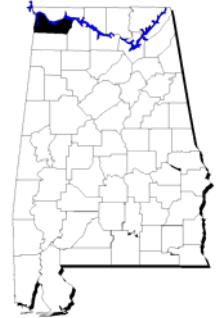


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Accomplishments

Drug Scene- a theatrical performance to discourage teens from drug/alcohol use. Was presented at Sheffield City

Schools and Muscle Shoals High School the community was invited as well as parents.

Family Advocacy Program was Implemented

No Pain- Childhood Obesity program in connection with ADPH and UNA Culinary school.

Tobacco Free vehicles and buildings

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First Priority



Need related to children of this county

Substance Abuse

<i>Existing resources available to help meet this need include:</i>	<i>Resources needed but unavailable to meet this need include:</i>
<p>Adult Drug Court</p> <p>DARE Program</p> <p>Riverbend Center for Mental Health-Prevention Services</p> <p>ABC Program Operation Safe Teen</p> <p>Drug Scene</p> <p>ADPH- Tobacco Prevention</p> <p>COARMM-Drug Prevention for at risk minority males</p>	<p>Juvenile Drug Court</p> <p>Funding for Treatment Assessments</p> <p>Awareness Campaign for Parents to prevent drug abuse</p>

Action steps that will result in progress toward meeting the identified need:

1. Apply for funding for Juvenile Drug Court
2. Seek out grant funding for treatment for low income families.
3. Awareness Campaign
4. Community Fair for Teachers

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Second Priority



Need related to children of this county

Truancy/Bullying

<i>Existing resources available to help meet this need include:</i>	<i>Resources needed but unavailable to meet this need include:</i>
<p>"Mothers" and "Fatherhood" programs</p> <p>Ready to work program-North West Shoals Community College.</p> <p>Parenting Classes at the AL Cooperative Extension Services</p> <p>Schools have Parent Involvement Committees</p> <p>Big Brothers/Big Sisters and school based mentoring for at- risk students</p>	

Action steps that will result in progress toward meeting the identified need:

1. Referral to Parent Support Group at Riverbend Center for Mental Health.
2. Partner with an agency to provide court ordered parenting classes
3. Mother/Daughter program activities will be promoted to enhance mother and daughter bonding.
4. Community Fair for Teachers.

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Third Priority



Need related to children of this county

Teen Pregnancy

<i>Existing resources available to help meet this need include:</i>	<i>Resources needed but unavailable to meet this need include:</i>
<p>Daughters Program</p> <p>Family Dynamics/Parenting Classes at High schools</p> <p>United Cerebral Palsy Center Field Trips for teens about special needs children.</p> <p>ADPH- provides family planning.</p> <p>Shoals Sav-A-Life provides family planning.</p> <p>P.A.P.- Prevention of Adolescent Pregnancy with COARMM</p>	<p>Educational Programs</p> <p>Awareness of programs</p>

Action steps that will result in progress toward meeting the identified need:

1. Resource Bags for Parents at school registration including pamphlets on talking to teens about pregnancy & abstinence.
2. Community Fair for Teacher
3. New website for CPC-with resources listed.