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TCN News

News and announcements from the Tobacco Control Network

TCN Announcements

- Confirming nominees for the 2021-2022 TCN Executive Committee is currently under way. Many thanks to everyone who submitted nominations! A ballot will be circulated to all program managers and Funders Alliance leads after Labor Day.

Partner Announcements

- The **Smoking Cessation Leadership Center** [launched](#) its I COVID Quit campaign, featuring resources for individuals who smoke and healthcare providers, to help smokers quit amid the increased challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic.
- The **Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids** [released](#) downloadable social media graphics to help prevent kids from returning to e-cigarettes and nicotine addiction as they begin the school year.
- The **CDC Office on Smoking and Health** [updated](#) its listing of evidence briefs with scientific and evidence-based best practices or policy options on tobacco prevention and control

*The twice monthly **TCN News** provides a concise digest of tobacco control announcements to the Tobacco Control Network's membership base of tobacco control program managers and additional staff from each state, territory, and D.C., as well as our valued partners.*

Upcoming Events

[Smoke-Free Multi-Unit Housing: Basics and Best Practices](#) – Public Health Law Center
Webinar
Aug. 26, 12-12:45 p.m. ET
| *Registration Required*

[Research Into Action: E-Cigarette Instagram Posts and Their Youth Appeal](#) – Geographic Health Equity Alliance
Webinar
Aug. 26, 2-3 p.m. ET
| *Registration Required*

[Health at any Age: Supporting Cessation Later in Life](#) – Mayo Clinic Nicotine Dependence Center
Virtual Training
Aug. 31, 1-2 p.m. ET
| *Registration Required*

[Why Menthol, Why Now: San](#)

interventions.

- **Action on Smoking & Health** [published](#) a recording of its recent webinar on the smoke-free airlines advocacy movement, which began 50 years ago.
- **FDA** [issued](#) a warning letter JD Nova Group LLC to remove approximately 4.5 million products from the market because they do not meet the filing requirements for a new tobacco product seeking a marketing order.
- The **American Nonsmokers' Rights Foundation** [shared](#) the personal story of Mike Danay, a Pennsylvania casino employee who was diagnosed with asthma as a child, and what it is like for him and others with underlying conditions to experience secondhand smoke.

State News

- **Vermont** will [receive](#) \$165,000 in civil penalties from three different vaping retailers for the violation of state law prohibiting online tobacco product sales.

In the News

- An editorial published in *Tobacco Control* [argues](#) that adults over age 65 are largely neglected by tobacco control advertising and messaging, raising health equity concerns.

[Leandro](#) – AATCLC, Berkley Bay Area Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, and Alameda County Tobacco Control Coalition
Webinar
Sep. 1, 8:30-10 p.m. ET
| *Registration Required*

[The Way Forward: Sustaining and Amplifying Tobacco Cessation Strategies](#) – ASTHO
Webinar
Sept. 2, 2:30-4 p.m. ET
| *Registration Required*

[E-Cigarette Potpourri: Hot Topics & Random Reddit Posts on Youth Vaping](#) – American Academy of Pediatrics
Webinar
Sept. 24, 12-1 p.m. ET
| *Registration Required*

[Tobacco Treatment Specialist Training and Certification](#) – Mayo Clinic Nicotine Dependence Center
Virtual Training
Sept. 28-30 | *Registration Required*

[Tobacco Treatment Specialist Training and Certification](#) – Mayo Clinic Nicotine Dependence Center
Virtual Training
Nov. 8-10 | *Registration Required*

[National Conference on Tobacco or Health](#) – National Network of Public Health Institutes
New Orleans
June 28-30, 2022
| *Registration Required*

Funding Opportunities
[Barclay-Giel Seed Grants](#) – The PHS Commissioned Officers Foundation for the

Research

- A *Nicotine & Tobacco Research* data analysis of e-cigarette product use among young adults [found](#) that the use of disposable e-cigarettes was most common among current users of non-disposable e-cigarette products, followed by former users of those products, and then young adults who never used those products.
- A *Nicotine & Tobacco Research* randomized control trial comparing a text message intervention to a standard of care among youth experiencing homelessness [found](#) that the intervention led to reductions in tobacco product use, as well as in other health indicators such as drinking and symptoms of anxiety and depression.

Advancement of Public Health
Deadline: Nov. 12, 2021

Job Listings

[Tobacco Cessation Educator](#)
Nebraska Department of
Health and Human Services
Lincoln, Nebraska

[Director of Local Policy and
Program Development](#)
North Carolina Department of
Health and Human Services
Raleigh, North Carolina

[Senior Manager, Advocacy –
Tobacco Control](#)
American Lung Association
Brookfield, Wisconsin

About the Tobacco Control Network

The TCN's mission is to improve the public's health by providing education and state-based expertise to tobacco prevention and control at the state and national levels.

The TCN is a network of tobacco program managers and staff from state and territorial health departments as well as Funder's Alliance organizations, and a peer group of the [Association of State and Territorial Health Officials](#) (ASTHO) on behalf of the CDC's Office on Smoking and Health.

About ASTHO

The Association of State and Territorial Health Officials is the national nonprofit association

representing the state and territorial public health agencies of the United States, the U.S. Territories, and the District of Columbia. ASTHO members, the chief health officials of these jurisdictions, are dedicated to formulating and influencing sound public health policy and to ensuring excellence in state-based public health practice.



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