



SCCDAT
SUMNER COUNTY COMMUNITY DRUG ACTION TEAM

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ENGAGE! EMPOWER! EDUCATE!

- * **ENGAGE** communities, families and Youth in partnership to reduce substance abuse.
- * **EMPOWER** youth to make good decisions.
- * **EDUCATE** community members about prevention, awareness, and programs.

SCCDAT Hosts Strengthening Families Program Training

The Sumner County Community Drug Action Team hosted a facilitator training for the Strengthening Families Program in May and it was a huge success. There were 14 community members from Sumner County that participated and graduated from the training. Yeah! Strengthening Families is a program for youth ages 10-14 and their parents. This program brings families together for a meal, splits the adults and youth into separate groups to learn and participate in engaging activities to better understand the role of the parent/child, and then it brings the family back together for an hour of family learning and activities. Strengthening Families 10-14 is a program that has been implemented in Sumner County in years past and will be coming back with fresh, new energy and some really engaging and energized facilitators. This program is beneficial for ALL families and gives them the necessary tools to become a closer family who thrives using 'love and limits'. SCCDAT is very excited about the implementation of this program and we look forward to helping families become the best versions of themselves. Keep an eye out for a training near you!

Pictured: Our new SFP 10-14 Program Facilitators, Front row L-R: Kori Boyd, Sydney Reyes, Morgan Murray, Janelle Kennedy, Kiersten Theurer, Donna Starnes. Back row L-R: Gordon Fell, Lexi Wilburn, Branden Bohannon, Amanda Jackson, Angie Ratcliff, Bob Nusser, and Chris Starnes. Not pictured: Kim Hefley.



SCCDAT STAFF GRADUATE FROM SUMNER COUNTY LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE



SCCDAT staff members Kori Boyd & Kiersten Theurer recently graduated from the Sumner County Leadership Initiative program. The Sumner County Leadership Initiative (SCLI) was formed to be the center of excellence for civic leadership development in Sumner County and its communities.

The purpose of SCLI is to identify future leaders of all the communities in Sumner County, to make them aware of the challenges facing our cities and surrounding areas, and to inspire them to accept the responsibility of providing the leadership necessary for our county to succeed and thrive. We are excited to have two new great community leaders on staff at SCCDAT!

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KANSAS
Communities That Care
Student Survey

SUMNER COUNTY

Fact of the Month

The Sumner County 6th/8th/10th/12th grade **PARTICIPATION RATE** for the Kansas Communities That Care Student Survey last year was 70.97%. That is something to celebrate but we still hope to build on that in the years to come!

Contact Us

Give us a call for more information about the coalition and our programs.

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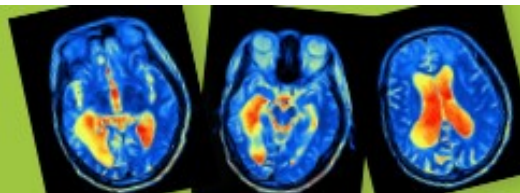
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