

## Coalition Information



Allamakee Prevention Advisory: APA

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Website: [www.allamakeeprevention.com](http://www.allamakeeprevention.com)

Mission statement: *"The Allamakee Prevention Advisory is a group of individuals focused on guiding grant funds to advocate, educate, and provide awareness to positively impact the health and wellness of Allamakee County."*

Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month from 11:30am-12:30pm, currently rotating between Lib's Bar & Grill in Waukon and the Northeast Iowa Wellness & Recreation Center in Postville with a virtual option.



ERASE: Winneshiek County Coalition

Email: [winneshiekerase@gmail.com](mailto:winneshiekerase@gmail.com)

Website: [www.winneshiekerase.com](http://www.winneshiekerase.com)

Mission statement: "Creating a healthier Winneshiek County through community collaboration!"

Meetings are held on the 3rd Friday of each month from 12:00 –1:00pm at Northeast Iowa Behavioral Health (905 Montgomery St., Decorah, IA 52101) with a virtual option.

Healthy Howard County Coalition



**Prevention 5**

Prevention 5: Howard County Coalition

Email: [prevention5coalition@gmail.com](mailto:prevention5coalition@gmail.com)

Website: [www.prevention5.com](http://www.prevention5.com)

Mission statement: *"Prevention 5 is a group of highly engaged citizens who strive to raise awareness on substance use, mental health, and the overall wellness of the community."*

Meetings are on the 2nd Monday of each month from 12:00–1:00 pm at the Crestwood High School District Conference Room (1000 Schroder Dr, Cresco, IA 52136) with a virtual option.



Healthy Fayette County

Email: [healthyfayettecountyia@gmail.com](mailto:healthyfayettecountyia@gmail.com)

Website: [www.healthyfayettecountyia.com](http://www.healthyfayettecountyia.com)

Mission Statement: *“A comprehensive Approach to Improving the Quality of Life for Fayette County Residents.”*

Healthy Fayette County is a coalition with three separate subgroups including nutrition, mental health, and prevention. Each subgroup meets in the afternoon during different times on the second Tuesday of each month. Meetings take place at Upper Iowa University in the Student Life Conference room with a virtual option available.



5C: Clayton County Community Collaboration Council

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Website: [claytoncountyyccc.weebly.com](http://claytoncountyyccc.weebly.com)

Mission statement: *“Making a Difference In Our Community through Initiatives and Education!”*

5C does not have scheduled meetings at this time. Please send us an email if you are interested in learning more.

“Coalitions are partnerships of the many sectors of a community, gathering together to solve the community's problems and guide the community's future. Strong community coalitions play a vital role in creating change. Having members from many roles within a community, gives the coalition a greater foothold to make community-wide change. Each of these coalitions have put time and effort into hosting trainings centered around mental health and substance use amongst many other activities and initiatives. In 2024 alone, coalitions received grant funding from SAMHSA's Communities Talk, the University of Iowa Business Leadership Network, and HAWC Partnerships for Children. These funding streams allow the coalitions to focus on not only marketing and coalition promotion, but more importantly on providing education surrounding mental health and substance use. In the upcoming months, these coalitions will be working on Mental Health First Aid trainings, ACEs 360 training, QPR (Question, Persuade, Refer) trainings, and a Town Hall focused on substance use and mental health. Community members are encouraged to join a coalition to help make an impact within their community- the place they call home! Please reach out to learn more and become involved.”