

Substance Use for Parents & Caregivers

Substance Use for Parents & Caregivers is an interactive role-play simulation that helps parents and caregivers initiate conversations about healthy choices and substance use, which in turn has a strong positive influence on adolescent decision-making.

Learning Objectives

- Understand the power caring adults have to influence a teen's substance use
- Have non-judgmental, conversations with a teen about substance-related decision making
- ✓ Use a variety of strategies to engage a teen on the topic of substance use
- Ensure a teen feels heard, which will make it more possible for them to also listen



Learners interact with Virtual Humans through interactive conversations



Market

PK-12 and Government/Non-Profit



Audience

Educator



Topic

Alcohol & Substance Use



Duration

7 Minutes

180 - 610



Overview

Playing the role of a parent, practice talking with a teenager about drinking, healthy choices, and decision-making. Explore ways to discuss the risks, set expectations, and imagine some scenarios how she might react and discuss ways to handle different scenarios she might encounter.



Parents and caregivers have access to customized national, local, and school-specific resources in addition to simulation content.

Features

- ✓ Fully-hosted solution deployed to users in less than one week
- ✓ Technical assistance and outreach templates to drive adoption
- ✓ Usage reports and customizable online surveys to support program evaluation
- ✓ Customizable list of local and national resources
- ✓ Discussion guides to support blended delivery with in-person workshops

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