

# **Annapolis Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition**

## **Meeting Minutes**

February 21, 2017

### **Opening**

The regular meeting of the Annapolis Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition was called to order at 12:00 pm on February 21, 2017 at the Gaudenzia Crownsville by ASAP coalition members.

### **Present**

Total: 24 Attendees

### **Approval of Agenda**

The agenda was unanimously approved as distributed.

*\*Meeting Agenda Attached*

### **Approval of Minutes**

All attendees approval of January Coalition Meeting.

### **Meeting Discussion**

#### **12:00 – 12:15pm: Individual Introductions**

Each member stated their name and affiliated organization/sector.

#### **12:15 – 12:20pm: Police Report Review**

*\*Police Report Attached*

A report doesn't necessarily get written or cited hence the time of absence of citations (January through April 2016). Started tracking and citing more reports in May 2016.

What is the process of a citation? When an establishment is cited, the Alcohol Control Board is notified. Then they review how many citing have already taken place. The consequences can be from a fine to losing your liquor license.

Fake/ID Cards – Is there a special training? Establishments have hand held scanners and she does believe they have trainings, but says from personal experience, the scanners are not being used.

Fake/ID Cards – Sometimes the police don't get called until the bar has a stack of fake IDs. If a citation does occur, the youth must see a commissioner.

#### **12:20 – 1:20pm: Reviewed Selected Variables & Contributing Factors with Data Points**

*\*Selected Variables Handout Attached*

Reviewed all the data findings and the community readiness stages for Underage Drinking, Binge Drinking, and Opioids.

Reviewed the Intervening Variables/Contributing Factors and MSPF Strategies

**Enforcement – Police officers issue alcohol citations, but some officers view citations as ineffective due to lack of follow up by the Judicial System.**

Majority of alcohol citations don't make it to the court system. The citations go to the city or the county. A lot of time teen offenders will get diverted to teen court and must do community service. If they don't get diverted, the Department of juvenile services will review. Majority of time they will dismiss. If a citation is for 18 – 20, officer stated that they never hear about that specific juvenile citation ever again. Coalition highlighted that the enforcement variable truly are a matter of two issues; the time and resources to write citations and to impact the perception of the police officers of citations not being effective.

Is the Enforcement Variable still a high impact? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

Is the Enforcement Variable still a high changeability? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

**Social Access – Youth have access to alcohol by stealing from family, attending parties, or having adults purchase.**

Reviewed the variable, data associated with the variable, and strategies appropriate for the community in regards to the social access variable. Strategies already in place are two Media Campaign Strategy – “Parents Who Host Lost the Most” and the “Alex and Calvin Law” Presentations. The social host liability law was also reviewed. The strategic planning committee will take this information and gather more information for the coalition.

Is the Social Access Variable still a high impact? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

Is the Social Access Variable still a high changeability? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

**Perceived Risk of Harm – Lack of knowledge of the definition of Binge Drinking.**

Reviewed and agreed that we will implement the Binge Drinking campaign as a community strategy.

Is the Binge Drinking Variable still a high impact? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

Is the Binge Drinking Variable still a high changeability? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

**Perceived Risk of Harm – There is a lack of fear of consequences/getting caught.**

Coalition agreed to change the impact to low of this variable and to currently table this variable as we cannot address fear if there are no consequences that instill the fear.

Is the Social Access Variable still a high impact? No (Coalition Agreed)

Is the Social Access Variable still a high changeability? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

**Retail Access – Use of Fake IDs downtown.**

Coalition agreed to change the impact and the changeability of this variable. Some members expressed that this variable goes hand in hand with the enforcement variable. Fake ID trainings can be offered.

Is the Social Access Variable still a high impact? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

Is the Social Access Variable still a high changeability? Yes (Coalition Agreed)

### **1:20 - 1:30pm: Moving Forward**

Materials Distribution for Media Campaigns in Annapolis

Binge Drinking Campaign – Most of Us

The **Strategic Planning Committee Meeting** is **March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017**, at 8:30 AM – 10:30 AM, at The Heritage Complex, in the Severn Room (on the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor). Address: 2664 Riva Road, Annapolis, MD 21401. 8:30 am - 10:45 am. All members are welcome and we encourage anyone to get further involved.

The next **ASAP COALITION MEETING** is on **March 21, 2017** at 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM at the Annapolis Police Department in the Education & Training Room. Address: 199 Taylor Avenue, Annapolis, MD 21401.

\*There is EXTRA parking in the parking garage to the left of the APD building.

### **Agenda for Next Meeting**

Share new and updated Strategic Plan from both this meeting and the Strategic Planning Committee. Discuss strategies further.

### **Adjournment**

Meeting was adjourned at 1:30PM by ASAP coalition members.

Minutes submitted by: Izelle Van Zuylen

**A.S.A.P Coalition  
(Annapolis Substance Abuse Prevention)  
Meeting Agenda  
February 21, 2017**

Annapolis Substance Abuse Prevention (ASAP) facilitates healthy community change to reduce alcohol and opioid use among youth and young adults through locally led collaborations and evidence-based prevention strategies.

- 1. Welcome/Introductions; Sheryl Menendez**
- 2. Review Meeting Minutes; Angel Traynor**
- 3. Report by Annapolis Police Department**
- 4. Contributing Factors & Intervening Variables 6 to 3; Izelle Van Zuylen**
- 5. Selection and Prioritization of Variables; Sandy Smolnick, M.A. AACDOH**
  - **Breakout Groups**
  - **Group Discussion**
- 6. Binge Drinking Campaign PWHTM; Angel Traynor (Volunteer List)**
- 7. Closing Thoughts; Sheryl Menendez**

Next meeting;  
March 21, 2017  
12-1:30

Annapolis Police Department/ Education Room  
199 Taylor Avenue  
Annapolis MD 21403

Light Lunch will be served

## The Prevention Coalitions of Anne Arundel County

Northern Lights Against Substance Abuse (NLASA)	Western Anne Arundel County Prevention Coalition (WASP)	South County Bridges to a Drug Free Community
March 10, 2017 / 12-1:30 pm	March 7, 2017 / 6:30 -8:00 pm	April 7, 2017 / Noon-1:30 pm
Eastern District Police Station	Kingdome Kafe	Southern District Police Station
204 Pasadena Road		35 Stepneys Lane
Pasadena, MD 21113	Odenton, MD 21113	Edgewater, MD 21037
Lunch Served	Light Snack	Lunch Served

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Upcoming events:** Not My Child Events 6:30-8 pm

**3/8** Mountain Rd Library 4730 Mountain Rd Lake Shore, MD 21122

**3/14** Chesapeake Bay Middle School 4804 Mountain Rd Lake Shore, MD 21122

**3/21** Edgewater Library 25 Stepneys Ln Edgewater, MD 21037

**3/23** Glen Burnie Library 1010 Eastway Glen Burnie, MD 21060

# POLICE DEPARTMENT



199 Taylor Avenue  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

January 7, 2017

**TO:** Chief Michael Pristoop

**FROM:** Det./Cpl. Richard Truitt

**RE:** 2016 Yearly Alcohol Compliance Report

Throughout 2016 members of CID/ISU conducted inspections and compliance checks of various package goods stores and nightclub establishments throughout the city. During these services detectives were looking for establishments selling Alcohol to underage subjects, underage subjects who were attempting to purchase, persons attempting to buy for underage subjects, and persons loitering and consuming alcohol beverages on premise.

**INSPECTIONS:**

**Restaurants, Night Clubs and Organizations:**

(125) Inspections

**Package Goods Establishments:**

(55) Inspections

**Private Clubs:**

(7) Inspections

**Establishments Cited for Violations:**

(2 Violations Cited)

12/31/2016

Sakura Café

Open after hours

12/31/2016

Peerless Rens

Noise off premises

**Bar related incidents reported:** ( Fake ID, Underage, Open container, Public Urination)

January thru April

No incidents reported to ISU

May

9 Bar related incidents

8 Arrests

June

25 Bar related incidents

5 Arrests

July

15 Bar related incidents

5 Arrests

August

7 Bar related incidents

4 Arrests

September

7 Bar related incidents

2 Arrests

October

9 Bar related incidents

3 Arrests

November

16 Bar related incidents

13 Arrests

December

9 Bar related incidents

8 Arrests

**Complaints Investigated:**

(15)

**One Day Licenses Monitored:**

(214)

**ID Cards Recovered:**

(175)

**Zoning Hearing Sign Inspections:**

(8)



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## **Annapolis Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition**

### **Selected Intervening Variables & Contributing Factors with Data Points**

February 21, 2017

#### **Underage Drinking Consumption**

- 30.2% of AAC youth 12-17 reported past 30 day use of alcohol, (YRBS 2015).
- 44% of Annapolis youth drank alcohol in the last 30 days, (AAC Consumption Survey 2012-2013).
- In AAC, 589 (61%) of 960 youth, under 21, drank liquor and 534 (55.6%) of 960 drank beer, (MYSA 2016).
- In 2014, 54% of AAC high school students reported ever using alcohol compared with 65.20% in 2013. Underage drinking is trending downward by 1.7% in AAC between 2013 and 2014, but at a slower rate than the State of Maryland which was trending downward 5.1%, (YRBS 2013 & 2014).
- 55% of AAC youth had their first drink of alcohol before the age of 15, (MYSA, 2016).
- 92% of young adults had their first drink before the age of 21, (MYSA 2016).

#### **Binge Drinking**

(Definition of Binge Drinking – Adult Women: 4 or more drinks within a 2 hour period. Adult Men: 5 or more drinks within a 2 hour period.)

- 43.5% of AAC young adults drank 5-10 drinks on any one occasion, (MYSA 2016).
- 20.05% AAC 18-25 year old's drank 10+ drinks on any one occasion, (MYSA 2016).
- 57.3% of AAC young adults 21-25 report binge drinking at least once in the past 30 days, (MYSA 2016).

#### **Alcohol Crashes – A Consequence**

- 349 Alcohol crashes over a period in Annapolis, 2013-2016.
- 11 pm – 2 pm Year Round
- 59% of the alcohol-related crashes in Annapolis were Annapolis residents.
- Most Afflicted Roads, (APD 2016).



## **9Opioids**

- **Doctors do not discuss the dangers of prescription Opioids with their patients**
  - Majority of people report that Doctors and Pharmacists do not discuss the dangers of Opioid misuse
  - 83% have not spoken to their doctor; 6% have spoken to their pharmacist, (MPOS, 2015).
- **Prescription Opioids are available in homes**
  - There is a lack of proper monitoring and storage of prescription opioids in the home.
  - 65% of respondents reported getting prescription opioids by stealing from their family, (MPOS, 2015).
- **Low Perceived Risk**
  - There is a community belief that prescription opioids are safer than heroin.
  - 51% of respondents reported prescription opioids are safer than heroin, (MPOS, 2015).

### **OMPP Strategies**

- Community Presentations to educate the public on how to properly store and monitor prescription medications.
- Prescriber Education Guides to educate patients on the dangers of prescription opioid abuse.
- Pharmacist Education Guide to educate patients on the dangers of prescription opioid abuse.
- Media Campaigns:

**Denial is Deadly:** Addresses the misperception that prescription opioids are less dangerous than heroin.

**Mind Your Meds:** Informs county residents how to properly store and monitor their medications to reduce the chances of medication being stolen.

**Save a Life With a Spray:** Promotes a free AACDOH training and certification to use intranasal Naloxone, which can reverse an opioid overdose and helps prevent death.



## **Annapolis Community Readiness Scores, 2016**

Community Readiness Level is the degree to which a community is prepared and willing to act on an issue.

### **Underage Drinking - 3.92**

#### **Stage 4: Pre-Planning**

The Annapolis community has some awareness of local efforts, an acknowledgement of concern, a need for solutions, and very little knowledge of the available, but limited resources.

Appropriate Strategies for this Community Readiness Stage are:

- Educational Outreach Programs that communicate and correlate the statistics and causes of substance abuse to Community Leaders and Stakeholder Groups.
- Introduce the concept of prevention.
- Illustrate specific Prevention Programs adopted by similar communities.
- Issue Local Media Campaigns emphasizing the consequences of substance abuse.
- Prevention programming (Local Media Campaign) – ways to reduce demand for alcohol.

### **Binge Drinking – 3.38**

#### **Stage 3: Vague Awareness**

The Annapolis community has little awareness of local efforts, some acknowledgement of concern, no immediate need for a solution, and little knowledge of the available, but limited resources.

Appropriate Strategies for this Community Readiness Stage are:

- Educational outreach programs that focus on national, state and local rates, local incidents illustrating harmful consequences
- Local Media Campaign emphasizing the consequences of substance abuse

### **Opiate - 7.84**

#### **Stage 5: Preparation**

The Annapolis community has great awareness of local efforts, development and support for efforts, high concern for a solution, basic knowledge and some resources, and a focus on securing resources.

Appropriate Strategies for this Community Readiness Stage are:

- Educational outreach programs that focus on evidence based prevention, policies, practices goals and implementation to community leaders/Stakeholder groups and public.

- Local Media Campaign emphasizing the benefits of prevention programs for substance abuse consequence reduction

## Intervening Variables/Contributing Factors and MSPF Strategies

Intervening Variable & Contributing Factor	Target Population	Priority/ Impact	Changeability	Data Points	Selected MSPF Strategy
<b>ENFORCEMENT</b>  Police officers issue alcohol citations, but some officers view citations as ineffective due to lack of follow up by the Judicial System.	Underage Drinking 12-20	High	High	APD issued 351 Drunk Driving Misdemeanor citations (2013-2016 APD)  There were 678 liquor law violations (2013-2016 APD) Need more data on the liquor law violations  7/11 FG/KI	Join with the police in their Harm Reduction Campaign " <b>Know your Limit</b> "  Fund APD to be able to issue additional compliance checks of bars and to issue press releases.  Collect more data on diversion resources and judicial sanctions. FY 18 could bring an additional strategy in this area (judicial education) after data collection.  Promote the prosecution and adjudication with sanctions of alcohol law violations within the municipal and circuit court systems.  Enforce police policy requiring drivers under age 21 with BAC greater than 0.02 receive appropriate treatment and sanctions.  Enhance new law enforcement capacity and commitment to address alcohol laws.  Promote the prosecution and adjudication with sanctions of alcohol law violations within municipal and circuit court systems.

					<p>Conduct alcohol age compliance checks and issue citations to retailers selling alcohol to youth.</p> <p>Cops in shops</p> <p>Establish law enforcement led class on appropriate policies and practices for sellers/ licenses cited violations.</p> <p>Sobriety check points</p>
<p><b>SOCIAL ACCESS</b></p> <p>Youth have access to alcohol by stealing from family, attending parties or having adults purchase</p>	<p>Underage Drinking 12-20</p>	<p>High</p>	<p>High</p>	<p>42.8% of underage youth obtain alcohol from someone else (AAC 2012-2013 Consumption Survey)</p> <p>33.1% someone gave it to them (AAC 2012-2013 Consumption Survey)</p> <p>18.7% of underage youth bought alcohol at store (MYSA 2016)</p> <p>65% of 25 year olds purchase from retail (MYSA 2016)</p> <p>21-25 year olds use Fake ID's Main Street (Environmental Scans)</p> <p>6/11 FG/KE</p>	<p><b>Media Campaign Strategy</b> – Parents Who Host Lose the Most</p> <p><b>Media Campaign Strategy</b> - Alex and Calvin Law Presentations</p> <p>Social Host Liability Law</p> <p>Develop municipal standards and procedures for awarding, renewing, suspending, and revoking alcohol license.</p> <p>Alcohol restrictions at community events</p> <p>Community trial interventions</p> <p>Enhance law enforcement capacity and commitment to address alcohol laws</p> <p>Promote the prosecution and adjudication with sanctions of alcohol law violations within the Municipal and circuit court systems.</p> <p>Complete quality control checks to ensure an ID check is conducted during delivery of alcohol to private residence.</p>

					<p>Party patrol</p> <p>Social host liability laws</p>
<p><b>PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM</b></p> <p>Lack of knowledge of the definition of Binge Drinking</p>	Binge Drinking 21-25	High	High	<p>6/11 FG KI</p>	<p><b>Media Campaign</b> - “Most of Us”</p> <p>Community Trials Intervention</p> <p>College wide coordinated intervention</p> <p>Associated punishments to all incoming/returning students and parents, publicize them in campus venues (student housing, sports facilities, campus websites)</p>
<p><b>PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM</b></p> <p>There is a lack of fear of consequences/ getting caught</p>	Underage Drinking 12-20	High	Low	<p>3/11 FG/KI</p> <p>In 2016, of 125 inspections of Bars and restaurants, there were 48 Bar related incidents reported (Fake ID, Underage, Open container, Public urination)</p> <p>Need more data: Requested specific info from APD on “problem” Establishments cited</p>	<p>Community Trials Intervention</p>

<b>RETAIL ACCESS</b>  Use of Fake ID's downtown	Underage Drinking 12-20	Low	Low	<p>In 2016 APD recovered 175 ID cards (APD 2016)</p> <p>Downtown/Main Street; Pussers, Acme, Ram's Head, Metropolitan (Env. Scans) Need more data: Requested specific info from APD on "problem" Establishments cited</p> <p>4/11 FG and KI</p>	<p>Offer training to establishments on Fake ID's</p> <p>Community Trials Intervention</p> <p>Conduct alcohol age compliance checks and issue citations to retailers selling alcohol to youth</p> <p>Promote the prosecution and adjudication with sanctions of alcohol law violations within the municipal and circuit court systems</p> <p>Develop procedure for citizens' complaints about disorderly house and similar violations that may result in disciplinary action against license.</p> <p>Requiring/enhancing responsible beverage service/seller training</p> <p>Alcohol warning signs</p> <p>Increase enforcement of alcohol laws and policies on campus property and campus sponsored events</p> <p>Alcohol purchase surveys</p>
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