Partners in Prevention Fact Sheet

Missouri Partners in Prevention (PIP) is a higher education substance abuse consortium dedicated to creating healthy and safe college campuses. The PIP Coalition is comprised of 21 public and private college and university campuses across the state. First implemented in 2007, the Missouri Assessment of College Health Behaviors (formerly referred to as the Missouri College Health Behavior Survey or MCHBS) is designed to understand the role of alcohol, drugs (illegal and prescription), mental health issues, and power-based personal violence on student health and wellness. The survey also assesses individual’s attitudes towards campus and community policies, other student’s behavior, and bystander interventions. The MACHB is administered online every spring to undergraduate students at Coalition campuses across the state. The PIP Coalition analyzes the data collected from the survey in order to implement a variety of beneficial programs at participating colleges and universities.

Who We Work With

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What We Do

**Implement:** Construct a comprehensive survey for students at participating PIP colleges and universities across Missouri.

**Identify:** Identify high-risk behaviors occurring amongst undergraduate students on college campuses.

**Inform:** Write monthly briefs utilizing data from the Missouri College Health Behavior Survey to update administrators and students about possible health risks on campus.

Topics on the Missouri Assessment of College Health Behaviors (MACHB)

- Alcohol Use and Abuse
- Illicit Substance Abuse
- Tobacco Use
- Power-Based Personal Violence
- Mental Health
- Sexual Health
- Driving Safety
- Sense of Belonging on Campus
- Perceptions of Prevention and Policy on Campus
- Perceptions of other Student’s Health Behaviors

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