

Illinois Alliance on Reducing Youth Substance Use
December 10, 2024
2:30 pm – 4:00 pm

The Illinois Alliance on Reducing Youth Substance Use allows stakeholders to:

- Share current youth substance use prevention efforts being implemented in the State of Illinois.
- Share information on best practices to reduce youth substance use.
- Share data and research on efforts to reduce youth substance use.
- Review the Illinois STOP ACT report.
- Unify prevention efforts in the State of Illinois.

MEETING AGENDA

2:30-2:45 Samantha Alonis, Deputy Director, IDHS Division of Substance Use Prevention and Recovery
Opening remarks

2:45-3:45 Group Brainstorm

- Ideas or strategies for meeting people where they are ahead of time frames where the risky use of alcohol, cannabis, and other substances tend to increase (e.g., binge drinking during big college party weekends)
- Ideas or strategies for addressing interconnected issues (e.g., substance use and sexual violence)

3:45-3:55 Group Announcements

3:55-4:00 Samantha Alonis, Deputy Director, IDHS Division of Substance Use Prevention and Recovery
Closing remarks

SFY 25 Meeting Schedule

Tuesday, March 11, 2025

Tuesday, June 10, 2025

2:30 pm – 4:00 pm