

# **Opioid Affected Youth Initiative**



# **June 2023** Newsletter

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## **Baltimore Mayor Says City-Wide Youth** Curfew "Not about arresting them."

For well over 50 years, Memorial Day has marked the beginning of the summer season. This summer is marked with more than ball games and cookouts; there is also a major change in the lives of young people in Baltimore City. As of Friday, May 26, a curfew is in effect for kids in Baltimore City. From Sunday to Thursday, teenagers who are 14-16 years old will have to be inside by 10 pm and 11 pm weekends. Those under 14 will have to be inside by 9 pm 7 days a week. Penalties for being out after curfew include fines for the parents and community service. While Baltimore County does not have a curfew in effect, its police department has stated that it will deploy resources as needed.

### **KNOW YOUR RIGHTS**

If you are stopped by the police, on the street, or in a car:

- Always ask if you are free to leave (even if you are a passenger). If you are free to leave, do so calmly and quietly
- If you are not free to leave, stay silent.

If the police ask to search you or your belongings:

Say, "I do not consent."

If the police are already searching you or your belongings and ask if you have anything illegal:

Always remain silent.

If the police are trying to search your home:

- Ask if they have a warrant. If they do not have a warrant, you can ask them to leave.
- If they have a warrant, read the warrant. Officers can only search for the areas/items listed on the warrant.
- An arrest warrant allows police to enter the home of the person listed on the warrant if they believe the person is inside.
- · Remain silent and do not have to make any statements without a lawyer.

If you are arrested or charged with a crime:

- Apply for a Public Defender or retain private counsel as soon as possible.
- Ask for a lawyer immediately.
- Say you wish to remain silent and do not admit to anything
- Do not sign anything, say anything or make decisions without a lawyer.
- Do not make any statements on jail calls or in visitor booths. You are being recorded.
- Do not discuss your case with anyone.



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BALTIMORE POLICE DEPARTMENT Post-Curfew Offsite Engag

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# Post-Curfew Offsite Engageme 1. Team arrives and/or identifies the n for curfew engagement 2. Social worker and peer ambassador engage 3. Ask - Youth agree to go to center? 4. Discuss what youth can expect around security and engagement 5. Document attempt

ENGAGEMENT CENTER

TRANSPORTATION STAFF

PARENT/GUARDIAN

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CHILD/YOUTH

**FEATURED ARTICLES:** 

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### June Awareness

National Cancer Survivors Day (June 6) Lurie Children's Day (June 9) Family Health and Fitness Day (June 12) Autistic Pride Day (June 18) National Safety Month Scoliosis Awareness Month Pride Month

Men's Health Awareness Month Gun Violence Awareness Month Alzheimer's Awareness Month Immigrant Heritage Month PTSD Awareness Month

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**Community Resources** Please Click the Links for Resources

- Planet Fitness High School Summer Pass Job readiness Workshops/1 pm-2 p
- Professional Resume Writing Services
- June 2nd, 16th & 30th- <u>Lawyer in the Library: Free Help</u> for <u>Civil Legal Issues</u>/ 2 pm-5 pm Every Tuesday and Thursday <u>Free Clothing, Food, and</u> <u>Furniture/</u>9 am-2 pm
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- Every Tuesday <u>Clothing Boutique</u>/3:30 pm-6:30 pm

- June 6th & 20th Precious Baby Pantry of Love/10 am-11 June 28th - <u>Free Food & Diapers</u>/ 1 pm-2 pm
- May 31st <u>Diaper Distribution (must live in 21206)</u>/1 pm-2 pm

- Every Thursday Free Fresh Food Boxes/12 pm-4 pm
- Every Friday <u>Free Food</u>/11 am-12 pm Every Mon., Tues., Thurs. <u>Public Food Pantry Balt. City</u>
- June 1st-COVID-19 Economic Recovery Quarterly Job
- June 3th <u>- 50+ Senior Job Fair</u>/12 pm June 3td <u>50+ Senior Job Fair</u>/12 pm June 5th-23td <u>Free Commercial Transportation</u> <u>Training</u>
- Every Tues & Thurs- <u>Supportive Job Services</u>/12 pm-4 pm Workforce Training McCormick Spice Company Free CNA/GNA Training and Job Placement
- Full Circle Auto Repair and Training Center Baltimore Sewn Trades Training Program
- Free Training in Building Services

## Tips and Fun Things to Do Around **Baltimore this Summer**

1. Please follow the youth curfews, mall curfews, and know your rights

2. Want to stay cool? Attend the <u>monthly teen pool</u> <u>parties</u>. Go to Baltimore City recreation parks to find your closest pool.

3. Want to build your self-esteem and confidence or start a healthy routine to get active during the summer? Then join Planet Fitness and receive a <u>High</u> <u>School Summer Pass</u> at any location.

4. <u>Summer job or job training</u> for weekly job postings and get <u>free 40 Lyft rides</u> if you qualify.

5. Information Summer Hub for Baltimore City with all the camps, teen events, volunteer opportunities for youth, summer meal locations, and school programs for the summer.

6. Visit your local museums, parks, and libraries.