

# Town Hall Meeting

THIS IS EVERYONE'S COMMUNITY. IT'S TIME TO MAKE ALL OUR VOICES HEARD.

DRUG ADDICTION is affecting our community in ways that will forever change the landscape of WARREN COUNTY.

It is having an effect on family, friends, employers, healthcare professionals and society as a whole. Addiction affects relationships, family life, education, employment, businesses, neighborhoods and communities.

If you don't think this involves YOU, think again.... Our world is changing

TOWN HALL MEETINGS Are scheduled to discuss SURVIVAL TIPS IN A CHANGING WORLD

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## Belvidere Fire Hall

689 Water Street, Belvidere NJ 07823  
Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm to 8:30pm

## St. Luke's Hospital

185 Roseberry Street, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865  
October 1<sup>st</sup> 6:30pm to 8:30pm

## Trinity Methodist Church

213 Main Street, Hackettstown, NJ 07840  
October 6<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm to 8:30pm

## Warren County Comm. College

475 Route 57 West, Washington, NJ 07882  
October 8<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm to 8:30pm

## HERE'S WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

Trends specific to your neighborhood ~ Initiatives to prevent and reduce substance abuse

## WHO WILL BE THERE TO ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS?

Special Guest Speakers: Prevention/Recovery Specialists ~ Medical Professionals  
Law Enforcement ~ Parents ~ Faith-Based Community Leaders ~ School Staff



## WHAT ARE WE MISSING???

Attend one or all four Town Hall Meetings and VOICE YOUR CONCERNS

For more information, contact Kim Spangenberg at 908-223-1985, Ext. 305

Town Hall Meetings are sponsored through a collaborative effort by the Coalition for Healthy and Safe Communities, a program of the Family Guidance Center, Community Prevention Resources, WC Prosecutor's Office, WC Dept. of Human Services, WC Health Dept., St. Luke's Hospital  
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Dear Community Leader

On behalf of the Warren County Prosecutor's Office, The Coalition for Healthy and Safe Communities, Community Action Partnership Coalition of Warren County, the Warren County Health Department, the Warren County Department of Human Services and St. Luke's Hospital, we would like to cordially invite you to attend one of four community town hall meetings called "Survival Tips in a Changing World". Enclosed you will find a flyer identifying the four locations and urge you to choose the forum closest to your community, that in which you live or have made a commitment to serve and protect.

The purpose of the discussion will center on the changes taking place in our community and the challenges we face with the increase in overdoses, decrease of treatment access and availability to substance abuse and mental health services, increase in thefts and burglaries, suicides and suicide attempts; the fast changing electronic world, cyber dangers, and how these advances in technology have an effect on youth, adults, and families. Experts in Prevention, Recovery, Healthcare, Law Enforcement, Education and the Faith-based community will highlight the local initiatives and interventions being implemented to address these problems and provide information to community stakeholders and residents on how to get help and/or how to get involved.

We don't have all the answers so we are looking to our community leaders to lend their perspective and concerns as we address these issues as a united front. These town hall meetings will provide the opportunity to openly discuss those changes that are jeopardizing the lives of our youth, young adults and residents. .

You may confirm your attendance via email to Kim Spangenberg at [kspangenberg@fgcwc.org](mailto:kspangenberg@fgcwc.org) or via phone at 908-223-1985, Ext. 305. We look forward to your participation, support, and collaboration.

Sincerely,

Warren County Substance Abuse Prevention Plan (SAPP)  
Leadership Team

Coalition for Healthy and Safe Communities, a program of the Family Guidance Center, Community Prevention Resources, WC Prosecutor's Office, WC Dept. of Human Services, WC Health Dept.,

