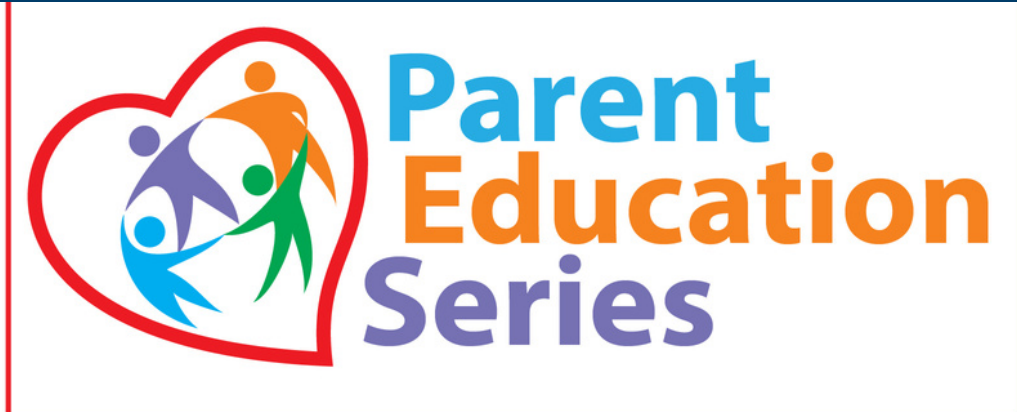




Substance Use & Prevention



In this session we will:

- Learn how to start the conversation about substance use with your child.
- Discuss the important connection between substance use & mental health.

When

THURSDAY, MAY 18TH - 6:30-7:30 PM

Where



Zoom link will be sent to those who register.

RSVP
at this [link](#) to
register.

Kristen Chandler

Project SUCCESS Counselor

Kristen is employed through Trinity Health Chelsea Hospital in the Community Health Department. She earned her master's degree in social work from the University of Michigan in 2015. Since then, much of her work has been in non-profit organizations providing individual therapy, case management, overseeing a mental health and Medicated Assisted Treatment (MAT) programs as a Behavioral Health Coordinator for a primary care facility, and now is working with Chelsea School District as a Project SUCCESS Counselor. The Project SUCCESS Counselor (Schools Using Coordinated Community Efforts to Strengthen Students) aims to reduce factors that put students at risk for substance abuse. Counselors work in local schools to provide substance use prevention and early intervention services. Students in participating schools receive comprehensive alcohol, tobacco, and other drug prevention education. Individual assessments and group counseling are also provided to at-risk students through the program.

Kate Yocum

SRSly Chelsea Coalition Director

Kate Yocum is the SRSly Chelsea Coalition Director. In this position Kate manages the Coalition's mental health support and substance use prevention through recruitment, youth-engagement, resource development, marketing, donor retainment, partner collaborations, and evaluation. She earned her master's degree in social work at Michigan State University. Prior to srsly, she worked as the sole intern for the Michigan Senate's Families, Seniors and Veterans' Committee, while also serving on the board of The Bear Hug Foundation, a Detroit non-profit for at-risk and underserved youth. Kate's thrilled to continue working in a position that allows her to pursue a vision of youth knowing they matter, knowing they can ask for help, and feeling empowered to lead change.

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