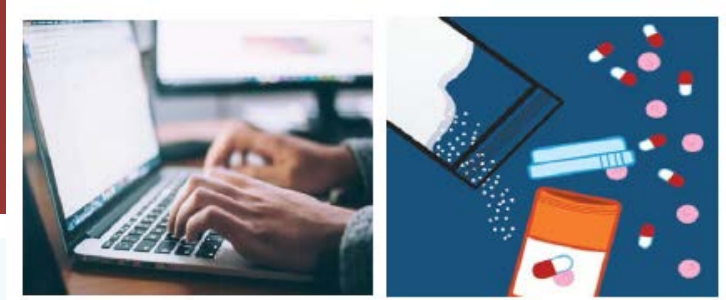


ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND OTHER DRUG (ATOD) EDUCATION



Beginning April 26, 2020

This is an online course with asynchronous learning design.

It is widely recognized that problems related to drug use, misuse, and abuse pervade our society at all levels. While use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs (ATOD) can have a profound effect on many important aspects of an individual's life, including mental, emotional, social, physical, and spiritual health and success in school and/or work, very few people have had any direct education about factors related to drug use. Education at the school and community level is critical to reducing problems that arise from ATOD use.

This course is offered so that teachers and health and guidance personnel have a sufficient level of professional development to enable them to competently teach or provide other services required in the school's alcohol and drug abuse prevention education program. Participants apply the course teachings in a practical personal, school, or community-based project.

Instructional methods include review of research based literature, small and large-group discussion, audiovisual and other media, student and community presentations and assessment.

Schedule

The ATOD course begins the evening of April 26, 2020 with a virtual orientation meeting. Final paper is due June 20, 2020

Cost

Cost to take the course for 1 graduate credit - **\$820.00**

Cost to audit the course for no-credit - **\$520.00**

Tuition is not required to register but must be paid before course begins

Credits

Students taking the course for credit and successfully complete the course will receive 1 graduate credit through Union Institute and University.



This online course is offered as one of the series of courses by the Vermont Higher Education Collaborative toward health education endorsement.



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