



Tip Sheet for Parents

- 1** Open Dialogue: Talk frequently with your kids about the risks of drunk and drugged driving.

- 2** Set Clear Rules: Establish and enforce strict rules about not driving under the influence.

- 3** Educate on the Law: Ensure your teen understands the strict DUI laws and their consequences.

- 4** Monitor Events: Keep tabs during high-risk events like prom and offer safe transportation options.

- 5** Encourage Safe Choices: Promote the use of ride-sharing apps or designated drivers.

- 6** Model Responsible Behavior: Show responsible behavior with alcohol and driving.

- 7** Technology Tools: Use apps to ensure your teen's safe transportation.

- 8** Discuss Legal Repercussions: Make sure your children understand the legal penalties of DUIs.

- 9** Attend Workshops Together: Join DUI prevention workshops with your teen.

- 10** Reward Responsible Behavior: Praise and reward your teen for safe driving choices.

- 11** Know Your Teen's Friends: Be familiar with who your teen is spending time with and their attitudes towards alcohol.

- 12** Random Checks: Occasionally check on your teen's activities and whereabouts to ensure they are adhering to safe practices.

- 13** Provide Alternatives: Offer to be a safe ride option no questions asked, to ensure they always have a way out of an unsafe situation.

- 14** Set a Curfew: Implement a curfew to reduce the chances your teen is on the road during high-risk hours.

- 15** Incentivize Good Behavior: Offer incentives for continuous responsible behavior, like privileges or rewards.

