

# IMPACT GRAND PRAIRIE

IMPACT Grand Prairie is a community coalition formed to eliminate and prevent youth substance abuse.

**The coalition is designed to reduce youth access to alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs by**

- Increasing community awareness of the legal and health consequences of substance abuse;
- Mobilizing Grand Prairie citizens to make institutional and policy changes;
- Working with law enforcement and local businesses; and
- Improving the overall health of the community.

IMPACT Grand Prairie allows citizens the ability to become part of the solution. By joining IMPACT, you can be instrumental in reducing youth substance abuse and related accidents and injuries.

**I can assist by** (Check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Attending monthly meetings         | <input type="checkbox"/> Providing space, services, or in-kind donations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Serving on a workgroup (see back)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Providing information on Grand Prairie          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recruiting or greeting new members | <input type="checkbox"/> Assisting on special occasions                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Providing data for assessment      | <input type="checkbox"/> Displaying information on events                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sharing the mission with my peers  | <input type="checkbox"/> Just call me if you need me!                    |

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Individual or  Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Coalition Coordinator Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



*This community agreement expires August 31, 2010.*

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## Community Wheel

Please check all boxes on the community wheel you represent.

A circular diagram with a black center and a thick black outer border. It is divided into 14 equal segments by radial lines. Each segment contains a text label and a small square checkbox. The labels are: I work in Law Enforcement, I am a Parent, I am in the Media, I am a Healthcare Professional, I work in Prevention/Recovery, I am a member of a Faith-Based group, I work for the Schools, I am with a Youth-Serving Organization, I am a Youth, I am a member of a Civic or Volunteer Group, I work in Government, I am a Recovering Individual, I am with a For-Profit Businesses, and I am in the Media.

## Workgroups

- The *Communications Workgroup* - conducts internal and external communications activities, including the implementation of marketing and media activities represented in the Coalition's strategic plan and logic model.
- The *Policy Workgroup* - pursues local and state policy initiatives represented in the Coalition's strategic plan and logic model.
- The *Assessment Workgroup* - maintains and updates the Coalition's Needs and Resources Assessment, in accordance with Texas Department of State Health Services requirements.
- The *Outreach and Education Workgroup* - recruits and welcomes new coalition members and engages in community outreach and development. This workgroup will include the Speaker's Bureau, which will execute community presentations, and represent the Coalition at public events such as health fairs and community meetings.
- The *Sustainability Workgroup* – oversees the sustainability and self-sufficiency of the coalition, identifying and addressing capacity issues such as leadership, structure, and funding.

