



Idaho Department  
of Education

# Anti-Vaping:

Department of Education Efforts





# Areas of focus:

- Data/Information
- Mental Health & Upstream Prevention
- Education
- Community Outreach & Partnerships



# Data & Information

## Fentanyl Survey

- School Administrators, SROs, Teachers, Nurses
- 680+ of participants, across the state
- Questions about vaping, smoking, other drugs
- Triangulating with other agencies' data

## Idaho Youth Wellbeing Assessment

- Based on Icelandic Prevention Model
- Idaho developed
- Parental opt-in required
- Focus on risk & protective factors
- Review assessment:

<https://www.sde.idaho.gov/student-engagement/iywa/files/Youth-Well-being-Assessment-Questions.pdf>



**39) How often, if ever, have you smoked cigarettes in the past 12 months?**

- Never
- 1-2 times
- 3-5 times
- 6-9 times
- 10-19 times
- 20-39 times
- 40 times or more

**40) How often, if ever, have you used electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes) or vaping devices in the past 12 months?**

- Never
- 1-2 times
- 3-5 times
- 6-9 times
- 10-19 times
- 20-39 times
- 40 times or more

**41) How often (if ever) have you been drunk in the past 12 months?**

- Never
- 1-2 times
- 3-5 times
- 6-9 times
- 10-19 times
- 20-39 times
- 40 times or more



# Mental Health & Upstream Prevention

- Resources for schools and districts based on needs
- Professional Learning Communities for school leaders
  - Vape detector grantees
  - SRO grantees
  - Healthy Schools/School nurse grantees
- Partnerships with Communities for Youth, mental health experts/providers, and other community groups



# Vape Detector Grant / PLC

Requests from district personnel:

“If we don’t know who is using, we can’t provide support and resources for those students.”

PLC Topics:

- Alternatives to suspensions
- Support for students – 3<sup>rd</sup> Millennium Curriculum, NOT,
- Parental Involvement
- District Policies
- Data – use, interventions, reoccurrence





# Education

## 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Idaho Prevention and Support Conference

- Substance Misuse, Suicide Prevention, Student Health, Student Safety & School Climate
- Pre-conference sessions – in-depth topics

## ISP Fentanyl Presentation Partnership

## Community Events

- Fentanyl, Substance misuse, Mental health topics
- Funding to support event



# Community Outreach & Partnerships

- ISP, Communities for Youth, US District Attorney,
- Health districts - connecting schools with the districts
- Promoting “Teen Vaping” market research and IPTV resources
- Sharing resources through our communication channels





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# Questions???

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