



NOTIFICATION TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS

TAKING PRIDE IN PREVENTION (TPIP)

Program Provider: Eaton Regional Education Service Agency (RESA)

Program Location: Bath Township Public Library on March 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 2026 (3:00-4:00 p.m.)

The Eaton Regional Education Service Agency (RESA) is providing the Making Proud Choices program to adolescents in the area. Making Proud Choices is an evidenced-based, safer sex approach to teen pregnancy and HIV/STI prevention. This program is designed to give adolescents the tools they need to reduce their risk of unintended pregnancy, HIV, and other STIs by providing them with factual information and skills to adopt less risky behaviors. This program is federally funded by the State Personal Responsibility Education Program from the Family and Youth Services Bureau, Administration for Children and Families. Page two is a preview of the units of study in each of the above content area(s), and a capture of what adolescents can expect.

- ☐ If you are interested in reviewing the material prior to the start of the class, please check this box. We will reach out to you with the date/time.
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My child, _____, can participate in Taking Pride in Prevention with Eaton RESA at the Bath Township Public Library. Please include the child's *first and last* name.

"Each youth will take a survey at the start and end of the program. The surveys will evaluate the effectiveness of the program by measuring changes in personal beliefs and health behaviors. Surveys will not be labeled with names, and all data will be kept confidential and stored securely. If you have questions about the program or need additional information, please contact Kara Anderson (MDHHS) or Erin Edgerton (MPHI)."

Federal Survey:

- ☐ My child **CAN** take part of the Federal Survey at the beginning and end of class.
- ☐ My child **CANNOT** take part of the Federal Survey at the beginning and end of class.

Parent Name

Phone Number

Parent Signature

Date

Facilitator Signature

Received Date

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Take Pride In Prevention (TPIP) Outline

Making Proud Choices Curriculum

Eaton Regional Education Service Agency's Taking Pride In Prevention Program utilizes the Making Proud Choices Curriculum with a total of 8 modules. Below are the titles of the modules. Each module includes various activities, including group discussions, videos, educator lectures, games, and worksheet activities.

If you would like to opt your child out of individual modules, please indicate below by checking the box. Please see the attached documentation for a description of each module.

Opt My Child Out
of This Lesson

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Module 1: Getting to know you and steps to making your dreams come true |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Module 2: A Possible Outcome of Unprotected Sex: HIV Infection |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Module 3: Attitudes About Sex, HIV and Condom Use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Module 4: Strategies for Preventing HIV Infection: Stop, Think, and Act |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Module 5: Possible Outcomes of Unprotected Sex: STIs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Module 6: A Possible Outcome of Unprotected Sex: Pregnancy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Module 7: Enhancing Refusal and Negotiation Skills |

What students can expect during class:

- Factual knowledge on HIV/AIDS, STIs, pregnancy and contraceptives.
- A safe space to discuss questions related to the above knowledge points.
- Coloring sheets, fidgets, soft music to help with talking about and processing information comfortably.
- Incentives for participation such as raffles for free swag items and snacks.
- Community resources and leads for their future plans.

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