



Michigan Youth Coalition Network Monthly Newsletter

Save The Dates:

Youth Lead We Listen Webinar Series

June 26, 2025

2.30-3.30 PM

Let's Talk About: Youth Involvement

Let's talk about getting youth involved with community prevention education such as Community Health Improvement Plans, logic models, and Strategic Prevention Frameworks

July 24, 2025

2.30-3.30 PM

Let's Explore: MI Policies and Projects Surrounding Youth Substance Misuse Prevention

Let's explore Michigan Policies and programs that pertain to youth substance misuse prevention. This will allow youth and youth educators to expand awareness of what is happening in the state and how it can impact youth coalitions

August 21, 2025

2.30-3.30 PM

What Comes After a Youth Coalition? Prevention Careers and Education Paths

Let's discuss college education paths for substance misuse prevention and prevention careers that youth exiting coalitions can embark on

Register Here

This event is open to everyone but will have particular relevance for youth coalition members and adults that work with youth coalitions.

Questions, comments, or concerns? Contact Lauren Gonzales, Prevention Network Coalition Programs Coordinator at laureng@preventionnetwork.org

July News....

- 1. OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUTH:** Prevention Network's Youth Advisory Council (YAC) is accepting applications for the 2025-2026 school year. The goal for this years YAC is to provide a space for youth working on substance misuse prevention to network with each other while gaining education and information on upcoming opportunities.
[Apply Here!](#)
- 2. Nominate Youth Honorees! Application deadline is July 28th!** Each year, CADCA's Drug-Free Kids Campaign Awards Dinner celebrates youth who are creating healthier, safer communities. This hallmark event—taking place October 16—spotlights inspiring stories of resilience, peer-led initiatives, and the power of youth-

driven prevention. Selected youth will be recognized at this year's event, gaining a national platform to share their stories and amplify their impact. [Nominate Youth Here](#)

Upcoming Events, Trainings, and More!

Check out these upcoming Great Lakes PTTC Webinars!

- July 14th, 9:00am-3:00pm Virtual SAPST: SPF Application for Prevention Success Training
- July 18th, 10:00-10:30am Grounded in the Moment: A Self-Care Booster Series for Prevention Professionals- Session 1 Resourced and Rooted

To Register for these webinars and check out other PTTC training opportunities [Click Here](#)

Other Trainings!

- July 22nd, 9:00am-4:00pm Virtual Introduction to Prevention Ethics [Register Here!](#)



MYCN meetings are every third Tuesday of the month, 11:30 a.m.-12:00 pm!

Join Zoom Meeting link:

[MYCN Monthly Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 546 078 9269

Passcode: 253461

WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK!

Please tell us what you want to see discussed in our monthly MYCN meetings!

[Click here to submit your ideas!](#)

Questions, Comments, Concerns?

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