



SAFE HARBOR COHASSET COALITION

Facing Facts, Changing Lives

Safe Harbor Cohasset Coalition Meeting

Thursday, March 2, 2023

11:00AM-12:30PM

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Meeting ID: 857 1833 2524

AGENDA

- 11:00 AM A. Welcome
- Department/Organization updates
- 11:20 AM B. Coalition Motivation
- Jessica Goldberg-Prevention Solutions
- 12:00 PM C. Updates/Programs/Events
- National Coalition Academy
 - ARPA Funding Approved: Work Group
 - Narcan Evening, Rec Fair, Youth Ambassador Initiatives
- 12:20 PM D. Additional Member Comments
- 12:30 PM E. Adjourn Meeting

Next Meeting: May 2023, exact date TBD

**Information on National Drugs and Alcohol Facts Week (March 2023) is on the back.
Information on National DEA Rx Take Back Day (April 22, 2023) is on the back.
Information on National Prevention Week (May 2023) is on the back.**

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National Drugs and Alcohol Facts Week- March 20-26, 2023



NDAFW is an annual, week-long health observance that inspires dialogue about the science of drug use and addiction among youth. NDAFW provides an opportunity to bring together scientists, students, educators, healthcare providers, and community partners to help advance the science and address youth drug and alcohol use in communities and nationwide.



National DEA Rx Take Back Day- April 22nd 10AM-2PM Cohasset Police Department

The National Prescription Drug Take Back Day addresses a crucial public safety and public health issue. According to the 2016 National Survey on Drug Use and Health, **6.2 million Americans misused controlled prescription drugs**. The study shows that a majority of abused prescription drugs were obtained from family and friends, often from the home medicine cabinet. The DEA's Take Back Day events provide an opportunity for Americans to prevent drug addiction and overdose deaths.



National Prevention Week- May 7-13, 2023

National Prevention Week is an annual health observance dedicated to increasing public awareness of, and action around, mental health and/or substance use disorders.

Three primary goals:

- Involve communities in raising awareness about behavioral health issues and implementing prevention strategies, and showcasing effectiveness of evidence-based prevention programs;
- Foster partnerships and collaboration with federal agencies and national organizations dedicated to behavioral and public health; and
- Promote and disseminate quality behavioral health resources and publications.

<https://www.samhsa.gov/prevention-week>