



Durham Joins Together Taskforce Meeting Report

Committee	Education and Prevention
Committee Chair or Co-Chairs	Dr. Wanda Boone, TRY Paula Harrington, Oxford Houses, Dr. D. Angeloe Burch, NAACP
Date	March – June 2023

Committee members

TRY Coalition Members: Maame Amoako, Duke Medical School Student, Mindy Solie, District 3 Facilitator, Nancy Rosales, TRY CHW, CT Facilitator, Ashley Bass Mitchell, Alliance, Andre Hinton, Durham Police Department, Nathalia Rosales, LIFT Facilitator, Angie Mejia, TRY Youth Facilitator, Jordyn Burton, TRY Youth Mentor, Carlotta Dunnigan, Parent, Dedreanna Freeman, City Council, Catherine Myer, Family Advocate, Crystal Taylor, NCCU/Bridge, Faye Calhoun, NCCU/Bridge, Patricia Murray, Skywriter, Harold Chestnut, City-Wide PAC, Earl Boone Pastor, Harlan Crenshaw, Sheriff's Office, Sharon Mullen, Durham Committee on the Affairs of Black People, Judith Johnson Hostler, ADCNC, Jason Southworth, Carolina Behavioral Healthcare, Kyle Smith, Insight NC, Armenous Dobson III, Insight NC, Latoria Dowdy TRY CT Facilitator, Florine Moore, TRY CT Facilitator, Francelia Burwell, TRY CT Facilitator Pamela Joyner, NCDPS, Shaneeka Lawrence TRY CT Facilitator, Sonya Terry, Durham Public Schools, William Felton, NCDPS, Zion Tankard, District 3 Facilitator, Dr. Kendrick Kennedy, Duke ED, Joseph Featherstone, DCIA, Stan Branch, CHW/Whole Health Peer Support, Brian Harris, CHW/Whole Health Peer Support, Alicia Johnson, DPH Ambassador, Laura Beyte, DPH Ambassador, Representatives from AACT+, DCABP, Durham CAN and NAACP

Current Activities:



Discussed and presented on relevant deep data dive relative to prevention in the 6 most vulnerable census tracts Population, demographics, % 0-17 children, prevalence of acute alcohol ED visits, SU YRBS vs JJ

Video: [FASD](#) Presented by Judith Johnson Hostler, LCMHC, LCAS, NCC, CSI
Summarized 6-month activities and outcomes
Video: [TRY 6 month outcomes](#)

On-going activities:

Sign-ups for the 7 strategies for community change, LIFT monthly ppt., TIP of the Month, Social Media

Metrics/Measures:

Discussed Prevention goals, associated objectives and strategic action plans
Welcomed support from AACCP+, DCABP, Durham CAN and NAACP

Next Steps:

Continue working on the action plan

Next Meeting & Location:

July 12, 2023 10:30 and July 18, 2023 6:00 PM via Zoom



Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)
can result in various acts of violence.

VIOLENCE CAN BE PREVENTED



Resilience can lead to a safer and healthier community for everyone

Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) can lead to:

- Bullying
- Peer to Peer Violence
- Suicidal Behavior
- Child Maltreatment

These adverse childhood experiences can develop into the following behaviors as teens:

- Peer to Peer Violence
- Suicidal Behavior
- Child Maltreatment
- Teen Dating Violence

Experiences that are unrecognized or addressed can continue to be expressed in adulthood through:

- Peer to Peer Violence
- Suicidal Behavior
- Intimate Partner Violence
- Sexual Violence
- Elder Abuse



**Inform your friends and neighbors
Empower community members**

Join Together for Resilient Youth (TRY)
Help address Adverse Childhood Experiences
Use the QR code or email nc4h@dhhs.gov



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Citations: http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pub/connecting_dots.html
<http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/>
WEBSITE: try4resilience.org



TOGETHER FOR RESILIENT YOUTH

**YOUTH ADVOCACY
Living in FUTURE TENSE (LIFT)**

YOU ARE THE ONES

Virtual Learning*

- PROMOTE SELF ESTEEM*
- PEER PRESSURE*
- TEAMWORK*
- PUBLIC HEALTH*
- STRATEGIC PLAN* 2023-2024

Attendance is MANDATORY

NO Exceptions*

- June 27, 2023 6-7 PM
- July 27, 2023 6-7 PM
- August 22, 2023 6-7 PM

June 30, 2023 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM*
Mental Health Awareness
Durham Central Park, Durham, NC

July 15 - 18, 2023 International Conference
Open to select LIFTers 2023
(Join for consideration 2024)

July 29, 2023 10 AM – 12 Noon*

The Custom Room - Durham, NC
Debra Farrington, DHS Deputy Secretary
Chief Health Equity Officer

August 28, 2023 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM*

Youth Presentations
Back to School Scholarships
and Recognition

Team Leaders (2) will receive \$150.00 June, \$150 July & \$150 August*

Their teams of 3-5 team EACH member will receive \$50.00 June, \$50 July & \$50 August*

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