

ADAPT PROGRAM 2018-2019

ALCOHOL/DRUG ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR TEENS

The Cranford Board of Education, Administration and staff members care about the health, safety and welfare of all students who attend Cranford High School. We expect our students to represent themselves, their families and our school in a positive and socially acceptable manner both in and out of school.

At times, some level of educational intervention may be necessary and warranted to educate students on the dangers associated with poor decision making as it relates to drugs and alcohol. The ADAPT program is designed to provide preventative intervention services that are educational and therapeutic. **It is not intended to be disciplinary.**

The following criteria will qualify a student to participate in our mandatory ADAPT program:

1. Referral by a student's parent;
2. Positive result from a drug/alcohol screen;
3. Student admission of drug or alcohol use;

A student may retain the privilege of confidentiality by disclosing involvement with alcohol/drugs with our Counselor, their Coach or other school official. **Assuming that the disclosure is a request for assistance, the student will be encouraged to attend ADAPT classes.**

4. Information from Cranford police/court (school sponsored event or non-school sponsored event)

Per the NJ Statute 2A: 4A-60 and the "Uniform State Memorandum of Agreement Between Education and Law Enforcement Officials," the revised law permits law enforcement or prosecuting agencies to disclose information regarding juveniles who are under investigation when that information may be useful in maintaining order, safety or discipline in the school or to planning programs relevant to the juvenile's educational and social development." (Memorandum of Agreement 2011, Article 5.1, page 23);

5. Referral by a student's parent for smoking, and/or the use of tobacco, nicotine, vaping devices or other products and devices related to smoking or the use of tobacco.

6. A student is in possession of or is caught in the act of smoking or using tobacco, nicotine, vaping devices or other products related to the use of tobacco.

Participation in the ADAPT program is educational, and is separate and apart from any discipline that may be imposed upon a student for violation of school policies and practices and the Athletic Code of Conduct, if applicable.

Once in the program, a student is expected to be on time, and fully engaged. A student arriving late for a class session will be expected to complete an additional 1 page response assignment. A student arriving more than 5 minutes late will need to re-take that particular session. A student that is disruptive during a class session will be asked to leave, and will then have to repeat that particular session.

Note:

A student's successful compliance with an Intensive Outpatient program (IOP) or an approved offsite educational awareness program shall negate the requirement to participate in the ADAPT program. Proof of successful completion or recommendations from an approved drug treatment facility or other approved program, as referenced herein shall be provided to the District in writing.

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STUDENT REFERRED TO ADAPT BASED ON CRITERIA 1-4

STUDENT NAME: _____ Criteria # _____

_____ Parent notification by school administration of reported offense

_____ Parent/Guardian arranges for immediate exam (within 2 hours) and drug screen at district's medical facility
The Care Station, 328 W. St. Georges Avenue, Linden, NJ 07036 (908) 925-2273
or

Parent/Guardian may take child to qualified physician of his/her choosing (at parent/guardian expense)
As provided by law, physician approval shall indicate that the student is physically and mentally able to return to school.

_____ Written report of a medical clearance form must be furnished to principal, superintendent, school nurse and SAC
by examining physician within 24 hours, due to the change in health history.

*** _____ Participation in athletics requires an updated completion of the athletic participation forms found on the
Cranford High School Athletics website, and then will be submitted for approval to the school physician.**

*Following medical clearance by the school physician, student athletes are required to participate in six practices,
equivalent to the start of the season rule, implemented by the NJSIAA, to demonstrate that they are physically fit,
healthy and able to return to competition, games and/or scrimmages.

_____ Parent/Guardian and student conference with SAC/designee to schedule ADAPT program hours

_____ Student completion of 8 educational program sessions, during zero period, **or** as scheduled by the ADAPT
Coordinator.

--Non-compliance with the above ADAPT Program requirements **may** result in the student's inability to
attend/participate in all school-sponsored activities.

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STUDENT REFERRED TO ADAPT BASED ON CRITERIA 5 OR 6

STUDENT NAME: _____ Criteria # _____

_____ Parent notification by school administration of reported offense

_____ Parent/Guardian and student conference with SAC/designee to schedule ADAPT program hours

_____ Student completion of 8 educational program sessions, during zero period, **or** as scheduled by the ADAPT Coordinator.

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