Connecticut State Opioid Response (SOR) Grant Prevention Efforts

Learn more about prevention programs, partnerships, and collaborations that work to reduce opioid misuse and overdoses in our state.

Regional Behavioral Health Action Organizations

These community partners provide naloxone trainings, promote evidence-based strategies, such as medication take back days, and administer mini-grants to local coalitions to enhance overdose prevention and support recovery-friendly communities.



The Hub: Behavioral Health Action Organization for Southwestern CT (a program of RYASAP) (475) 282-3521 thehubct.org



Alliance for Prevention & Wellness (APW)/a program of BH Care (203) 736-8566 apw-ct.org



SERAC: Supporting & Engaging Resources for Action & Change (860) 848-2800 seracct.org



Amplify, Inc. (860) 667-6388 amplifyct.org



Western CT Coalition (203) 743-7741 WCTCoalition.org









Prevention Campaigns

These statewide campaigns educate the public on the risks of substance use and action steps they can take to stay safe.



Change the Script
DrugFreeCT.org/cts



LiveLOUDLiveLoud.org



You Think You Know
YouThinkYouKnowCT.org

General Public Education and Resources

These programs provide education, tools, and resources for specific populations and the general public as a whole.

Connecticut Healthy Campus Initiative

portal.ct.gov/dmhas/prevention-unit/prevention-unit/healthy-campus-initiative

Change the Script Resource Van

drugfreect.org/resources/change-the-script-resource-van/

Connecticut Clearinghouse

ctclearinghouse.org

DrugFreeCT drugfreect.org

Courage to Speak®

couragetospeak.org

Prevention Training and Technical Service Center preventiontrainingcenter.org

State Education Resource Center

ctserc.org

Governor's Prevention Partnership preventionworksct.org

Education for Health Care Professionals

This program offers educational modules and resources for prescribers and pharmacists so they use safe, evidence-based prescribing practices.

Academic Detailing Initiative

- → Implemented by four local health districts: East Shore District Health Department, Ledge Light Health District, North Central District Health Department, Torrington Area Health District
- → Modules developed by staff at UConn School of Pharmacy
- → Topics: Connecticut Prescription Monitoring and Reporting System (CPMRS), Naloxone Prescribing and Administration, Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)