

TAKE ACTION TO PREVENT UNDERAGE ALCOHOL USE

Preventing underage and problem drinking must be a priority for every community. Being informed, being prepared and taking action are how local, state, and national efforts are paying off.



THAT'S REAL PROGRESS

Informed communities are effective communities.

Explore how communities are working together to disrupt the cycle of alcohol misuse at [StopAlcoholAbuse.gov/CommunitiesTalk](https://www.stopalcoholabuse.gov/communities-talk).

SAMHSA
Substance Abuse and Mental Health
Services Administration

-8.2%



CURRENT DRINKING

2002-2019

Between 2002 and 2019, current drinking by 12- to 17-year-olds declined from 17.6 percent to 9.4 percent.