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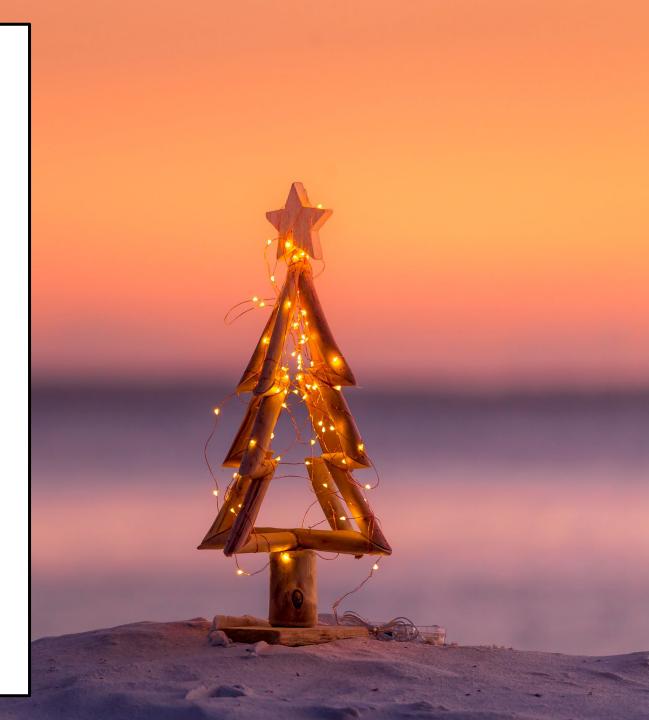
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Ho'āla Hou High Risk Reduction Department

Valerie Crabbe, Director

Community **Description**

Target population

Native Hawaiian youth, ages 9-18, attending Hawaiian Immersion, Charter, Public, or alternative schools where the social demographics indicate a strong need for prevention services and programs.



Kaua'i

Student enrollment includes native Hawaiian youth from Ni'ihau.



O'ahu

Most populated island.

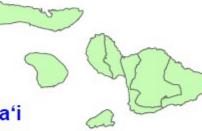
Several low income native Hawaiian communities.



Hāna, Maui

Roughly 47% native Hawaiian.

90% of youth living below poverty.



Moloka'i

Student population 9% pure Hawaiian.

An additional 63% identify as part Hawaiian.



West Hawai'i

Includes the communities of Kealakekua, Hōnaunau, Hoʻokena, and Miloliʻi.

> Miloli'i is known as the last fishing village, 50 families, the majority native Hawaiian.



Assessment

Indication of need for prevention services

Youth

Native Hawaiian youth more likely than their peers from other ethnicities to use alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs

Young adult

Native Hawaiians more likely suffer alcohol related incidents such as domestic violence, traffic accidents, and sexual violence.

Adult

Native Hawaiians more likely to be incarcerated and develop higher levels of health problems.





Elementary to Middle

Increases in Elem youth vaping.

Large leaps in substance use between 6th and 8th grade.

Moloka'i data: Cigarettes (5% to 18%) Alcohol (5% to 30%) Marijuana (1% to 16%).

Middle to High

Students attending school under the influence of alcohol or other illegal drugs

NH middle and high school youth have a high prevalence of substance use and at high risk of depression, suicide, and using alcohol or drugs to relax and feel better about themselves.

High to Adult

NH 18-20 yrs old more likely to suffer alcohol related incidents such as domestic violence, traffic accidents, and sexual violence.

NH adults more likely to be incarcerated and develop higher levels of health problems.

Kaua'i data:

Native Hawaiian families rank the highest in per capita suicide attempts and Crystal Methamphetamine (ICE) use.

Data Sources:

Youth Risk Behavior Survey findings, as reported by the State Epidemiology Outcomes Workgroup and Center on the Family.

Ka Huaka'i 2021, a Kamehameha Schools' publications on Native Hawaiian education and well-being.

Capacity

Priorities

- Strength based
- Evidence based
- Culturally relevant
- Natural fit w/ community interests
- Good fit w/ existing resources



Community

Immersion, charter, public school partners

Additional partnerships with youth and NH serving organizations

ALU LIKE, Inc.

Trained staff

Culture as a protective factor framework for programming

Community and family driven mission

Evidence-Based Programming

KOHO PONO (Positive Action)

Culture as a protective factor curriculum development (Growing Pono Schools, Pono Life Skills)

Readiness

Partners see value in using culture as a protective factor (Hawaiian language / culture metaphors / examples) when educating youth on the misuse and dangers of ATOD

Planning

Community Meetings

Community Partnership meetings in all 5 communities determined the need to (continue to) educate youth on the effects of Alcohol Tobacco and Drugs.

Strategy

Prevention (positive youth development) education

+

Culture as a protective factor framework

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KOHO PONO w/ Cultural adaptions

Settings

Schools

Youth leadership groups

Info dissemination @ events

Cultural activities

Youth and NH serving coalitions and partnerships



Logic Model

Problems / Related Behaviors	Risk / Protective Factors	Program Activities	Short / Long Term Outcomes
Youth lack resistance to peer pressure leading to suicide, drug and alcohol use, bullying and violent	RISK FACTOR Favorable attitudes toward substance use	KOHO PONO (Positive Action) w/ cultural adaptations, Hawaiian Language when appropriate	SHORT Improved perception of harm in regards to ATOD
Youth reporting exposure to ATOD	PROTECTIVE FACTORS Community-based staff	Supplemental culture-based activities	Increased self-concept LONG
Youth reporting lack of parental sanctions for ATOD use	members trained in EBP and culture-based youth programming Community support for early	'Ohana training to encourage parental monitoring and family connectedness Information dissemination at	No use of ATOD and reduction in high risk behaviors
12th graders already in need of treatment being influenced by family	learning, integration of family and community efforts, increasing supportive relationships, reducing	community events attended by families. Emphasis on self-care & positive	Diffusion of negative social norms (changed attitudes of ATOD usage)
and or community acceptance of ATOD	/ changing attitudes (diffusing negative social norms)	school & community relations (focus on positive self, social, intellectual development, and resilience)	Youth educating their peers on dangers of drugs and alcohol
			Youth exhibiting positive peer role modeling Integration of family and community efforts



Evaluation

Periodically revisit planned and actual activities (understand the process)

Current contexts (covid, staffing/partner changes, new ways of using ATOD) may require creative strategies to engage youth and implement activities

Provide needed supports to staff, partners,

Secure needed resources Update plan

Main data sources: logs, quarterly reports, fidelity information, community needs sensing, talk stories with school counselors / educators

Determine impact (understand the outcomes)

Youth, school, family, community impacts

Direct ATOD awareness / attitude / use impacts

Supporting impacts (social emotional, positive youth development, family and school connectedness)

Main data sources: Positive Action pre/post surveys, program feedback surveys, check-ins with educators, partners, families, other stakeholders

Share findings / Circle back

Share findings with key stakeholders (staff, partners, communities, decision makers)

Obtain feedback about what worked (or didn't) and input on future programming

Integrate feedback and input into next revisit of planned activities (program improvement model)

Main data sources: Feedback and input from stakeholders regarding the activities and their resulting impact



(Target population)

Snapshot 2022-2023

624 youth served statewide (12 sites)

- The majority of participating youth were Native Hawaiian (78%)
- Participating youth a balance of girls (51%) and boys (49%)

Positive Action schools / youth groups

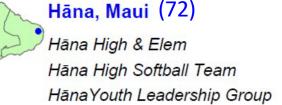


Kanuikapono PCS Kawaikini PCS Ke Kula Niʻihua o Kekaha Multi-school camps Hoʻāla Hou – High Risk Reduction



Hakipuu PCS Kīpapa Elem Nānākuli High & Inter











(Positive behaviors)

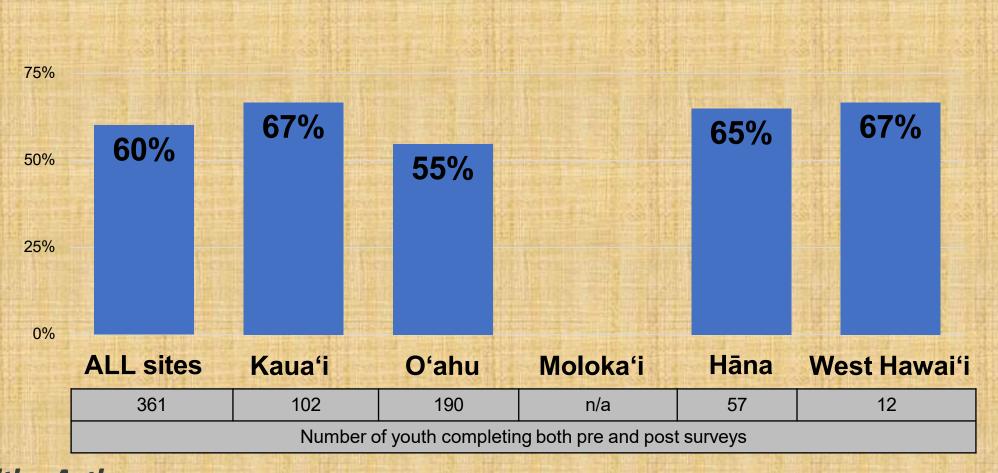
Snapshot 2022-2023

The majority of youth reported an increase in positive behaviors

100%

Pre/post score increases were statistically significant (p < 0.05) overall and in the majority of service areas.

Percent of youth who reported an increase in positive behaviors





(Positive behaviors)

Snapshot 2022-2023

100% of youth completing the feedback survey reported an increased understanding of / identity with Hawaiian cultural values



The lessons with ALU LIKE:	% of students responding positively (A LOT or SOME)	
Increased my ability to respect and appreciate the unique gifts and abilities of myself and others	100%	
Increased my understanding of how setting goals for myself can help me in life	100%	
Strengthened my understanding of Hawaiian culture and Hawaiian values	100%	
Strengthened my understanding that eating healthy and taking care of myself will help me to be my best self	98%	
Increased my understanding of who makes up my support system and how I can be supportive of others	98%	
Increased my understanding of how my actions affect others	96%	
Increased the skills I have to use technology to share my thoughts and ideas with others	96%	
Allowed me to better know who I am and where I am working Togethe. from	95%	

(Partnerships & Coalitions)

Snapshot 2022-2023



Partnerships & Coalitions

Hoʻāla Hou – High Risk Reduction



- Hawai'i Alcohol Policy Alliance (HIAPA)
- HIAPA Steering Committee
- Papa Ola Lōkahi
- Pilina Prevention Committee O'ahu
- Kaua'i Action Planning Alliance
- Keala Foundation

Hawai'i

- 'Aha Pule 'Āina Holo
- 'Āina Ola Culinary Arts
- Ala Kahakai Trail
- Arizona State University
- Conservation International
- Hālau Ka'eaikahelelani
- Hau'oli Kamana Church
- Hawai'i Volcano National Park Kahuku Unit
- Hawaiian Electric Company (Toys 4 Tots)
- Hiki No PBS
- · Junior Konohiki (Kalanihale)
- · Ka 'Ohana o Honu'apo
- Kalanihale
- Kamehameha Schools
- Kona Church of the Nazarene
- Kua O Ka Lā Miloli'i Hīpu'u
- Marine Educational Research Center



Moloka'i

- Hawai'i Alcohol Policy Alliance (HIAPA)
- Ma Kapolei
- Nānākuli Community organizations
- Hawai'i Partnership to Prevent Underage Drinking (HPPUD)
- Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA)



Maui

- Hawai'i Alcohol Policy Alliance (HIAPA)
- Hana Parks & Recreation
- Festivals of Aloha

Hawai'i

- · Miloli'i-Ka'ū Volleyball Team
- Miloli'i Canoe Club
- Miloli'i Makai Watch
- Miloli'i Youth Group
- Nā Hokua Program
- Na'alehu Elementary
- 'Onipa'a Peace March
- Pa'a Pono Miloli'i
- Unashamed Camp
- Vibrant Hawai'i
- Volcano Charter School



(Additional prevention programming)

Snapshot 2022-2023



Supplemental Activities

Hoʻāla Hou – High Risk Reduction



- Adolescent Health Conference
- Keala Intervention Youth Camp

Hawai'i

- · Pāhoa Inter After School All Stars
- Hawai'i Department of Education Hilo complext counselors presentation
- · Drive By Halloween Event
- Sustainability Fair
- Lā 'Ohana o Miloli'i Community
 Event Health and Wellness Fair for
 Miloli'i and surrounding communities
- Aha Pule 'Āina Holo -Lonoikamakahiki Run
- Miloli'i Youth Mōhala Nā Konohiki Jr.
 - + Kona Nazarene Youth camp
- · Outreach Info.Booth & Opelu Project
- Volleyball tournament in Ka'u



Moloka'i

TBD

- KOPP Kupuna digital storytelling
- Kipapa Elem Cultural Reading to 'ohana
- Waimānalo Elem & Inter teacher training
- Makahiki events @ King Inter, He'eia Elem, Kāne'ohe Elem

Hawai'i

- Makahiki with schools from Kua O Ka Lā Hīpu'u and Campus, Na'alehu Elementary, Volcano Charter School
- Miloli'i Aloha Christmas Event
- Toys 4 Tots & Aloha Christmas Shop with ALU LIKE
- ASU Coral Farm visit
- 'Onipa'a Peace March O'ahu
- Ho'okele + Kaula



Maui

TBD

(Additional prevention programming)

Snapshot 2022-2023

Students @
Kawaikini New
Century Public
Charter School
learning how
to manage
money
through
budgeting

Kaua'i





Students from Ke Kula Ni'ihau o Kekaha Public Charter School and Kawaikini New Century Public Charter School attended the annual Adolescent Health Conference on O'ahu on November 10, 2022

Pilina Prevention Committee workgroup's second meeting. We came up with our Vision, Mission, Objectives



(Additional prevention programming)

Snapshot 2022-2023

O'ahu

Youth painting mural project with HPPUD 10/15/2022





Sign waving in Nānākuli 3/15/2023

(Additional prevention programming)

Snapshot 2022-2023

West Hawai'i

Talk Story
Session @
Hawai'i Volcano
National Park
Kahuku Unit Learning
Ho'okele and
Kaula (Lashing)
1/21/2023

2022 Unashamed Camp Miloli'i
Various church groups from Honolulu,
Hilo, Kona, Miloli'i and Maui attending a
4 day/5 night camp hosted by the Miloli'i
'ohana. Participants learned the history,
culture, and current day efforts of
marine management and cultural
preservation





Miloli'i and Kahuku keiki joined in on the 'Aha Pule 'Āina Holo or the Lono Run on Friday 11/11/2022 and paddled from Miloli'i to Kealakekua Bay the next day11/12/2022

Challenges

2022-2023



Scheduling with schools

Limited instruction time

Staff shortages

Training new staff / fidelity monitoring

NOMS data collection in classrooms and in the community

Consistent
data
collection
and timely
WITS
reporting

Next Steps

- Strengthen statewide data collection and timely WITS data entry
- Share results and obtain input / feedback
- Continue participation and leadership in national and local coalitions





Administrator Update



Prevention Branch (PB)

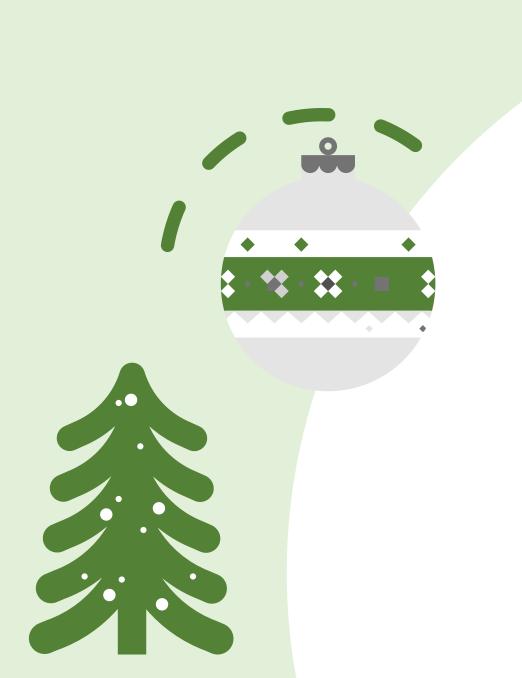
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Provider Announcements





Aloha United Way 211 Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Hawaii CARES Text Program

Goal and Purpose

- Developed to help expand outreach and awareness of SUD information and treatment/recovery services in Hawai'i.
- The goal to improve access and opportunities for Hawaii residents to learn more of SUD treatment/recovery services based on the stages of change addiction/recovery framework.
- The main objective is to help the client feel more comfortable to complete the Universal Standardized Intake & Screening (USIS) over the phone.







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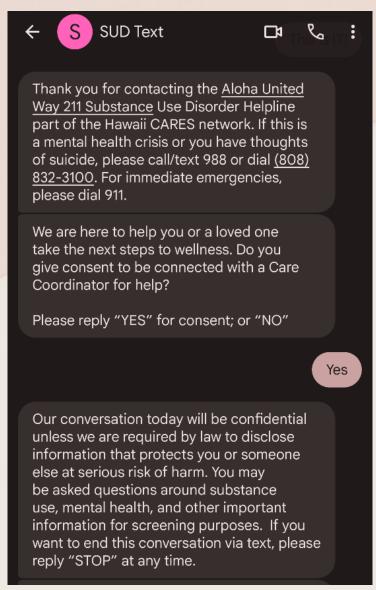
SUD Texting Program Components	Automated Texting/Live Response/Both?	
A: I would like to find help or information for	Some live Care Coordinator support; some	
myself via text	automated SMS/Texts	
B: I am looking for addiction/recovery services for	No Care Coordinator Support; all automated	
someone else (family member/friend/client)	SMS/Texts	
C: I want to learn more about addiction/ recovery	No Care Coordinator Support; all automated	
	SMS/Texts	
D: I would like to speak with a live Care	Mostly live Care Coordinator support; some	
Coordinator on the phone	automated SMS/Texts	







Aloha United Way 211 Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Hawaii CARES Text Program





How can I help you today?

- A) I would like to find help or information for myself via text
- B) I am looking for addiction/recovery services for someone else (family member/ friend/client)
- C) I want to learn more about addiction/ recovery
- D) I would like to speak with a live Care Coordinator on the phone

Please reply only with "A", "B", "C", or "D".

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Q&A

Questions??

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Mahalo!

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