

Pontotoc County Drug Free Coalition



Charles with his daughter Rachel, who is a member of STAND.

“Today there is lots of peer pressure and every little opportunity to keep kids away from drugs is worth taking. Being aware of some of the things out there is part of the solution.”

–Charles, parent of STAND member



Who We Are

We are a local group of volunteer community members collaborating efforts to prevent substance abuse and promote recovery. Our coalition is made up of over 70 members. We strive to make a difference in our county & the surrounding communities.

Why get involved?

- **Have your voice heard:** We want to know how to better serve parents in the county and know what is happening in our local community.
- **Up to date information:** PCDFC helps members stay current on local and state laws and trends related to alcohol & other drugs. PCDFC and partners provide free trainings in the community.
- **Make a difference in your community:** PCDFC offers various levels of involvement for parents to take action within the community. Start by joining us for a monthly meeting!
- **Youth Involvement:** STAND or “Students Taking a New Direction” provides many activities and opportunities for youth to make positive changes within the community.

Come join us for a meeting! See meeting details below.



STAND student, Andrew, shooting a television PSA at Cable One.

“I really enjoyed getting to produce the T.V. commercial. It was fun to see how they do that at Cable One. I learned a lot, and it was nice to see the effect it had on the community and that people were really watching it and so that was really nice.”

–Andrew, STAND member