

Logan County Logan County Better Health Committee 2004

- **Activities**

- Set health priorities: substance abuse (tobacco, drugs, alcohol), physical activity, childhood and adult immunizations and injury prevention
- Conducted a phone survey to assess needs and attitudes of county residents in regard to health care.
- Host a free car seat check annually to promote the correct use and installation of child safety seat restraints.
- Established Oklahoma Parents As Teachers with strong leadership from the Logan County Health Department.
- Parent Resource Center established at Central School providing parents in the community resources for early childhood development.
- Bullying Prevention Education implemented in Guthrie Public Schools through partnership between the Logan County Health Department and school system.
- Partnered with Guthrie SWAT team to help make an impact on tobacco use in Guthrie area.
- Received TSET grant

- **Outcomes**

- Parent Resource Center established at Central School providing parents in the community resources for early childhood development.
- 4-year-old program implemented throughout Guthrie area providing early learning in all four year olds.
- Payne Education Center Training for early learning and literacy development for all childcare professionals in Logan County.
- Safe and Drug Free School Coordinator provides education in all Logan County Schools.

- **Future Plans**

- Expand the Risk Watch Curriculum
- Establish and support SWAT teams in county schools.
- Strengthen and expand partnership
- Develop a Smoke-Free Restaurant Guide
- Aid the local SWAT teams with their activities.
- Work to change tobacco policies in the county schools to a 100% tobacco-free environment

- **Participants**

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| ➤ United Way | ➤ Ministerial Alliance |
| ➤ Logan County Health Department | ➤ OSU Extension |
| ➤ Logan Co. Youth and Family Service | ➤ Guthrie Police Dept. |
| ➤ Logan Co. Department of Human Services | ➤ Guthrie Fire Dept. |
| ➤ Guthrie Schools | ➤ Langston Police Dept. |
| ➤ Logan Hospital | ➤ United Way |
| ➤ Eldercare | ➤ COCCA |
| ➤ Job Corps. | ➤ Coyle Schools |
| ➤ Headstart | ➤ Langston University |
| ➤ City of Guthrie | ➤ Eagle Ridge Treatment Center |
| ➤ Wheatland Mental Health | ➤ Ministerial Alliance |
| ➤ Logan Co. Office of Workforce Dev. | ➤ Coyle Fire Dept. |
| ➤ County Commissioners | ➤ Coyle Housing Authority |
| ➤ Citizens from Crescent, Mulhall,
Langston, Coyle and Guthrie | |

