

Seaway Valley Prevention Council
206 Ford St., Ste 301
Ogdensburg, NY 13669



Dear Parent/Guardian:

Your child has been identified as showing signs of a problem with alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs. Seaway Valley Prevention Council provides a program called *Teen Intervene*, which is designed to help young people with these identified problems. *Teen Intervene* is a free and confidential, early intervention, and evidence-based program designed to work with youth age 12-19 who are experiencing mild to moderate alcohol or other drug use problems.

Any information shared regarding you and your child will be kept confidential. Exceptions to this include the following:

- If the Health Educator discovers that your child is in danger of harming themselves, or others, or if your child is being maltreated because of abuse or neglect. In these cases, the counselor is required to disclose the possible abuse and/or potential harm to the appropriate authorities.
- The service recipient consents in writing.
- The disclosure is allowed by a court order.
- The discloser is made to medical personnel in a medical emergency.
- Qualified personnel for research, audit, or program evaluation.
- If the Health Educator and child both agree to disclose information to you that is important for achieving the goals of counseling.

If you have any questions about *Teen Intervene*, please contact the Seaway Valley Prevention Council at (315) 713-4861 or through email at seawayvalleyprevention@svpc.net, weekdays between the hours of 8am and 4pm.

Please provide Parent/ Guardian contact details.

Name	Preferred Contact Method Info
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- Teen Intervene includes an optional family session. Check this box if you are interested in attending the family session.

By signing your name below, you are showing that you understand the information about *Teen Intervene* and authorize participation.

Parent Guardian Name	Signature	Date
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Health Educator	Signature	Date
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Note: You will receive a copy of this form to keep once the counselor has signed.

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