

## **Behavioral Health Administration**

## Fact Sheet: State Prevention Plan

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Overview	The Prevention Policy Consortium (Consortium) was collaboratively developed in 2012 and implements the 5-year Washington State Prevention Strategic Plan. The Consortium, through partnerships, is working to strengthen and support an integrated statewide system of community-driven substance abuse prevention, mental health promotion and related issues. There are currently 26 state and tribal agencies and organizations represented on the Consortium with over 30 members.
	The Consortium meets bi-monthly and the State Prevention Plan is implemented by five active workgroups that meet monthly.  • Underage Drinking and Marijuana Misuse/Abuse Prevention Use (WA Healthy Youth Coalition)
	<ul> <li>Prescription Drug Misuse/Abuse Prevention (with DOH and State Opioid Workgroup)</li> <li>Young Adults and Pregnant Women Alcohol and Marijuana Misuse/Abuse Prevention</li> <li>Tobacco Misuse/Abuse Prevention</li> </ul>
	Mental Health Promotion, Anxiety and Depression Prevention
	We have a webpage of resources related to the Consortium and Washington State Prevention Plan <a href="https://www.theathenaforum.org/spe">www.theathenaforum.org/spe</a> .
	The updated 2015 Prevention plan can be found at <a href="www.theathenaforum.org/spe_strategic_plan_update_november_2015">www.theathenaforum.org/spe_strategic_plan_update_november_2015</a> . The updated 2015 annual workgroup Action Plans are included in the updated plan beginning on page 32.
Eligibility Requirements	26 State agencies and organizations participate on the Consortium with over 30 members.
Authority	The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP), FY2011 Strategic Prevention Framework State Prevention Enhancement grant (SPE grant) and Partnerships For Success grant (2013).
Budget	Serves as the Advisory Council for the DBHR Partnership for Success Grant and the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction's (OSPI) Project Aware Grant. No direct funding for Consortium.
Rates	Not applicable



Costs and Numbers Served	Numbers served not applicable, however, for list of plan accomplishments, see the 2015 updated plan beginning on page 119 to page 130.  www.theathenaforum.org/spe_strategic_plan_update_november_2015.
Partners	We continue this work through ongoing partnerships with the following agency representatives:  College Coalition for Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition, University of Washington (CCSAP) Department of Early Learning (DEL) Department of Health, Division of Prevention and Community Wellness (DOH) Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS), Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery (DBHR) DSHS, Frontiers of Innovation (FIO) DSHS, Office of Indian Policy (OIP) Health Care Authority (HCA) Indian Policy Advisory Committee (IPAC) Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) Office of the Attorney General (AGO) Prevention Specialist Certification Board of Washington (PSCBW) Washington Association for Substance Abuse and Violence Prevention (WASAVP) Washington State Board of Health Washington State Commission of Hispanic Affairs (CHA) Washington State Commission of Asian Pacific American Affairs Washington State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup (SEOW) Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board (LCB) Washington State Institute for Public Policy (WSIPP) Washington State Patrol (WSP) Washington State Prevention Research Sub-Committee Washington State University (WSU) Washington Traffic Safety Commission (WTSC)
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