A Healthy Lynnfield

One-on-One Interviews: Engaging Community in Coalition Assessment

Purpose: To better understand the nature of drug use among youth and young adults in Lynnfield, MA.

Each person conducts at least 3-5 "conversations." Please ask permission and all responses are voluntary. Information will be collated with <u>no names attached</u> for purposes of community assessment and program planning. Please return to Peg Sallade, Town of Lynnfield at 55 Summer Street or salladem@lynnfield.k12.ma.us by December 21, 2018.

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1. How long have you lived, worked or gone to school in the community?

2. Do you think that youth (12-18) and young adult (19-25) drug use (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, prescription drug use) *is a primary community concern* **i**n Lynnfield? If so, in what ways?

3. How *harmful* do you think it is for young people (ages 12-25) to misuse drugs?

4. Why do you think Lynnfield youth (12-19) and young adults (19-25) use drugs? (Tweeze out specifics by type of drug if appropriate or by age group).

5. How/where do you think young people access drugs (alcohol, vape, marijuana, Rx) in Lynnfield?

6. Do you know anyone who has experienced the consequences of misusing substances?

7. In your opinion, what can be done to address this concern? (in your neighborhood, organization, school or general community?)

8. This is an optional question. It is important for AHL to hear from those who have experienced challenges with substance misuse and include their voice in our work. If this is part of your history, are you willing to share this with us?

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9.   Are you interest in getting more information about the start-up of our community prevention initiative and our programs?

Name/Organization (optional)

Email

Phone

FOR INTERVIEWER ONLY: PLEASE COLLECT THESE DEMOGRAPHICS
Was this interview conducted with: Circle all that apply.

Adult	Do you identify as? Male	Parent
Youth (12-18)	Female	Grandparent
Young Adult (19-25+)	Other	Occupation