The Opioid Epidemic
What it means for our community

Wednesday, Dec 6, 2017

5:30 pm  Doors open to the public for the resource fair
7:00 pm  Program begins

Rockville High School
70 Loveland Hill Rd, Vernon, CT

Refreshments and dessert will be provided

Resource Fair

Activities:
- Hidden in Plain Sight demonstration: Search a mock teen bedroom with products teens use to hide substances, by CT Association of Prevention Professionals
- NARCAN training/demonstration, by Rockville Pharmacy

Information Booths:
- Connecticut Clearinghouse
- Today I Matter
- UCONN Recovery Community
- ERASE, Inc.
- Become Part of the Solution
- Community Health Resources
- Vernon ROCKS Coalition
- CT Community for Addiction Recovery
- Vernon Social Services
- Hartford Dispensary
- Eastern CT Health Network
- Breaking the Cycle
- CAPP - Hidden in Plain Sight
- Perception Programs, Inc.
- The Bridge Family Center
- Hockanum Valley Community Council
- Rockville Pharmacy
- Vernon Police Department
- RiverEast
- Drug Enforcement Administration
- First Choice Health Centers
- And other local organizations

Guest Speaker & Panelist

John Lally, APRN & Director of Today I Matter

Panelists

- Steven Jackson, CAC, MATS
  Hockanum Valley Community Council, Inc.
- Matthew Gedansky
  Judicial District of Tolland - State’s attorney
- Chief James Kenny
  Vernon Police Department
- A Person in Recovery
- Robert F. Carroll, MD, MBA, FACEP
  Chair & Senior Medical Director-Department of Emergency Medicine Eastern CT Health Network
- Karen Colt, LADC
  Director - Natchaug Hospital’s Rivereast Treatment Center

Moderator

Dan Corcoran, NBC News

The Vernon ROCKS Coalition is a collaboration of community stakeholders, parents, youth and volunteers, whose focus is to prevent the use of drugs and alcohol in Vernon’s youth by promoting protective factors and decreasing risk factors that contribute to substance use. Vernon ROCKS is funded in part by The Village for Families & Children and its affiliate, KIDSAFE CT, through a grant from the Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services (DMHAS). The mission of Vernon ROCKS is to provide “Resources & Outreach for Community Knowledge & Success.”

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