



Evaluation 201

AGENDA

April 29, 2019
Fireside Inn, W. Lebanon, NH

Goal For The Day: To understand the role of evaluation in sustainability of prevention efforts, and increase skills for developing an evaluation plan.

Objectives:

- Review state level evaluation priorities for the Regional Prevention Partnerships;
Identify the components of a community level evaluation plan;
Provide an example of local level evaluation utilized to inform community prevention priorities;
Discuss strategies for involving stakeholders in the evaluation process;
Share ideas for funding sources for evaluations.

Presenters:

- Hilary Fannin, Regional Prevention Partnerships Program Manager, Vermont Department of Health, Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Programs
Amy Livingston, Associate Program Evaluator, Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation
Matt Whalen, Prevention Consultant, Vermont Department of Health, Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Programs, Barre District
Claudia Marieb, Prevention Consultant, Vermont Department of Health, Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Programs, White River Junction and Springfield Districts
Beth M. Shrader, Project Consultant, Center for Health and Learning

9:00 am – 9:30 am

REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST

9:30 am – 12:00 pm

Welcome, Updates, Housekeeping and Framing the Day

State Level Evaluation Plan

Getting Comfortable with Evaluation

- Setting the Groundwork for Evaluation

Evaluation Overview

- A. Coming to Terms with the Terms of Evaluation (The Language)
B. Results based Accountability Framework
C. Evaluation as part of SPF- Language and Logic Models
D. Coalition Evaluation vs. Program Evaluation

<b>12:00 pm – 12:45 pm</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
<b>12:45 pm – 3:15 pm</b>	<b>Evaluation Planning for Sustainability</b>  A. Why is Evaluation Important for Prevention? B. Elements of an Evaluation Plan C. Developing Your Evaluation Plan D. Role of Stakeholders E. Hiring an Evaluator F. Funding Evaluation
<b>3:15 pm – 3:30 pm</b>	<b>Wrap up and Evaluation</b>