INDIANA COLLEGE SUBSTANCE USE SURVEY

Why participate?

- Schools will receive information on their students’ substance use, consequences of use, what students think their peers are doing, mental health concerns, and gambling behaviors. Each school will receive a report of their campus results, comparing their data to the statewide data.

How to participate?

- There’s no cost to participate.
- The survey is online. Each school will send an invitation email to their students asking them to participate. The email will contain the link students need to access the survey. Students will have 2 weeks to take the survey.
- Schools need to administer the survey between February 1 and their Spring break.
- Schools can add up to ten additional questions on any topic they would like.
- If schools want to add an incentive (e.g., chance to win 1 of 3 $50 Target gift cards) that can be added to the end of the survey.
- Schools should check with their Internal Review Board (IRB) to see if they need to submit paperwork to be reviewed (some schools do and some don’t).
- Schools will receive an electronic report of findings broken down by gender and age, and comparing their data with the statewide data. They will also receive their raw data.
- The state report and a sample school report are at http://drugs.indiana.edu/indiana-college-survey/substance-use-survey.
- The survey is funded by the Indiana Division of Mental Health and Addiction.
- For more information or to register contact Rosie King icsus@indiana.edu