

Craig County Community Partnership

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Coalition Priorities:

1. Mental Health & Substance Abuse
2. Access to children's health
3. Physical Fitness & Nutrition

About Us...

Craig County Community Partnership has worked hard in 2007 undergoing new ventures. CCCP recognized the need for access to health care. Surrounding counties were getting overloaded in their free clinics. CCCP helped start the committee to work on access to adult health care, and now there is a 501(c)3 group working on establishing a free clinic in Craig County. During the process, it opened doors to start a children's free clinic. The group put on two clothing sales raising a significant amount of start up funds for the children and adult clinic.

While already working on drug prevention and especially on Meth prevention, Cherokee Nation received a grant and is now working with CCCP on substance abuse prevention. They are continuing to work with Red Ribbon Week and establishing 2M2L youth groups. CCCP received OCCY project funds, which let them put together a 2M2L mini camp for the youth. The youth designed projects including alternative programs for youth and to decrease store front advertising of alcohol.

CCCP received a Turning Point/WIC grant that gave them the opportunity to put on a physical fitness and nutrition camp for children who have not had the opportunity to go to camp. The camp provided exercise, nutrition and substance abuse prevention education. The camp took place in the Vinita's North Park. Each day the children watched others go to the community pool. On the last day of camp, the pool was opened for them. (see more in Craig County WIC/TP Report)

CCCP worked with DHS on the Make a Difference Day project. Collection buckets for the fund drive for food were in a number of locations in Craig County. CCCP continues to develop innovative programs.

Partners:

Arvest Bank	Family Praise Center
The Junction ISP	Oklahoma Juvenile Authority
White Oak Schools	2M2L
ROCHMND APRC	OCCY
Craig Co. Health Dept	Ketchum School
Grand Lake Mental Health Center	Cherokee Nation
Craig General Hospital	Vinita High School
Craig Co. DHS	Craig County Commissioner
Four-State Rehabilitation VADTC	Craig Co. OSU Extension
Vinita Police Dept.	White Oak Public Schools
Grand Gateway AAA	
Vinita Day Center	

Key Activities:

- Red Ribbon Week
- Get Mooving Camp
- 2M2L Camp(s)
- Free Children's Clinic
- Make a Difference Project
- Drug Prevention Education
- Alcohol Reality Day

Significant Outcomes:

- ◆ Received Turning Point/WIC grant funds and started the first annual Get Mooving Camp, placement of health education signage in the local skate park and started the BodyWorks program
- ◆ Received OCCY project funding to put on mini 2M2L camp where youth designed their plan to prevent underage drinking
- ◆ Raised significant startup funds for a free children's clinic

