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Simi Valley Task Force on Heroin Prevention
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SUPPORT

- Our Family Focus group meets on Sundays at Action Family Counseling. It continues to grow and is making a difference with the parents. We have developed strong ties and are reaching out into the community to bring support to parents who are struggling.
- Working with parents and addicts at the sober/recovery houses to repair the bond between the parents and kids.

EDUCATION

- Acquired copies of a documentary, "Overtaken", and received approval from the SVUSD to present it to students in grades 9-12 (expected for 2013-14 school year).
- Awaiting the green light from the school board to schedule age-appropriate presentations for students in 6th- 8th grade.
- Holding public meetings with guests such as a doctor and nurse from the Los Robles ER, and Sam Quinones from the LA Times, to help educate our community.
- Met with the faith-based groups to join with them promoting awareness and support.

RECOVERY

- Supported by the local gyms, boxing, MMA in getting kids to get back into shape.
- Continuing to get recovered addicts back to work when employment opportunities are available.
- Provided financial support to a local sober house.

CHANGE

- Representative will be attending the Fed Up! Rally ("For a Federal Response to the Opioid Epidemic") in Washington, D.C.
- Organized rally and walk for Simi Valley's 2nd Heroin Awareness Day.