

SCHEDULE OF TRAININGS FOR DRUG PREVENTION FOR THE YEAR 2023/2024

The National Authority for the Campaign against Alcohol and Drug Abuse (NACADA) was established through an Act of Parliamentary in 2012 and mandated to coordinate multi-sectoral campaign aimed at preventing, controlling and mitigating the impact of alcohol and drug abuse in Kenya.

The overall goal of drug prevention training is to build prevention capacity on the most effective evidence-based preventive interventions and strategies by applying the key findings reported in the International Standards for Drug Use Prevention to 'real' world communities.

In view of the above, NACADA has organized clustered training programs to meet the needs of Prevention implementers as well as those interested in drug prevention as shown below:

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PROGRAMME	TARGET GROUP	DATES	VENUES	COSTS
Online Introduction to the Universal Prevention Curriculum for implementers (10 weeks)	 Prevention implementers Health workers Counselors County governments 	February 2024 6,8,13,15,20	NA	Free
In Person Introduction to the Universal Prevention Curriculum for implementers (5 days)	 Prevention implementers Health workers Counselors County governments 	End May- 27 th -31 st May	Nairobi	KES 40,000 per person Non residential
Online Family Based Prevention Interventions (3 weeks)	 Prevention implementers Health workers Counselors Church leaders Family health practitioners Parents 	April 2024 9,11,16,18, and 23	NA	Free

INTRODUCTION TO UNIVERSAL PREVENTION CURRICULUM SERIES FOR IMPLEMENTERS (core)

This provides an overview of the science that underlies evidence-based preventive interventions and strategies and the application of these effective approaches in prevention practice. knowledge and skills needed to undertake evidence-based programming at community level.

The objectives of the training include:

- Provide the science base for prevention intervention development and delivery
- Provide an overview of the Physiology and pharmacology of psychoactive substances, and the levels of progression of psychoactive substance use
- Describe the background and principles underlying the development of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime International Standards on Drug Use Prevention
- Describe the importance of implementation fidelity and monitoring of the delivery of prevention interventions and the implementation of prevention polices.

FAMILY BASED PREVENTION INTERVENTIONS

This provides an overview of the family as the primary socialization agent of children, the science behind family-based preventive interventions, and the application of such evidence-based approaches to help prevent the onset of substance use in children. The objectives of the training include:

- To provide an overview of the role of the family in the prevention of substance use.
- To introduce different types of family-based prevention programs and parenting skills in drug prevention.

*** We can also organize training for special groups in churches, residence associations and non-governmental organizations and other formal groups based on request. (Minimum 30Pax)

Those engaging for first time need to take core

Those who have done core consider family

Those who started with family and have not done core, need to take core

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