What's Trending!

Safe2Tell Founder and Executive Director Susan Payne was asked to present to the Federal Commission on School Safety at the White House about School-Based Threat Assessments on August 16, 2018!

In addition, Director Payne also had the honor of being asked to serve as the keynote speaker at the National Round Table on School Safety in August, hosted by the US Department of Homeland Security. In attendance were representatives from all 50 States who spent two days learning about best practices surrounding school safety. Director Payne's efforts are helping keep student's safe across the country!

Safe2Tell Colorado provides students and adults in Colorado communities and schools an increased ability to both prevent and report concerning behaviors by making a safe, ANONYMOUS report.

Through education and awareness efforts, Safe2Tell Colorado encourages and empowers bystanders to speak up when they have a concern about their safety or the safety of others.
Who Receives Safe2Tell Reports?

Teams of school personnel, district staff and law enforcement are determined at the school or district level. Individuals must be registered in the Safe2Tell CO system to receive notices of reports (via text message or email) and access reports.

To ensure delivery of Safe2Tell tips to the correct team, submit team contact information by completing our online School Contact Update Form.

Please note that school team contact information changes are made during business hours, Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 5 PM.

If you need a tip sent immediately to a person not listed for your school outside of these operating hours, please call Colorado State Patrol dispatch at 1-877-542-7233 and they will help you.

Access the School Contact Update Form

Register Your Team

For assistance with and questions about updating your school team contact information, contact:

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September is Suicide Prevention Month

If you or someone you know is struggling, please let us know.

Safe2tell.org, 1-877-542-7233 or download our free app.

But at the same time, we see clear signs that youth use of electronic cigarettes has reached an epidemic proportion, and we must adjust certain aspects of our comprehensive strategy to stem this clear and present danger.

Vaping products are popular among adults who use them as an off-ramp to quit smoking traditional cigarettes.

But public health experts warn they have a thriving secondary market among young people, who may become addicted to the nicotine devices even if they have never smoked a traditional cigarette.

As Education Week has reported, schools have struggled to detect small vaping devices, like the Juul, and to keep students from carrying them—or even using them—in their hallways, bathrooms, and classrooms.

Among the concerns Gottlieb highlighted: Some e-cigarette flavors seem targeted at young people, and e-cigarette companies that sell their products online may be prone to "straw purchases," in which one person buys a large quantity of devices to offer them for resale to underage users.

Teen Vaping Has Hit 'Epidemic Proportions,' FDA Leader Says in Enforcement Call

By Evie Blad

Credit: Education Week

Youth use of electronic cigarettes "has reached an epidemic proportion," the leader of the Food and Drug Administration said Wednesday, September 12, 2018.

He gave the manufacturers of popular vaping devices, like Juul, 60 days to make plans to limit their sales to minors or risk seeing their products pulled from the market pending new regulations.

He also announced new enforcement actions against retailers who sell the products.

"We're committed to the comprehensive approach to address addiction to nicotine that we announced last year," FDA Commissioner Scott Gottlieb said.
Upcoming Events

Monday, October 1—Tuesday, October 2, 2018

Colorado School Safety Resource Center 2018 Colorado Safe Schools Summit

Registration Now Open

Safe2Tell Presentations

Are you looking for a dynamic and engaging speaker to come educate your community (students, staff or parents) about Safe2Tell?

We offer several types of trainings and informational sessions for all age groups. Contact our Training and Outreach Specialist Mark Lanning to get it scheduled:

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Safe2Tell Materials

Are you in need of additional Safe2Tell materials? If so, we offer them at cost on our website here:

Safe2Tell materials

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We're Growing!

We're Hiring!

Please be on the look out this month for two new full time job openings with our Safe2Tell unit! We are hiring an Office Manager and a Data Analyst. Position openings will post on the CO.gov website:

Safe2Tell Job Openings
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