

State Report

North Dakota

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North Dakota

State Population: 739,482

Population Ages 12–20: 85,000

	Percentage	Number
Ages 12–20		
Past-Month Alcohol Use	31.4	27,000
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use	21.6	18,000
Ages 12–14		
Past-Month Alcohol Use	4.2	1,000
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use	1.8	0
Ages 15–17		
Past-Month Alcohol Use	19.6	5,000
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use	10.7	3,000
Ages 18–20		
Past-Month Alcohol Use	58.8	21,000
Past-Month Binge Alcohol Use	43.1	15,000
Alcohol-Attributable Deaths (under 21)		10
Years of Potential Life Lost (under 21)		611
	Percentage of All Traffic Fatalities	Number
Traffic Fatalities, 15- to 20-Year-Old Drivers with BAC > 0.01	22	5

Laws Addressing Minors in Possession of Alcohol

Underage Possession	
Is underage possession of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	Yes
Are there exceptions based on family relationships?	
• Is possession allowed if parent or guardian is present or consents?	No
• Is possession allowed if spouse is present or consents?	No
Is there an exception based on location?	No

Underage Consumption	
Is underage consumption of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	Yes
Are there exceptions based on family relationships?	
• Is consumption allowed if the parent or guardian is present or consents?	No
• Is consumption allowed if the spouse is present or consents?	No
Is there an exception based on location?	No

Underage Internal Possession	
Is underage internal possession of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	No law
Are there exceptions based on family relationships?	
• Is internal possession allowed if the parent or guardian is present or consents?	N/A
• Is internal possession allowed if the spouse is present or consents?	N/A
Is there an exception based on location?	N/A
<p><i>Note:</i> Although North Dakota does not prohibit internal possession as defined in this report, it prohibits an individual under 21 from having "recently consumed" an alcoholic beverage. Laws that prohibit minors from having alcohol in their bodies, but do so without reference to a blood, breath, or urine test, are not considered as prohibiting internal possession for purposes of this report.</p>	

Underage Purchase and Attempted Purchase	
Is the purchase of alcoholic beverages prohibited?	Yes
May youth purchase for law enforcement purposes?	No

False Identification for Obtaining Alcohol	
Provisions Targeting Minors	
Is the use of false identification (ID) prohibited?	Yes
Does the use of a false ID result in minor's driver's license suspension?	No
Provisions Targeting Suppliers	
Is the lending or transferring or selling of a false ID prohibited?	No
Is the production of a false ID in the context of underage alcohol sales specifically prohibited?	No
Retailer Support Provisions	
Is there an incentive for the retailer to use electronic scanners for information digitally encoded on valid IDs?	No
Are state driver's licenses for persons under 21 easily distinguishable from licenses for persons 21 and over?	Yes
May retailers seize apparently false IDs without fear of prosecution even if the ID is ultimately deemed valid?	Yes
Does an affirmative defense exist for the retailer?	Yes

• Is it a specific affirmative defense (retailer reasonably believed ID was valid after examining it)?	Yes
• Is it a general affirmative defense (retailer reasonably believed purchaser was over 21)?	No
Does the retailer have the right to sue the minor for use of a false ID?	No
May a retailer detain a minor who used a false ID?	No

Laws Targeting Underage Drinking and Driving

Youth Blood Alcohol Concentration Limits (Underage Operators of Noncommercial Motor Vehicles)	
What is the maximum blood alcohol concentration (BAC) limit for an underage driver of a motor vehicle?	0.02
Does a BAC level in excess of limit automatically establish a violation (per se violation)?	Yes
What is the minimum age to which the limit applies?	0
What is the maximum age to which the limit applies?	21

Loss of Driving Privileges for Alcohol Violations by Minors (“Use/Lose” Laws)	
Is there a “use/lose” law that suspends or revokes a minor’s driving privileges for alcohol violations?	No
What types of violation lead to license suspension or revocation?	
• Purchase of alcohol	N/A
• Possession of alcohol	N/A
• Consumption of alcohol	N/A
The law applies to people under what age?	N/A
Is suspension or revocation mandatory or discretionary?	N/A
What is the length of suspension/revocation?	
Minimum number of days	N/A
Maximum number of days	N/A

Graduated Driver’s Licenses	
Learner Stage	
What is the minimum age for permit to drive with parents, guardians or other adults (other than instructors)?	14
What is the minimum number of months driver must hold learner permit before advancing to intermediate stage?	12 (6 months if driver is 16 or over)
What is the minimum number of hours of driving with parents, guardians, or adults before advancing to intermediate stage?	50
Intermediate Stage	
What is the minimum age for driving without adult supervision?	15
For night driving, when does adult supervision requirement begin?	9 pm (later of sunset or 9 pm)
Can law enforcement stop a driver for night-driving violation as a primary offense?	Yes – Officer may stop driver for night-driving violation
Are there restrictions on passengers?	No
Can law enforcement stop driver for violation of passenger restrictions as a primary offense?	N/A
License Stage	
What is the minimum age for full license privileges and lifting of restrictions?	16

Laws Targeting Alcohol Suppliers

Furnishing Alcohol to Minors	
Is furnishing of alcoholic beverages to minors prohibited?	Yes
Are there exceptions based on family relationships?	
• Is furnishing allowed if the parent or guardian supplies the alcohol?	No
• Is furnishing allowed if the spouse supplies the alcohol?	No
Is there an exception based on location?	No
Affirmative Defense for Sellers and Licensees	
Does law require seller/licensee to be exonerated of furnishing to a minor if the minor has not been charged?	No

Compliance Check Protocols	
Does the state have a written protocol for when an underage decoy is used in compliance checks?	No data
What is the minimum age a decoy may be to participate in a compliance check?	N/A
What is the maximum age a decoy may be to participate in a compliance check?	N/A
What are the decoy's appearance requirements?	N/A
Does decoy carry ID during compliance check?	N/A
May decoy verbally exaggerate his or her actual age?	N/A
Is decoy training mandated, recommended, prohibited, or not specified?	N/A

Penalty Guidelines for Sales to Minors	
Are there written guidelines for penalties imposed on retailers for furnishing to a minor?	No data
What is the time period for defining second, third, and subsequent offenses?	N/A
What is the penalty for the first offense?	N/A
What is the penalty for the second offense?	N/A
What is the penalty for the third offense?	N/A
What is the penalty for the fourth offense?	N/A

Responsible Beverage Service (RBS)	
Is there a state law pertaining to beverage service training?	No
If training is mandatory, who must participate?	N/A
If training is voluntary, which of the following incentives are offered?	
• Defense in dram shop liability lawsuits	N/A
• Discounts in dram shop liability insurance, license fees, or other	N/A
• Mitigation of fines or other administrative penalties for sales to minors or intoxicated persons	N/A
• Protection against license revocation for sales to minors or sales to intoxicated persons	N/A
Does the RBS law apply to on-premises establishments (such as bars and restaurants) or off-premises establishments (such as liquor stores)?	N/A
Does the RBS law apply to new or existing licensees?	N/A

Minimum Age for Sellers of Alcohol – Off-Premises (i.e., Liquor Stores)	
What is the minimum age requirement for off-premises retail establishments?	
Beer	21
Wine	21

Spirits	21
Does a manager or supervisor have to be present?	No

Minimum Age for Alcohol Servers and Bartenders – On-Premises (i.e., Restaurants and Bars)	
What is the minimum age requirement for servers in on-premises establishments?	
Beer	18
Wine	18
Spirits	18
What is the minimum age requirement for bartenders in on-premises establishments?	
Beer	21
Wine	21
Spirits	21
Does a manager or supervisor have to be present?	Yes
<i>Note: Any person who is 18 or older but under 21 may be employed by the restaurant to serve and collect money for alcoholic beverages, if the person is under the direct supervision of a person aged 21 or more, but may not be engaged in mixing, dispensing, or consuming alcoholic beverages.</i>	

Alcohol Outlet Siting Near Schools and Universities	
Colleges and Universities	
Is there a distance requirement for off-premises outlets (i.e., liquor stores)?	No
Is there a distance requirement for on-premises outlets (i.e., restaurants and bars)?	No
To which alcohol products does requirement apply?	N/A
Primary and Secondary Schools	
Is there a distance requirement for off-premises outlets (i.e., liquor stores)?	No
Is there a distance requirement for on-premises outlets (i.e., restaurants and bars)?	No
To which alcohol products does requirement apply?	N/A

Dram Shop Liability	
Does a statute create dram shop liability?	Yes
Does the statute limit damages that may be recovered?	No
Does the statute limit who may be sued?	No
Does the statute limit elements or standards of proof?	Yes (knowledge of underage status)
Does common law dram shop liability exist?	No

Social Host Liability	
Does a statute create social host liability?	Yes
Does the statute limit damages that may be recovered?	No
Does the statute limit who may be sued?	No
Does the statute limit elements or standards of proof?	Yes (knowledge of underage status)
Does common law social host liability exist?	No

Prohibitions Against Hosting Underage Drinking Parties	
Does a statute prohibit hosting underage drinking parties?	No
Is the statute specific to underage parties, or a general prohibition against permitting underage drinking on the property?	N/A
What action by underage guest triggers a violation?	N/A
Property type covered by the law?	N/A

What level of knowledge by the host is required?	N/A
Does host's preventive action protect him/her from being held liable?	N/A
Are there any exceptions for underage guests?	N/A

Retailer Interstate Shipments of Alcohol	
Are out-of-state retailers prohibited from sending interstate shipments to in-state consumers?	
Beer	Permitted
Wine	Permitted
Spirits	Permitted

Direct Shipments/Sales	
May alcohol producers ship directly to consumers?	Yes
What alcohol types may be shipped?	Beer, wine, distilled spirits
Must purchaser make mandatory trip to producer before delivery is authorized?	No
Age verification requirements	
Must the producer/shipper verify purchaser's age before sale?	No
Must the common carrier (deliverer) verify age of recipients?	Yes
State approval/permit requirements	
Must the producer/manufacture obtain state license or permit?	Yes
Must the common carrier (deliverer) be approved by a state agency?	Yes
Recording/reporting requirements	
Must the producer/manufacture record/report purchaser's name?	No
Must the common carrier (deliverer) record/report recipient's name?	Yes
Shipping label requirements	
Must the label state "Package contains alcohol"?	No
Must the label state "Recipient must be 21 years old"?	Yes

Keg Registration	
How is a keg defined (in gallons)?	More than 6.00
Prohibitions	
Is it illegal to possess an unregistered or unlabeled keg and if so, what is the penalty?	No
Is it illegal to destroy the label on a keg, and if so, what is the penalty?	No
What purchaser information is collected?	
Must the retailer collect the name and address?	Yes
Must the retailer collect the ID number, name and address on license or other government information?	Yes
Must the retailer collect the address at which keg will be consumed?	No
Must warning information be given to purchaser?	Not required
Is a deposit required?	No
Does law cover disposable kegs?	No

Home Delivery	
Is home delivery of alcohol permitted?	
Beer	No law

Wine	No law
Spirits	No law

High-Proof Grain Alcohol Beverages	
Are there restrictions on the sale of high-proof grain alcohol beverages?	No
Are restrictions based on Alcohol by Volume (ABV)?	N/A
Are there exceptions to restrictions?	N/A

Laws Affecting Alcohol Pricing

Alcohol Taxes	
Beer	
Control system for beer?	No
Specific excise tax per gallon for 5% alcohol beer	\$0.16
Ad valorem excise tax (for on-premises sales) on total receipts for 5% alcohol beer	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	7%
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Yes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General sales tax rate 	5%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax) 	2%
Ad valorem excise tax (for off-premises sales) on total receipts for 5% alcohol beer	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	7%
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Yes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General sales tax rate 	5%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax) 	2%
Additional taxes for 3.2–6% alcohol beer (if applicable)	
<i>Note: Beer in bulk containers is taxed at \$0.08 per gallon.</i>	
Wine	
Control system for wine?	No
Specific excise tax per gallon for 12% alcohol wine	\$0.50
Ad valorem excise tax (for on-premises sales) on total receipts for 12% alcohol wine	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	7%
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Yes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General sales tax rate 	5%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax) 	2%
Ad valorem excise tax (for off-premises sales) on total receipts for 12% alcohol wine	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	7%
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Yes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General sales tax rate 	5%

• Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax)	2%
Additional taxes for 6–14% alcohol wine (if applicable)	
Spirits	
Control system for spirits?	No
Specific excise tax per gallon for 40% alcohol spirits	\$2.50
Ad valorem excise tax (for on-premises sales) on total receipts for 40% alcohol spirits	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	7%
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Yes
• General sales tax rate	5%
• Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax)	2%
Ad valorem excise tax (for off-premises sales) on total receipts for 40% alcohol spirits	
Wholesale tax rate (if applicable)	
Retail tax rate (if applicable)	7%
If retail tax rate applies, is there an exemption from general sales tax?	Yes
• General sales tax rate	5%
• Sales tax adjusted retail tax rate (the retail tax minus the general sales tax, where there is an exemption from the general sales tax)	2%
Additional taxes for 15–50% alcohol spirits (if applicable)	

Low-Price, High-Volume Drink Specials	
What types of drink specials are prohibited by on-premises retailers?	
Free beverages	No
Multiple servings at one time	No
Multiple servings for same price as single serving	No
Reduced price for a specified day or time (i.e., happy hours)	No
Unlimited beverages for fixed price	No
Increased volume without increase in price	No

Wholesaler Pricing Restrictions	
Beer	
Are volume discounts to retailers allowed?	No law
Must wholesalers establish a minimum markup or maximum discount for each product sold to retailers?	No law
Must wholesalers publicly post and hold (i.e., not reduce) prices for a set time period?	No law
Is wholesaler permitted to extend credit to retailer and if so, what is the maximum time period?	No
Wine	
Are volume discounts to retailers allowed?	No law
Must wholesalers establish a minimum markup or maximum discount for each product sold to retailers?	No law

Must wholesalers publicly post and hold (i.e., not reduce) prices for a set time period?	No law
Is wholesaler permitted to extend credit to retailer and if so, what is the maximum time period?	Yes (30 days)
Spirits	
Are volume discounts to retailers allowed?	No law
Must wholesalers establish a minimum markup or maximum discount for each product sold to retailers?	No law
Must wholesalers publicly post and hold (i.e., not reduce) prices for a set time period?	No law
Is wholesaler permitted to extend credit to retailer and if so, what is the maximum time period?	Yes (30 days)

North Dakota State Survey Responses

State Agency Information

Agency with primary responsibility for enforcing underage drinking laws:

North Dakota does not have an Alcohol Beverage Control agency. Responsibilities are shared across several state agencies.

Enforcement Strategies

State law enforcement agencies use:

Cops in Shops	No
Shoulder Tap Operations	No
Party Patrol Operations or Programs	No
Underage Alcohol-Related Fatality Investigations	Yes

Local law enforcement agencies use:

Cops in Shops	Yes
Shoulder Tap Operations	Yes
Party Patrol Operations or Programs	Yes
Underage Alcohol-Related Fatality Investigations	Yes

State has a program to investigate and enforce direct sales/shipment laws No

Primary state agency responsible for enforcing laws addressing direct sales/shipments of alcohol to minors Not applicable

Such laws are also enforced by local law enforcement agencies Not applicable

Enforcement Statistics

State collects data on the number of minors found in possession Yes

Number of minors found in possession by state law enforcement agencies 737

Number pertains to the 12 months ending 12/31/2014

Data include arrests/citations issued by local law enforcement agencies No

State conducts underage compliance checks/decoy operations² to determine if alcohol retailers are complying with laws prohibiting sales to minors No

Data are collected on these activities No

Number of retail licensees in state³ 1,589

Number of licensees checked for compliance by state agencies (including random checks) Not applicable

Number of licensees that failed state compliance checks Not applicable

Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending Not applicable

Compliance checks/decoy operations conducted at on-sale, off-sale, or both retail establishments Not applicable

State conducts random underage compliance checks/decoy operations Not applicable

Number of licensees subject to random state compliance checks/decoy operations Not applicable

Number of licensees that failed random state compliance checks Not applicable

Local agencies conduct underage compliance checks/decoy operations to determine if alcohol retailers are complying with laws prohibiting sales to minors Yes

Data are collected on these activities Yes

Number of licensees checked for compliance by local agencies 622

Number of licensees that failed local compliance checks 80

Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending 12/31/2014

Sanctions

State collects data on fines imposed on retail establishments that furnish minors No

Number of fines imposed by the state⁴ Not applicable

Total amount in fines across all licensees Not applicable

Smallest fine imposed Not applicable

Largest fine imposed Not applicable

Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending Not applicable

<i>State collects data on license suspensions imposed on retail establishments specifically for furnishing minors</i>	No
Number of suspensions imposed by the state ⁵	Not applicable
Total days of suspensions across all licensees	Not applicable
Shortest period of suspension imposed (in days)	Not applicable
Longest period of suspension imposed (in days)	Not applicable
Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending	Not applicable
<i>State collects data on license revocations imposed on retail establishments specifically for furnishing minors</i>	No data
Number of license revocations imposed ⁶	No data
Numbers pertain to the 12 months ending	No data

Additional Clarification

No data

¹Or having consumed or purchased per state statutes.

²Underage compliance checks/decoy operations to determine whether alcohol retailers are complying with laws prohibiting sales to minors.

³Excluding special licenses such as temporary, seasonal, and common carrier licenses.

⁴Does not include fines imposed by local agencies.

⁵Does not include suspensions imposed by local agencies.

⁶Does not include revocations imposed by local agencies.

Underage Drinking Prevention Programs Operated or Funded by the State

Parents LEAD (Listen, Educate, Ask, Discuss)

Program serves specific or general population	General population
Number of youth served	Not applicable
Number of parents served	Not applicable
Number of caregivers served	Not applicable
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	Yes
URL for evaluation report: http://ndspfsig.wikispaces.com/file/view/pLEADOutcomeReport-Reduce.pdf/547938876/pLEADOutcomeReport-Reduce.pdf	
URL for more program information:	http://www.parentslead.org

Program Description: Parents LEAD is an evidence-based underage drinking prevention effort targeting parents through a statewide, web-based communication. The program is designed to help parents initiate and/or continue conversations with their children about underage drinking and other difficult subjects at any age; role-model positive and healthy behaviors; monitor their children’s whereabouts; and provide support and engagement. A key component of the program is its interactive website (<http://www.parentslead.org>), which features both parent and professional portals, each offering tips, tools, and resources. Parents LEAD maintains a mailing list where parents can sign up to receive monthly, age- or topic-specific emails (e.g., toddler, divorce) and has a social media presence on Facebook and Twitter. Additionally, Parents LEAD engages in various outreach efforts such as presenting at professional development conferences (e.g., mental health, addiction provider, school counselor) or local public events, and utilizes traditional mass media (e.g., commercials, PSAs). Parents LEAD is a collaboration between the ND Department of Human Services, ND Department of Transportation, and ND University System.

Juvenile Drug Court

Program serves specific or general population	Specific population
Number of youth served	91
Number of parents served	182
Number of caregivers served	56
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable

URL for more program information:

No data

Program Description: The Juvenile Drug Court program is aimed at reducing alcohol and substance abuse and delinquent and unruly acts of North Dakota juveniles. It is under the supervision of the North Dakota Supreme Court. There are six juvenile drug courts throughout the state. Each drug court has a team that consists of a judge, prosecutor, defense counsel, court officer, treatment provider, coordinator, school representative, and law enforcement officer.

Electronic CheckUp To Go (e-CheckUp) for 1st-Year Students

Program serves specific or general population	Specific population
Number of youth served	6,128
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	Yes
URL for evaluation report:	No data
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: e-CheckUp is a personalized, evidence-based, online prevention and intervention tool originally developed by the psychologists at San Diego State University. Drawing on Motivational Interviewing (Miller & Rollnick, 2002) and Social Norms Theory (Perkins & Berkowitz, 1986), the e-CheckUp program is designed to motivate individuals to reduce their consumption using personalized information about their own drinking and risk factors, and provide those who have not yet chosen to drink with valuable information so that if they do choose to drink in the future, they are able to make well-informed decisions. It is also personalized to each campus, using the most recent alcohol and other drug survey information from that campus. The e-CheckUp takes approximately 15 minutes to complete (depending on the student). Students' personal feedback includes information that has shown to be particularly motivating to college-aged young adults, including quantity and frequency of alcohol use, amount of alcohol consumed, normative comparisons, physical health information, amount and percent of income spent on alcohol, negative consequences feedback, explanation, advice, and local referral information.

LIVE REAL Mentor Program (NDSU)

Program serves specific or general population	Specific population
Number of youth served	208
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	Yes
URL for evaluation report:	No data
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: The LIVE REAL Mentor Program is designed to increase knowledge within the largest campus community (North Dakota State University) about the effects of high-risk alcohol use, appropriately referring students to prevention and treatment services, communicating consistent messages that promote wellness and safety, and promoting a culture of safe and responsible attitudes toward alcohol. The program provides education and training for NDSU students, faculty, and staff who choose to identify themselves as a resource for students looking for guidance for their issues with alcohol and other drug abuse and who will actively seek to educate students about the effects of high-risk alcohol and other drug use. The program began in 2009 with one alcohol-focused session and has since been expanded to include a marijuana-focused session, as well as sessions related to family and genetic factors of addiction, the role of parents and caring adults in substance abuse prevention, alcohol and sexual violence, and an advanced session focused on brief motivational interviewing. The original 1-hour curriculum addresses the following: (1) rates of use/misuse of alcohol and other drugs by NDSU students; (2) prevention strategies used to decrease high-risk alcohol and other drug use; (3) recognition of signs/symptoms of alcohol and/or other drug misuse; (4) signs of alcohol poisoning and intervention strategies; (5) campus, city, and state laws related to alcohol and other drugs; and (6) effective referral strategies for students or colleagues that exhibit alcohol or other drug abuse problems.

Brief Alcohol Screening and Intervention for College Students (BASICS)

Program serves specific or general population	Specific population
Number of youth served	292
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	No
Evaluation report is available	Not applicable
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: BASICS training and implementation assistance is provided to 12 campuses in North Dakota. BASICS is a prevention program for college students who drink alcohol heavily and have experienced or are at risk for alcohol-related problems. BASICS follows a harm reduction approach and aims to motivate students to reduce alcohol use in order to decrease the negative consequences of drinking.

Before One More Campaign

Program serves specific or general population	Specific population
Number of youth served	3,000
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	Yes
URL for evaluation report:	http://www.ndsu.edu/fileadmin/alcoholinfo/B41M_Short_form_eval-final.pdf
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: The student-designed Before One More campaign focuses on reducing the harmful consequences that come from students making high-risk drinking decisions at the largest campus community in the state (ND State University). The campaign helps students understand when “one more” can become “one too many” by teaching them how to make low-risk decisions regarding alcohol use. For students under 21, one is one too many. Elements of the campaign include a website with educational material, t-shirt giveaways, key tags for the Herd Hauler safe ride program, extensive use of social media, and student-produced videos. The Campaign website is http://www.ndsu.edu/alcoholinfo/students/alcohol_before_one_more.

CHOICES With High-Risk Populations

Program serves specific or general population	Specific population
Number of youth served	638
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	No
Evaluation report is available	Not applicable
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: CHOICES is a brief alcohol abuse prevention and harm reduction program for college students involving interactive journaling. The program involves a 90-minute class, facilitated by professional staff or peers. Throughout the course, students are presented with information, and then they are able to reflect on what they have learned as it relates to their choices about drinking in their personal journals. CHOICES is presented to student-athletes (the state’s highest-risk college population subset) at four campuses and shared with first-year students in a classroom setting at three campuses. The program is shared in a nonconfrontational manner that enables students to make their own decisions about alcohol consumption.

Responsible Beverage Service (RBS) Training

Program serves specific or general population	General population
Number of youth served	Not applicable
Number of parents served	Not applicable
Number of caregivers served	Not applicable

Program has been evaluated	No
Evaluation report is available	Not applicable
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: The North Dakota Safety Council (NDSC) is partnering with communities and law enforcement throughout the state to implement RBS training. RBS is designed to educate owners, managers, servers, and sellers at alcohol establishments about strategies to avoid illegally selling alcohol to underage youth and intoxicated customers. The program comprises three 2-hour modules: Basic Server Course; Special Event Server Course; and Owners/Managers Course.

Alcohol Compliance Checks

Program serves specific or general population	General population
Number of youth served	Not applicable
Number of parents served	Not applicable
Number of caregivers served	Not applicable
Program has been evaluated	No
Evaluation report is available	Not applicable
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: Law enforcement agencies working with underage youth visited liquor stores, restaurants, and bars to check for compliance with laws that prohibit alcohol sales to people under age 21.

Tribal Substance Abuse Prevention Program

Program serves specific or general population	General population
Number of youth served	Not applicable
Number of parents served	Not applicable
Number of caregivers served	Not applicable
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: The Department of Human Services contracts with tribes and local tribal entities to provide culturally appropriate substance abuse prevention programs, policies, and practices. These programs follow the Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF) and work collaboratively with the tribal tobacco prevention programs. Substance abuse prevention programs are available on each reservation in North Dakota: Spirit Lake Nation, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, Three Affiliated Tribes (MHA Nation), and Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians.

Strategic Prevention Framework State Incentive Grant

Program serves specific or general population	General population
Number of youth served	Not applicable
Number of parents served	Not applicable
Number of caregivers served	Not applicable
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	http://ndspfsig.wikispaces.com

Program Description: The Department of Human Services' Division of Mental Health and Substance Abuse has awarded funding to 22 local public health units and the 4 tribes across the state to support local substance abuse prevention efforts targeting underage drinking and adult binge drinking. This funding will allow each community grantee, in collaboration with its community partners, to assess the community, develop a plan, and implement evidence-based strategies tackling underage and adult binge drinking, all while building local-level prevention infrastructure.

What's Your Buzz? Smart Phone Application

Program serves specific or general population	General population
Number of youth served	1,501
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: What's Your Buzz? is a new smart phone app that was developed through the North Dakota Higher Education Consortium for Substance Abuse Prevention. The app was designed to assist users, specifically students in North Dakota, in gaining a better understanding of what their blood alcohol concentration (BAC) is while they are consuming alcohol. The application features a notification when the user reaches a BAC of .08 (the threshold in North Dakota for driving under the influence of alcohol), a sober countdown that counts down for the user how many hours and minutes it will take for the user to reach a BAC of .00, and finally a "find a taxi" button that, when clicked, takes the user to a Google search of local taxi service.

Think About It

Program serves specific or general population	Specific population
Number of youth served	2,349
Number of parents served	No data
Number of caregivers served	No data
Program has been evaluated	Yes
Evaluation report is available	No
URL for evaluation report:	Not applicable
URL for more program information:	No data

Program Description: Think About It is an online alcohol, drug, and sexual violence educational program. The program includes robust modules that provide students with awareness and education of alcohol and drugs and their relation to sexual violence, and what a student should be aware of as a young adult new to the college setting. This program has been identified as best practice as it pertains to alcohol and drugs, and the new sexual violence element is an addition that will likely also be identified as a best practice. The University of North Dakota adopted this program and implemented it in 2014, with a significant number of first-year students (97% of the first-year student population) who completed the program. This program may expand to other campuses depending on the results from the University of North Dakota.

Additional Underage Drinking Prevention Programs Operated or Funded by the State

Program description: No data

Additional Clarification

No data

Additional Information Related to Underage Drinking Prevention Programs

State collaborates with federally recognized tribal governments in the prevention of underage drinking Yes

Description of collaboration: The North Dakota Department of Human Services provides federal funds to the four federally recognized tribes in the state to support culturally appropriate, local substance abuse prevention programming. The Department provides additional support in the form of training and technical assistance for these programs. The Department also funds the four tribes to implement the SPF SIG. The North Dakota Department of Transportation also involves tribal law enforcement in regional impaired driving prevention enforcement activities.

State has programs to measure and/or reduce youth exposure to alcohol advertising and marketing No

Description of program: Not applicable

State has adopted or developed best practice standards for underage drinking prevention programs Yes

Agencies/organizations that established best practices standards:

Federal agency(ies): SAMHSA, OJJDP, NHTSA Yes

Agency(ies) within your state: No

Nongovernmental agency(ies): No

Other: Evidence-Based Practices Workgroup (EBPW) - established at the onset of ND's SPF SIG Yes

SPF SIG

Best practice standards description: North Dakota follows evidence-based prevention through a focus on addressing risk and protective factors, following the Strategic Prevention Framework and the public health model, while emphasizing environmental strategies, such as enforcement. North Dakota prevention efforts are directed through a data-driven decisionmaking process.

Additional Clarification

No data

State Interagency Collaboration

A state-level interagency governmental body/committee exists to coordinate or address underage drinking prevention activities Yes

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ND Department of Human Services

ND Department of Health

ND Department of Transportation

ND Department of Public Instruction

ND Governor's Office

ND Office of the First Lady

ND Legislative Assembly Representatives

ND University System

ND Highway Patrol

ND Indian Affairs Commission

ND Students Against Destructive Decisions/Northern Lights Youth Services

ND Judiciary

Local Law Enforcement Representative

ND Addiction Counselor Representative

A website or other public source exists to describe committee activities No

URL or other means of access: Not applicable

Underage Drinking Reports

State has prepared a plan for preventing underage drinking in the last 3 years Yes

Prepared by: ND Department of Human Services

Plan can be accessed via: No data

State has prepared a report on preventing underage drinking in the last 3 years Yes

Prepared by: ND Department of Human Services

Plan can be accessed via: <http://www.nd.gov/dhs/prevention/SEOW>

Additional Clarification

No data

State Expenditures for the Prevention of Underage Drinking

<i>Compliance checks in retail outlets:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$0
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	12/31/2014
<i>Checkpoints and saturation patrols:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$128,151
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	12/31/2014
<i>Community-based programs to prevent underage drinking:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$180,000
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	12/31/2014
<i>K-12 school-based programs to prevent underage drinking:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	Data not available
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	Data not available
<i>Programs targeted to institutes of higher learning:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$56,811.35
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	12/31/2014
<i>Programs that target youth in the juvenile justice system:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	\$481,000
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	12/31/2014
<i>Programs that target youth in the child welfare system:</i>	
Estimate of state funds expended	Data not available
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	Data not available
<i>Other programs:</i>	
Programs or strategies included	Data not available
Estimate of state funds expended	Data not available
Estimate based on the 12 months ending	Data not available

Funds Dedicated to Underage Drinking

<i>State derives funds dedicated to underage drinking from the following revenue streams:</i>	
Taxes	No
Fines	No
Fees	No
Other	No data
<i>Description of funding streams and how they are used:</i>	Not applicable

Additional Clarification

State funds are not used for underage compliance checks, only federal funds.