations and individuals, as representative of Delaware County as possible, dedicated to improving quality of life for the people of Delaware County by encouraging healthy attitudes and behaviors aimed at the prevention of illegal drug use and alcohol/substance abuse and other destructive behaviors, including, but not limited to, physical and sexual abuse.

DCCP had their first town hall meeting on underage drinking. It was a huge success. They had Triple Cross Ministry demonstrate their horse therapy program.

The health department and OSU Extension started the YMCA garden in their CATCH program. After the youth planted their garden, they took what they could pick from the garden (and supplemented the rest) to make fresh salsa on a day they were discussing fruits/veggies and ways to eat more.

Partners:

Delaware County Health Department
Cherokee Nation
ROCMND APRC
Grove Public Schools
YMCA of Grand Lake
OSU Extension Service
District Judge
Graduated Sanctions
DCCSAN
Rotary Club
2M2L
OCCY
Jay Public Schools
First Baptist Church
Triple Cross Ranch Ministry
Red Willow Ministry
DHS

Key Activities:

- Underage Drinking Awareness Town Hall Meeting
- Look Before You Leap
- Car Seats for Healthy Families
- 2M2L Camp

Significant Outcomes:

- ◆ Over 150 participants in their first Underage Drinking town hall meeting
- ◆ Hired a prevention specialist for Cherokee Nation Grant

