

# DEA Educational Foundation Drug Abuse Prevention Toolkit

*Saving A Child One Step At A Time*



## NETWORKING WITH KEY PLAYERS

Our partnership with DEA in making marked, widespread change in the community.

- Civic
- Corporate
- Entertainment
- Faith-Based
- Law Enforcement
- Prevention & Treatment
- Media
- Schools & Education
- Healthcare

## EDUCATION ON UP-TO-DATE DRUG ISSUES

- Opioid Summit
- Awareness programming to corporations, organizations, and communities
- Partnership with DEA 360 Strategy and DEA National Community Outreach Engagement Strategy
- Special events

## EXPERTS IN DELIVERING AFTER-SCHOOL YOUTH PROGRAMS ACROSS THE UNITED STATES

Experience in providing afterschool programs in over 50 cities nationwide, reaching at-risk youth through long term free mentorship and drug abuse programs during the critical hours of 3-6 pm in a safe environment. During these challenging times, the Foundation has adapted to continue offering virtual programming in school and out of school.

- Youth Dance Program
- Youth Baseball Program
- Art
- Soccer
- Martial Arts
- Basketball (*in development*)

## TRAVELING EXHIBITS

- *Drugs: Costs & Consequences* explains the science behind drug addiction and the costs of drug abuse to individuals, American society and the world. The exhibit has traveled to 16 cities nationwide.
- *The Rx Factor* (in development)

## YOUTH OPPORTUNITY – SCHOLARSHIP

- Discovery Education, Operation Prevention Video Challenge
- Youth Dance Program scholarships
- Youth Summits
- Red Ribbon events
- Participation in a 20-week youth program led by professional instructors.
- Performance and speaking opportunities
- DEA Educational Foundation Awareness Events

## EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR THE WORKFORCE ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND ITS IMPACT ON THE WORKPLACE

### BENEFITS AND REWARDS OF CORPORATE SPONSORS

- Awareness that the Corporation is making a difference in employee's lives and in their communities
- Opportunity to interact with the community schools through the Foundation's network
- Brand expansion through media coverage, logos on website and decals/bracelets
- Corporation is recognized at Special Events and panels



“ My involvement with the DEA Youth Dance program is a purpose filled experience every week. To be able to impact these young people in positive ways makes me actually part of the change I so desperately want to see in the world. I know you can't just sit on the sidelines to promote change; you have to be on the court.”

**Stephanie Reed**  
*DEAEF YDP Instructor*

“ Dance has shown me how to be positive, and how to make good choices. It has also taught me how to positively influence the people around me.”

**Grace**  
*Shepherdstown Elementary*

“ As someone with a person in the family very ill from drugs, I have learned facts that I wish I had known years ago. I will be back to learn more!”

**Pat Sommers**  
*Leesburg, VA*

# Join Us In Preventing Drug Abuse