

Navajo County Coalition Against Drug Abuse

The Navajo County Drug Project

A Coalition of Concerned Navajo County Residents Banded Together to:

- EDUCATE the Community on the substance abuse crisis
- REHABILITATE those who have fallen into the addiction
- ENFORCE laws pertaining to the spread of substance abuse in our communities



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Credited Prescription Drug Training Free to Healthcare Providers

The drug dangers facing youth and what healthcare providers can do about it is the topic of free training available in Show Low April 9, 6-7:30 pm. The Partnership for a Drug Free America Arizona Affiliate cooperates with Summit Healthcare Regional Medical Center and the Navajo County Coalition Against Drug Abuse to make this event possible.

Participants will receive continuing medical education credit for the training, conducted by The Partnership. The program provides information to healthcare providers on widespread trends in drug use, showing the bigger picture of what's happening. The training covers current trends in drug use, statistics related to these trends and new research on brain development. Materials will be provided to all attendees.

The program is recommended for all healthcare providers, school nurses, EMT/firefighters, educators, and other professionals dealing with youth in the public environment.

The training will be conducted at Summit Healthcare Conference Room 2, at the hospital in Show Low. Dinner will be provided. Register for the event in advance to Fredda Kerms at Summit Healthcare, (928) 537-6368.

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Mission Statement:

To develop a diverse community representation, coordinate a sustained effort in educating and preventing the substance abuse through a plan for change in local social norms through prevention, treatment and vigorous enforcement of existing laws.