

HEROIN IN OUR COMMUNITY:

What Everyone Needs to Know

Please join us for an evening of learning and discussion about this issue that affects us all and is taking the lives of our young people.

Monday November 11, 2013

7:00 - 8:30 PM

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church
19001 Jackson St NE
East Bethel, Minnesota 55011

Carol Falkowski, Keynote speaker

This fast-paced presentation will address the newest trends in youth drug abuse in the Twin Cities based on the most recent available data from multiple sources about:

- Heroin and the nonmedical use of prescription painkillers
- Why the increases in abuse? How far reaching is the impact?
- How can you tell if your child is using?
- What can parents, schools and concerned friends and family do?

This will be followed by Q&A with a panel of key community members.

Carol Falkowski is considered Minnesota's foremost drug abuse expert and is author of the reference book *Dangerous Drugs*. Falkowski is CEO of Drug Abuse Dialogues, following a distinguished career in the public sector as a policymaker and drug abuse epidemiologist, and with Hazelden as director of research communications. Her comments and opinions have appeared in USA TODAY, the New York Times, the TODAY Show, NPR, and CNN to name a few.

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