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SCAODA report–Moving Forward: Policies and Strategies to Prevent and Reduce Excessive Alcohol Use in Wisconsin

It's important to understand the harm excessive alcohol use causes in our communities as the State Council on Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse's (SCAODA) report shows. It's impactful to be a part of making changes in your neighborhood, community, region or state. How can you get involved?

A great first step would be to connect with the <u>Alliance for Wisconsin Youth coalition</u> in your city or county and learn what they are doing.

Look at public health data on how alcohol affects your community to see where there is the most concern. Some resources for county data:

Burden of Binge Drinking in Wisconsin has cost information by county DHS data dashboard shows health harms by county Counter Tools shows how alcohol is being sold in each county

Next step: See where you fit and can make change! The SCAODA report has something for everyone!

Check out www.mcw.edu/wisapp website to see full report and specific recommendations