

**Red Rock BHS
SPF PFS
February Newsletter
2017**

SPF-PFS Vision:

•“To reduce the non-medical use of prescription drugs in Grady County”

Contact us!

Ashley Cline
Director of Prevention Programs
E-mail: ashleyc@red-rock.com
Julia Cochran
SPF-PFS Coordinator
E-mail: juliac@red-rock.com

Upcoming Events:

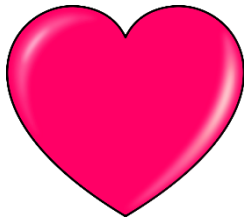
February 8th-Grady Counselor's Breakfast 8:15 a.m. at Vo-Tech in Chickasha

February 14th- Valentine's Day!

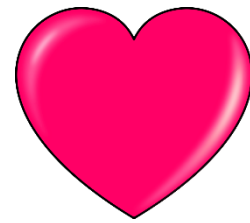
February 15th- Grady County Coalition Meeting @ Canadian Valley Vo-Tech in Chickasha at noon.

February 28th-Red Rock Community Data Workgroup Meeting @ 11:30 at Canadian Valley Vo-Tech in Chickasha

Oklahoma SPF-PFS project is funded by SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration), CSAP (Center for Substance Abuse Prevention) and the Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services



Oklahoma Prevention Needs Assessment Survey



What is OPNA?

Anonymous statewide risk and protective factor student survey of 6th, 8th, 10th, and 12th graders conducted by the Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services

Why is it important?

Substance abuse has a negative effect on student performance. OPNA differs in that it tells us why students are using. These “risk factors” impact school outcomes.

How is it beneficial?

Data is needed for funding of Regional Prevention Coordinators (RPCs), Tribal entities, and other community partners to plan for and evaluate evidence-based strategies that seek to decrease substance abuse among youth and adults.

Data collected can be used by schools to:

Apply for grants such as afterschool programs and Drug-Free Communities

Monitor drug testing programs

Develop school safety initiatives

Implement drug and alcohol education programs

What are the requirements?

Survey at least 70% of students in grades 6, 8, 10, and 12 in the district so the data is valid and reliable

Some results from the 2016 OPNA Survey in Grady County relating to prescription drugs:

How are they getting prescriptions?

37.5 % of 6th grade, 30.8 % of 8th grade, 45.0% of 10th and 62.5% of 12th grade students reported getting prescriptions not prescribed to them from a friend.

In the past 30 days:

1.5% of 6th grade, 3.3% of 8th grade, 3.1% of 10th and 7.0% of 12th grade students reported using prescription pain relievers for the purpose of getting high.

**Grady County Prescription Drop Box
Locations**



**Chickasha Police Department
2001 W. Iowa Ave.
Chickasha, Oklahoma 73018
405-222-6050**

**Grady County Sheriff's Office
302 N. 3rd Street
Chickasha, Oklahoma 73018
405-222-1000**

*Dispose your unwanted, unused or
expired medication at either location in
Grady County. It's safe and anonymous!*

<http://takeasprescribed.org>

**Find us on Facebook!
www.facebook.com/redrockrpc**

**Red Rock BHS
1501 W. Commerce
Yukon, OK 73099
Phone: 405-422-8872
Fax: 405-354-1296
www.RedRockRPC.com**

