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WE NEED YOUR EYES! BE PART OF THE SOLUTION!

What is COMPACT 2020?

The COMPACT 2020 initiative is a collaborative community drug intervention and education program designed to provide information and support to all citizens throughout Shelby County Alabama.

COMPACT 2020 is implementing strategies aimed at reducing substance abuse and addiction by: educating citizens on addiction risk factors; identifying adolescents who are at risk: promoting rehabilitation opportunities; implementing new prevention strategies; and using community-based law enforcement approaches.

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Educating Communities for Change



COMPACT 2020 has Three Organizational Divisions:

Education, Prevention, & Intervention

 This division works to identify potential problems in the early stages and to help prevent them from escalating to addiction, incarceration, or other negative consequences.

Community Liaison Team

• The Community Liaison Team is involved in all aspects of the community: schools, businesses, government offices, medical facilities and drug stores in order to better understand the nature of the drug epidemic within each community.

Drug Enforcement Task Force

 The mission of the Shelby County Drug Enforcement Task Force is to create an environment free of illegal drugs within Shelby County and its communities, schools and places of work.

DRUG EPIDEMIC

The United States surgeon general took a stand against the addiction epidemic plaguing our nation. A new report found one in seven Americans will face addiction to drugs or alcohol in their lifetime, but only a fraction of those people actually get the help they need. (2016 Surgeons General Report)

- The **United States** consumes 80% of the world's prescription drugs.
- Alabama leads the nation for the most pain-killer prescriptions per person.
- Shelby County ranked 5th in the state for drug overdose deaths in 2015 (Alabama Center for Health Statistics).



COMPACT 2020 SHELBY COUNTY

"The vision is that we will all work together to eradicate drug use in this county."

-Jill Lee, District Attorney of the 18th Judicial Circuit

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

Shelby County is fortunate to have strong leadership. The public officials in our communities have fully supported COMPACT 2020.

Our partners and supporting organizations include: Shelby County District Attorney's Office; Shelby County Sheriff's Office; Shelby County Commission; the cities of Alabaster, Chelsea, Hoover, and Pelham; Shelby County Drug Enforcement Task Force; and, Shelby County Drug Free Coalition.

PARENT PARTNERSHIPS

The most important part of COMPACT 2020 is parental involvement.

Knowledge is Power

Educating parents with current information is important to changing the drug trends in Shelby County. Information equips parents to guide and direct their children towards making healthy life decisions. COMPACT 2020 has many resources to share with parents.

RESOURCES

COMPACT 2020 will partner with parents to offer resources and information.

- Smart Phone & Social Media Tips
- Drug Information
- Signs & Symptoms of Drug Use
- Treatment Opportunities
- Direct access to law enforcement experience and tools (K9 and search techniques)

