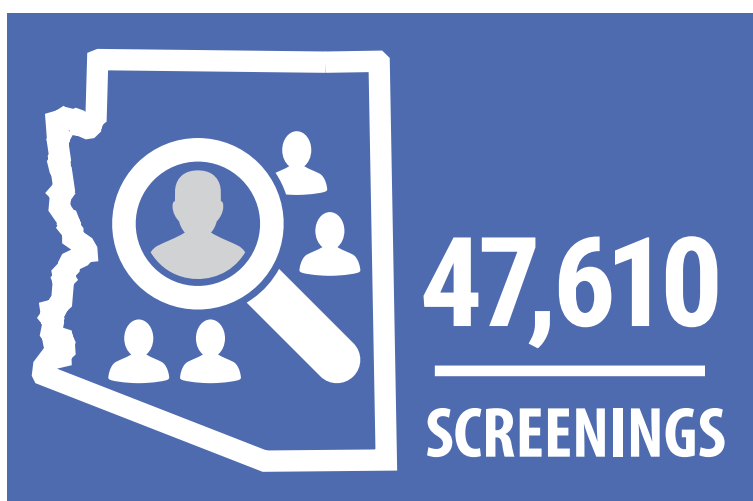


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Screening, Intervention and Referrals Program Targets Arizona Substance Abuse



Substance abuse is the number one preventable health issue facing Arizona, with tens of thousands of alcohol and drug abuse related ER visits and inpatient discharges recorded each year. Through a five-year federal grant award, the Governor's Office of Youth, Faith and Family has implemented a program that performed more than **47,610 screenings resulting in 3,386 brief interventions, 706 brief treatments and 956 referrals for treatment** between October 2012 and March 2017. While the grant limited implementation to clinics and healthcare facilities, GOYFF is working with Northern Arizona University Health Clinic to use the program as an effective screening tool for students. Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment also has been shown to be an effective tool to screen high school students for substance abuse issues.