

NEEDHAM YOUTH SERVICES

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FY 2016 Statistical Summary of Services

Clinical Services

Presenting Problems:

- Family 34%
- Social 19%
- School 18%
- Drugs/Alcohol 9%
- Other (e.g. BIP, abuse) 20%

Source of Referral:

- Parent 31%
- Schools (Secondary) 29%
- Schools (Elementary) 21%
- Self 15%
- Other 4%

Trainings/Workshops/Presentations

- A Conversation...For Parents of Teens
- Safe Surf Internet Safety & Cyber-friendships
- QPR Suicide Prevention Workshop
- Extreme Looks Workshop
- Babysitter Training Seminars
- Presentations to school/community groups
- Patrick C. Forde Award
- RAY of Hope award
- Picture Perfect
- Teen Dating Violence Seminars
- Make A Statement Day
- ...and many others

Individual/Family Counseling Hours: 1,005

Group Counseling/Psych-Ed Hours: 193

Total Number of Participants: 2,435

Program Highlights

❖ **Employment Programs**

This program has now shifted to online, linking youth with employment opportunities in local businesses/companies.. Additionally, 136 youth are registered to provide residential services such as babysitting, snow shoveling, yard work, etc.

❖ **Peer Tutor Program, VIP Program, and Project VAN (volunteer programs)**

The above programs created and monitors 1,985 hours of free mentoring and services to residents and the community.

❖ **Graduate and Undergraduate Internship Programs**

These programs provided 926 hours of free services to Needham youth and families over this year.

❖ **Community Outreach**

• **Publications:**

Needham Youth Card, Parenting Guide to Teen Parties, Parent Dialogue Materials, Seasonal Program/Services Brochures, Safe Surf: Internet Safety Guide, and many others...

• **Committees, Collaborations, & Partnerships:**

Youth Resource Network, School Wellness Action Committee, Domestic Violence Action Committee, Needham Business Association, Needham Public Schools, Needham Community Council, Rotary Club of Needham, Needham Coalition for Suicide Prevention, Needham Clergy Association, Needham Needham Coalition for Youth Substance Abuse Prevention and many, many others...