

# COMMUNITIES THAT CARE®

## Adolescent Problem Behaviors

RISK FACTORS	SUBSTANCE ABUSE	DELINQUENCY	TEEN PREGNANCY	SCHOOL DROP-OUT	VIOLENCE
<b>Community</b>					
Availability of Drugs	x				x
Availability of Firearms		x			x
Community Laws/Norms Favorable Toward Drug Use, Firearms & Crime	x	x			x
Media Portrayals of Violence					x
Transitions and Mobility	x	x		x	
Low Neighborhood Attachment/Community Disorganization	x	x			x
Extreme Economic Deprivation	x	x	x	x	x
<b>Family</b>					
Family History of Problem Behavior	x	x	x	x	x
Family Management Problems	x	x	x	x	x
Family Conflict	x	x	x	x	x
Favorable Parental Attitudes and Involvement in Problem Behavior	x	x			x
<b>School</b>					
Early and Persistent Antisocial Behavior	x	x	x	x	x
Academic Failure Beginning in Late Elementary School	x	x	x	x	x
Lack of Commitment to School	x	x	x	x	x
<b>Individual/Peer</b>					
Alienation and Rebelliousness	x	x		x	
Friends Who Engage in the Problem Behavior	x	x	x	x	x
Favorable Attitudes Toward the Problem Behavior	x	x	x	x	
Early Initiation of the Problem Behavior	x	x	x	x	x
Constitutional Factors	x	x			x