

SADD Chapters Anti-Tobacco Grant Fact Sheet 2015-2016 School Year

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Background

The Anne Arundel County Department of Health is partnering with Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD) chapters and groups in Anne Arundel County to provide peer education to students regarding the dangers of tobacco products.

Stipulations of Grant

- SADD Advisors must complete the attached reporting form and invoice after completing an activity to receive up to \$300 per activity.
- Activities must contain tobacco use prevention information, including electronic cigarettes.
- Activities should include awareness that possession of tobacco products is illegal for people under age 18.

Activity Ideas:

Funding will be distributed to SADD chapters and groups conducting and completing educational activities. Below is a list of ideas and suggestions.

- Utilize the tools and lesson plans from the Tobacco-Free Schools section of the AA Healthy Kids Website, www.AAHealthyKids.org. AA Healthy Kids Website is a locked site and requires the School Chapter Advisor to create an account. Once the account is approved an email will be sent granting access to browse and order free materials.
- Conduct any activity from the Tobacco-Free Kids Week section of the Smoking Stinks website (www.SmokingStinks.org/tfk/tfk-week-activities).
- Hold an anti-tobacco art/essay/poetry contest.
- Encourage youth to develop their own activity that raises awareness about the dangers of tobacco, secondhand smoke, e-cigarettes or tobacco litter.
- Participate in an awareness event such as:
 - Great American Smokeout (American Cancer Society) - November 19, 2015
Event information at www.Cancer.org
 - Kick Butts Day (Campaign For Tobacco-Free Kids) - March 16, 2016
Event Information at www.KickButtsday.org
 - Tobacco-Free Kids Week (Anne Arundel County Department of Health) – April 10-16, 2016
Event Information at www.SmokingStinks.org/tfk
 - No World Tobacco Day (World Health Organization) – May 31, 2016
Event information at www.WHO.int

Award:

After the submission of a completed reporting form and invoice, the SADD chapter will receive a stipend of up to \$300 per activity. Chapters may submit for awards until the funding is gone. An invoice must be submitted with the activity report. Interim contact is Leanne Lorange at 410-222-7221 or hdlora00@aacounty.org.