

How PACT Works

PACT motivates and organizes community members to seek and achieve changes in local policies and practices in their local community that affect youth access to alcohol.

PACT Goal

Our Goal: We will see a 10% reduction in youth alcohol use in Otoe County by the end of 2007.

Brief History

PACT is a collaborative effort of People United for Families and Otoe County Coalition for Children, Youth, and Families. The program began in Nebraska City in 2004. The group looked at the issue of underage drinking in Nebraska City and set out to make changes. In January of 2006, work began to establish a group in the Syracuse Community.

People United For Families Programs

After School Club

After School programs for middle school students

SAFE Homes Program

A parent network to provide safe, supervised homes for children and their peers

Drug Free Communities Program

Various drug, alcohol, and tobacco prevention programs

Study Buddies

One-on-one tutoring for 1st-5th grade students

TeamMates

One-on-one mentoring for 3rd-12th grade students

Youth as Resources (YAR)

Youth led service learning program & projects

Juvenile Diversion

Six week program for first time juvenile offenders
17 years and younger

People United For Families

Syracuse Office

First National Bank—320 5th Street, Suite 201

Syracuse, NE 68446

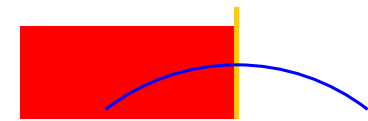
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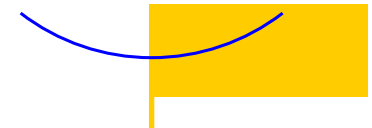
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People United For Families



Parents and Communities Together



Change Starts with You!!!

Who can participate

There is strength in numbers, and we welcome all parents, youth, and community members to join us! We want to have representation from all areas of the community. Youth must be in 7th grade or above, and be committed to the Drug Free lifestyle.

Why should you get involved!

From Otoe County Youth!

Source: Nebraska Risk and Protective Factor Survey

66%- The percentage of 10th grade youth have ever consumed alcohol, more than a sip or taste.

36% - The percentage of 12th grade youth have participated in binge drinking (five or more drinks in a row) during the two weeks prior to the survey.

32% - The percentage of 8th grade youth indicate they have been a passenger in a car with a drinking driver in the past year.

95%- The percentage of parents in Otoe County think that it is NOT acceptable for teenagers to use alcohol at a party as long as they don't get drunk.

(According to the Community Readiness Assessment for Otoe County 03')

PACT Activities:

- Local Committee Meetings
- Community Forums on Underage Drinking
- Operation Graduation
- Red Ribbon Week
- Publication –*What Otoe County Youth say..and what parents need to know!*
- Legislation Watch



Join Us Today!

Nebraska City PACT Meetings

1st-Tuesday of the Month
At American National Bank
7:00am-8:00am or 7:00pm-8:00pm

Syracuse PACT Meetings

3rd- Wednesday of the Month
At First National Bank
7:00 am –8:00am



Please Contact Me

I am interested in being a PACT member and/or supporting the efforts to keep our youth safe. Please check those that apply to you. Thank you!

- A parent
 A student of _____
 A member of the community of _____

Contact Information

Name _____
Address _____

Phone _____
E-mail _____

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