

**From A – Z:
Recommended Community-Level Indicators
for Substance Abuse Coalitions**

- A. Number of single-car nighttime vehicle accidents.
- B. Number of drug positives from urine samples of arrested people.
- C. Number of arrests for drug possession.
- D. Cost and purity of street drugs.
- E. Number of drug positives from urine samples of pregnant women at the time of delivery.
- F. Number of alcohol or drug (AOD)-related emergency room episodes.
- G. Number of AOD-related deaths.
- H. Number of individuals on waiting lists for and admissions to in-patient and out-patient AOD program service.
- I. Number of referrals and admissions to mental health centers for AOD problems.
- J. Incidence of AOD-related birth outcomes (e.g., fetal alcohol syndrome, positive drug toxicology).
- K. Incidence of drug-related sexually transmitted diseases (STDs), including HIV transmission in AIDS cases.
- L. Incidence of AOD-related medical conditions (e.g., cirrhosis of the liver, hepatitis).
- M. Number of drug positives from urine samples of job applicants and employees.
- N. Aggregate per capita consumption of alcohol, based on alcohol tax revenue data.
- O. Drug-affected babies.
- P. Student alcohol and drug abuse.
- Q. Juvenile arrests for drug offenses.
- R. Adult arrests for drug offenses.
- S. Arrested people testing positive for drugs.
- T. Marijuana plants seized.

- U. Positives in pre-employment drug testing.
- V. Employees with employee assistance programs.
- W. People treated for substance abuse problems.
- X. Teen alcohol-involved traffic deaths.
- Y. Adult alcohol-involved traffic deaths.
- Z. Drug overdose deaths.

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