

Historic Triangle Substance Abuse Coalition 2006 Accomplishments

- General Mills awarded HTSAC \$433 as one of five coalitions nationally recognized for its participation in National Family Day. Funds were given to the Network for Latino People (NFLP) for their partnership in the 2006 Latino Dinner.
- January 27, 2006: Over 60 teens from Williamsburg, James City and York County participated in a four- hour Youth Summit. Over 20 organizations came together to provide leadership, advocacy and skill building to youth in our communities.
- March 21, 2006: 68 Law Enforcement Officers, Social Service and CPS Workers from Williamsburg, James City & York County were trained in how to identify a clandestine methamphetamine lab and protocols for decontamination.
- January 23, 2006: HTSAC sent a delegation to MADD Legislative Day to speak with local legislators about strict underage drinking laws and HTSAC.
- March 14, 2006: The United Way of Greater Williamsburg honored HTSAC with the 2006 Cruikshank Spirit of the Community Award.
- HTSAC was awarded funding from: The Virginia Tobacco Settlement Foundation \$188,366 for 2006-2009, National Association of Children of Alcoholics: \$5,000 mini-grant for 2006.
- Established underage drinking prevention tipline (4-SOBRFN) designed to save lives of families and friends by preventing underage drinking parties before they occur.
- The HTSAC Addiction Recovery Project Committee partnered with The Salvation Army to provide 2 apartments for 6 adult males in recovery.
- March 28, 2006: In response to a National Underage Drinking Prevention Campaign, HTSAC joined over 1,200 communities across the country to host a regional Underage Drinking Town Hall Meeting.
- The HTSAC Treatment Project Committee continues to gather data and information about treatment in our community. Outcomes from this survey will be used to assist in reducing barriers to treatment services and increasing access to current treatment services.
- Steering Committee leaders attended the 2006 CADCA Conference in Washington D.C. Members had an opportunity to share HTSAC with Congresswoman Jo Ann Davis.
- Collaborated with Network for Latino People (NFLP) and local businesses to provide a family dinner for over 90 Latino families in Williamsburg, James City County.
- April 25, 2006: Over 15 faith based organizations attended a morning breakfast to learn more about the Faith Team Ministry.

- Awarded funds from the American Cancer Society, Drug Free Communities Support Program Grant, National Association of Children of Alcoholics, Virginia ABC, Williamsburg Community Health Foundation, and Williamsburg Kiwanis.
- HTSAC participated in three national teleconferences in: Logic Model Design, Evaluation, and Sustainability.
- In June 2006, HTSAC was invited to participate in the newly formed Williamsburg/James City County School Prevention Task Force.
- Sent four youth to Youth Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention Project (YADAPP) Conference in Farmville, VA from July 24-26, 2007.
- Spring 2006, the Recovery Project Committee released the “Green Book” to over 500 medical providers. The book is a resource guide to treatment services in the Historic Triangle region.
- HTSAC sponsored with the National Association of Children of Alcoholics trained 22 people in a new Children of Families at Risk Program, designed to help children living with addicted parents.
- August 30 & 31, 2006L HTSAC trained 9 teens in new F.R.E.E. (Friends Reaching Every End) Youth Leadership.
- HTSAC released WJCC Youth Substance Abuse Findings from Communities That Care Survey. Press Conference was held in October 2006.
- September 28, 2006: HTSAC and the Rush Center with the Johnson Institute hosted training for faith based organizations in recovery and prevention Faith Team Ministry.
- Too Good For Drugs Trainings: HTSAC & VTSF hosted two trainings for teachers, parks and recreation staff, and substance abuse providers in a new K-8th grade curriculum.
- HTSAC trained over 30 teachers in Al’s Pals – a Pre-K prevention education curriculum in October 2006.
- HTSAC Board and staff participated in a 3-week on site class program in Fort Indiantown Gap, PA that teaches the effectiveness of the Strategic Prevention Framework.
- HTSAC in partnership with WJCC and York County Schools sent out Mailers about Social Host Liability to over 5,500 10th, 11th and 12th grade parents.
- HTSAC distributed over 10,000 magnets distributed to parents and the community at-large to promote the Underage Drinking Prevention Tipline.