MATFORCE Messages

Free virtual presentations focused on building healthier communities.

Thursdays, 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Exploring Initial Insights: Unveiling Preliminary Findings from the Overdose Fatality Review Board Presented by Merilee Fowler

This presentation provides an early glimpse into critical data collected on 2023 overdose deaths in Yavapai County. With initial insights on trends, risk factors, and potential interventions as a foundational platform for further analysis and strategic responses for reducing overdose fatalities in our community.



Youth, Marijuana and Violent Behavior – Is there a Connection? Presented by Shelly Mowrey & MCSO Det. Jason Felix



Shelly Mowrey, AZ HIDTA Demand Reduction Coordinator and Detective Jason Felix, with the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office, will discuss the connection between marijuana and violence.

Utilizing case studies and recent closed investigations, this eye-opening presentation will explore the intersection where marijuana and violence meet in our communities.

May

4 Steps for Helping Through a Crisis **Presented by Nikki Rosson**

Nikki Rosson, Program Manager for MATFORCE, will discuss a fourstep process to identify and support someone experiencing thoughts

of suicide.

Discover how to connect them to lifesaving help in our community. Increase your understanding of signs and symptoms, and the importance of not being afraid to talk about suicide.



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