

Illinois Alliance on Reducing Youth Substance Use

June 6, 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

2:30-2:35 Samantha Alonis, Deputy Director, IDHS Division of Substance Use Prevention and Recovery

Opening remarks

2:35-2:40 Jody Heavilin, APRC Administrator, Prevention First

Welcome, brief introductions, and review of report outs

2:40-2:50 Annabelle Escamilla, Assistant Director, Illinois Higher Education Center

Eastern Illinois University, Illinois Substance Use Prevention Conference

2:50-3:10 Emily Taylor, teenyBIG, CPRC Municipal Needs Assessment Project Update

3:10-3:20 Jacob Levinson, CPRC Administrator, Prevention First, Federal Rescheduling and Hemp updates

3:20-3:25 Marni Basic, Survey Research Outreach Coordinator, CPRD

IYS Updates

3:25-3:35 Bryant Laiche, YPRC Administrator, Prevention First

YPRC YAB, Connections in Prevention Conference

3:35-3:50 Jody Heavilin, APRC Administrator, Prevention First

AP20 Conference Updates, Requests & Report to Congress, and CADCA Mid-Year workshop with ILCC

3:50-4:00 Samantha Alonis, Substance Use Prevention Program State Administrator, IDHS Division of Substance Use Prevention and Recovery

Closing remarks

SFY 25 Meeting Schedule - TBD