

## ***Who We Are***

### ***Mission***

The JDSAC shall address youth and adult substance abuse through a collaborative, community-wide approach that increases recognition, education, prevention, treatment, and recovery to improve the quality of life for individuals and families of Jeff Davis County.

### ***Vision***

The JDSAC envisions Jeff Davis County as a safe and healthy place for individuals and families because of its comprehensive, community-driven strategies that reduce and prevent substance abuse, provide needed treatment resources, and promote long-term recovery.

## ***How to Get Involved:***

- Join our Coalition!
- Attend our monthly meetings.
- Support our mission to address substance misuse among youth & adults in our community.
- Explore and share our resources and any resources that you utilize for the community.
- Connect with us on Facebook: The Jeff Davis Substance Abuse Coalition.
- Join our email list by emailing:  
[jdsac@sharehealthsega.org](mailto:jdsac@sharehealthsega.org)

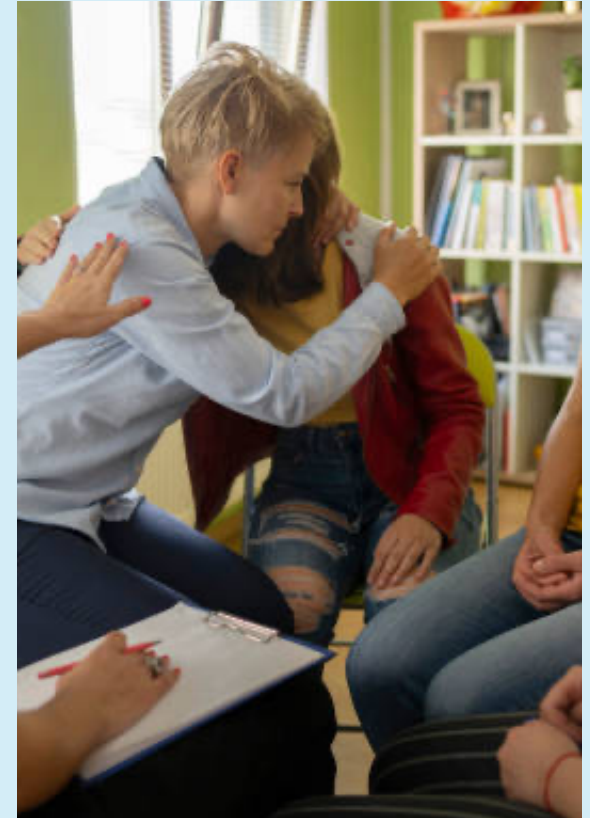
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Jeff Davis  
Substance Abuse Coalition

## ***Say **NO** to Substance & Opioid Misuse***



***Recovery Happens in  
Communities!***

***Make Jeff Davis County a Drug-  
Free Community!***

## *Do you know?*

- Opioid misuse is the use of opioid medications without a prescription or for reasons other than prescribed.
- Substance misuse is the harmful use of prescription or over-the-counter drugs, alcohol or illegal drugs for mood-altering purposes.
- Opioid and substance misuse can lead to addiction which may lead to death if not addressed.
- Young adults with substance use disorders are more likely to drop out of school, get involved in criminal activities, or have physical and/or mental illnesses.



## *Key Facts*

- In 2020, there were more than 90,000 drug overdose deaths in the U.S.; in Georgia, there were 1,500 drug overdose deaths.
- In 2019, Jeff Davis was one of the top 5 counties with the highest drug use-related ER visit rates in adults aged 20 years and above in Georgia. Since 2012, Jeff Davis ER visit rates have been greater than Georgia's.
- Opioids are the top cause of drug involved ER visits in Jeff Davis County.
- Between 2013 and 2017, Jeff Davis was among the highest counties in Georgia for opioid prescription rates and hospitalizations due to opioid-related overdose. ER visits in Jeff Davis County during this time was higher than Georgia's rate.



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## *Community Resources*

- Charlie's Place: Addiction Recovery: Peer based recovery support services. (912) 245-7559 or (912) 403-9738
- Cord of Three Counseling Services: Faith-based, confidential counseling. (912) 282-0992
- Freedom Living Ministries: Faith-based, drugs and alcohol prevention. (478) 488-7214
- Malinda Graham & Associates: Substance abuse treatment and counseling. (912) 217-5761
- Men's Recovery Home: Faith-based recovery home for dependence on drugs and alcohol. (478) 763-2647
- Pineland Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities: Non-intensive substance abuse outpatient services. (912) 367-4614
- Outback Serenity Center (OSC): Faith-based recovery home for dependence on drugs and alcohol. (912) 375-4040
- Stepping Stones Therapeutic Solutions of Georgia: Therapeutic counseling. (912) 278-0551