



# GARFIELD PREVENTION COALITION

WHO ARE WE?  
COMMUNITY MEMBERS WORKING TOGETHER  
FOR A HEALTHIER GARFIELD.

**Goals:**

1. Reduce youth substance abuse within the city of Garfield
2. Change perceptions regarding marijuana use, tobacco use, and underage drinking in the city of Garfield.
3. Provide youth with skills to become leaders of tomorrow
4. Support Garfield in becoming a culturally aware and deeply bonded community
5. Work collaboratively in becoming a healthier community

**Accomplishments:**

1. As of 2013, the Garfield Prevention Coalition received federal funding to assist in prevention efforts.
2. The Garfield Prevention Coalition has built and continues to build strong working relationships with community partners within the city of Garfield including local government, the YMCA, the Health Department and Garfield schools.

The Coalition meets the 2nd  
Thursday of the month

Garfield YMCA  
70 Outwater Ln  
Garfield, NJ 07026  
10 am - Noon  
6 pm - 8 pm

**Future Meeting Dates:**

**October 8, 2015**

**November 12, 2015**

**December 10, 2015**

**January 14, 2015**

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