THE SOUTH DAKOTA PREVENTION FRAMEWORK WAS DEVELOPED TO CREATE COMMON LANGUAGE AND A PROCESS WHEN DOING PREVENTION PROGRAMMING

**STEPS**

**ASSESS**
1. Utilize existing data and/or gather new data
2. Assess resources (partners, funding, priorities, etc)

**PLAN**
3. Identify the key issue(s) and look into “why” this issue occurs
4. Identify programs available
5. Develop an action plan

**IMPLEMENT**
6. Monitor progress
7. Adapt the program if needed

**EVALUATE**
8. Assess the process and the outcomes
9. Share outcomes and successes
10. Identify new areas of need

**GOOD**
- Data collected at your local organization
- 1-2 partners involved

**BETTER**
- Utilize state data
- 3-4 multi-sector partners

**BEST**
- Utilize state and local data
- 5+ partners/coalition

**CULTURAL COMPETENCY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

**GOOD**
- Locally developed program
- Includes program activities

**BETTER**
- Evidence-based to address one issue
- Includes activities, timelines, assigned partners

**BEST**
- Evidence-based to address multiple issues
- Develop logic model

**GOOD**
- Implement the program
- No ability to adapt

**BETTER**
- Monitor progress mid-way
- Adapt mid-way if needed

**BEST**
- Monitor and report progress regularly
- Adapt regularly if needed

**GOOD**
- Outcomes based on word of mouth
- Shared with participants

**BETTER**
- Participant survey
- Share with community/partners

**BEST**
- Public health data
- Share statewide and nationally

Additional guidance and resources on the Prevention Framework are available at prevention.sd.gov.

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