

Narconon Arrowhead

Drug Rehabilitation and Education Services

Community Involvement News

Narconon Arrowhead Community Involvement Specialist

The Narconon Arrowhead Anniversary event was held in McAlester, Oklahoma on Sept 20, 2003. The event was a huge success. Before the event we took the opportunity to get all of the Community Involvement Specialists, (CIS) together for a meeting. Robert Newman, the Field Control Supervisor for Narconon Arrowhead started the meeting. The Community Involvement Specialist In Charge, DannaSue Kelley had the opportunity to recognize three outstanding Narconon Arrowhead graduates for their community involvement activities over the past year.

The three graduates are, Joe Meints, David Jorgenson, and Kimbra Carlyle. Each of these individuals have taken action in their communities by being in contact with the people of their community, such as the police officers, criminal attorneys, community groups, and individuals.

These three graduates have taken a stand against the widespread problem of addiction. By stepping into a leadership role, they helped save a number of lives and are commended for their actions.

Good Job to Joe, David, and Kimbra!



Photograph: Joe Meints, CIS: Clear Lake Iowa. Pictured with his reward for 2003 CIS Graduate of the year. Also Pictured, Bobby Newman, Field Control Supervisor and DannaSue Kelley, Community Involvement Specialist In Charge.

Thank you so much for the award that you presented me. I am pleased to be contributing to the group that helped me get back on the road to happiness. Any time a person benefits from the work I do on behalf of Narconon, I am elated. I count my blessings every day that I was able to get the quality help that the dedicated staff at Narconon Arrowhead provided me with. I love my life! Thank you for getting me to where I am today.

David L. Jorgenson



Photograph: David Jorgenson, CIS, St. Louis Missouri. Pictured with his reward for 2003 CIS Graduate of the year.



Photograph: Kimbra Carlyle, CIS, Rapid City South Dakota. Pictured with her reward for 2003 CIS Graduate of the year.

Being in the Narconon program is only the beginning of a new journey. Using the tools and skills provided by Narconon allows you to succeed beyond your wildest imaginings. Always keep your belief in yourself!

Kimbra Carlyle

*The Narconon Arrowhead Community
Involvement Specialist(s) of the
year 2003!*

Narconon Arrowhead Community Involvement Specialist Of The Year

For the year 2003 Narconon Arrowhead had two Community Involvement Specialist of the year that we wanted to recognize.

Allison King of Jonesboro Arkansas, having been instrumental in saving 25 lives in the year 2003 is hereby commended. She has sent in over 1,100 information requests to Narconon Arrowhead and is strongly involved in her community. Allison has been involved with the Narconon program for over 3 years! With the assistance of her mom, Pat, she has visited local Jonesboro attorneys, places information in her area, maintains a website and promotes through the newspapers.

Brenda Gioletti of Tulsa Oklahoma, having been influential in saving 18 lives in the year 2003 is hereby commended. She sent in over 1,000 information requests to Narconon Arrowhead and is strongly involved in her community. Brenda has been involved with the Narconon program for over 5 years! Brenda is also heavily involved in her community. She maintains a website and assists with many reference calls from parents of prospective students.

Allison and Brenda your dedication to the promotion of Narconon Arrowhead and the Narconon Program are greatly appreciated.

Congratulations and keep up the good work!

Thank you for this acknowledgement, it is an honor to receive it. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Eric Mitchell, Bobby Newman and all the staff of Div. 6 for their hard work and dedication. I would especially like to thank DannaSue for her continued support and encouragement, for knowing what is wanted and needed before it is asked of her and for her hard work on behalf of me and all of the CIS's. Narconon Arrowhead is a special place to me, as it is to many others, and it is full of special people that make more of a positive impact in the lives of others, more of a positive impact in our society, in a single day than countless numbers of people will ever do in a lifetime and I am so proud to be associated with such a group.

Thanks so much,
Allison King

Allison King , not photographed. Allison is a CIS from Jonesboro Arkansas. Allison received a reward for being the 2003 Community Involvement Specialist of the year. Allison was recognized for being instrumental in saving 25 lives in the year 2003.

Being an Community Involvement Specialist has given me a new purpose in life. It is a very good feeling to help some one get help for their drug addiction. I am thankful for the opportunity that I have had to work with Narconon Arrowhead. I know when I talked to Narconon to get help for my own daughter, to find out that there was a program that involved the sauna program and being able to rid the body of its toxins was a really important factor to me. Everyone at Narconon Arrowhead was so helpful. I know when I have a referral to send in, it is going to be handled in a professional, efficient and polite manner.

I would like to thank Narconon Arrowhead for this reward and I am excited to know that the work I am doing with Narconon is making a difference.

Brenda Gioletti

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Get Involved With Narconon Arrowhead

I want to first begin with defining the words, community, involvement, and specialist. As defined by the Webster's II New College Dictionary:

- **Community:** The area or locality in which such a group resides.

- **Involvement:** Must be defined as two words.

Involvement: To Include or contain as a part.

Involvement: Action: Process.

- **Specialist:** One who has devoted oneself to a particular branch of study or research.

So, by definition a Community Involvement Specialist (CIS) is a person who has devoted oneself to taking action and being included with the group of people residing in the same area or locality in which the person lives.

Now, for the pioneering soul, for the go-getter in every one of us, this of course doesn't limit you to your immediate area. The goal is to contact and save as many people as possible. So the necessary action is to get out there and contact as many people as possible.

You may ask, "How do I do that?." Well, the first thing you want to do is sit down and draw out a battle plan for what goals you would like to achieve and any ideas that you have that can help you to achieve these goals.

Here are some ideas you will want to try:

- Find out what drug prevention programs are in your calling area. These are groups that support anti-drug and anti-alcohol activities. Many of these groups are linked to local schools, legislature, and civil groups.

Let them know that you want to get involved and see what you can do to help. By associating yourself with these groups, when the group is contacted by a family or person reaching for help the group will know to call you.

- Go to your local Police Department. Law enforcement officers and sheriffs come into contact daily with people who are battling drug and alcohol addiction. Let the police department know that you are a specialist with Narconon Arrowhead and let the officers know how to contact you if they come into contact with a person or family that needs assistance.
- Contact the local hospital. On a daily basis many hospitals have patients come in that have overdosed on drugs or alcohol. Get with the lead nurse or with a counselor at the hospital and let them know who you are. Give them your contact information, information about Narconon Arrowhead and assure them that you are there to help.
- Contact local counseling centers. Individuals and families often go to counseling centers trying to seek assistance with drug or alcohol abuse. All too often this abuse is tearing their family apart and they seek help to try and hold things together. In many cases individuals that have been convicted of a drug or alcohol related crime are court ordered to counseling. Call each of the centers or if they are close by stop in and talk to the counselors or the office manager. Let them know that you are a specialist with Narconon Arrowhead, leave them some brochures and your business cards so they will know how to contact you.

These suggestions are just a few of the ways that you can get involved. There is so much in your community that you can help with. Get involved! The time to save a life is right now. Good Luck!

*DannaSue Kelley
Community Involvement Specialist I/C*



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Delivering a new, proven approach to drug rehabilitation and prevention.

Narconon Arrowhead Attends Pride Youth Conference in St. Louis, Missouri



"It was great to see thousands of drug free youth and adults all in one place!"



March 31st 2004 to April 2nd 2004 a Pride Youth Conference was held in St. Louis, Missouri. Thousands of youth from all over the United States and the surrounding countries attended the event. The youth came together at the St. Louis convention center to support a Drug Free world! There was a fantastic awards show that honored many outstanding youths for the work that they have been doing in educating other youths about the dangers of drugs and alcohol. The awards show was followed by a fantastic dinner and several guest speakers.

Brien Carella, a Drug Education Specialist with Narconon Arrowhead was invited to attend the event. Brien stated "It was great to see thousands of drug free youth and adults all in one place!" During his visit to St. Louis Brien was able to go to the Naval Junior High Academy to provide them with a Narconon Drug Education Presentation.

Narconon Arrowhead has been invited to attend the youth conference in St. Louis next year and to be guest speakers. We look forward to the exciting event. We hope you will come out and join us for the fun and show your support for our drug free youth!

