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Anti-smoking media campaign, youth effect

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Hopkins, et al. (2001) provides a useful definition of mass media campaigns that we use in determining whether a study fits within our meta-analysis. They define a mass media intervention as interventions "of an extended duration that use brief, recurring messages to inform and motivate individual to remain tobacco free." We append that definition only slightly to include interventions that motivate individuals to become tobacco free—in addition to remain tobacco free—to include mass media interventions aimed at cessation as well as prevention.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,535	Benefit to cost ratio	\$125.82
Taxpayers	\$813	Benefits minus costs	\$3,371
Other (1)	\$980	Probability of a positive net present value	99 %
Other (2)	\$70		
Total	\$3,398		
Costs	(\$27)		
Benefits minus cost	\$3,371		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$39	\$119	\$20	\$178
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$1,514	\$646	\$749	\$0	\$2,909
Health care (smoking)	\$20	\$128	\$112	\$64	\$324
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$14)	(\$14)
Totals	\$1,535	\$813	\$980	\$70	\$3,398

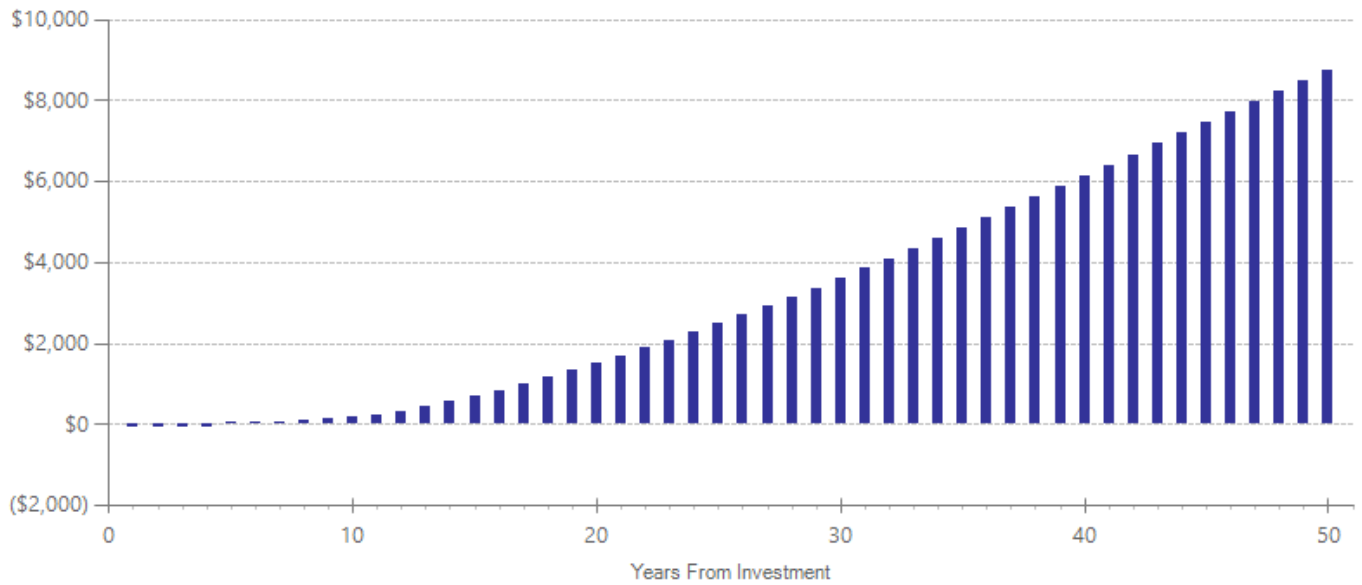
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$27	1	2012	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$27)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2012	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	20 %

Estimated weighted average costs based on (1) cost reported directly in the studies used in the meta analysis and (2) cost-effectiveness studies of media campaigns. We used an average cost based on the cost effectiveness studies and estimated this as the cost of study in the meta analysis if no cost was reported. Costs were weighted by the size of the study and then averaged.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
				ES	p-value	First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
						ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	6	9045	-0.047	0.006	-0.047	0.017	13	-0.047	0.017	18
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	2	2108	-0.294	0.001	-0.294	0.052	12	-0.294	0.052	15
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	2	2108	-0.194	0.001	-0.194	0.048	12	-0.194	0.048	15
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	2	2108	-0.254	0.001	-0.254	0.052	12	-0.254	0.052	15

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Enforcement of tobacco age-of-sale laws

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Age-of-sale laws are policies that aim to reduce supply of tobacco to youth, setting a minimum age of 18 for tobacco possession. Stricter enforcement of these laws includes increased compliance checks and fines to retailers who are caught selling tobacco to minors. These policies may also include minimal education to merchants about the laws and/or publicity about of the enforcement campaign.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,325	Benefit to cost ratio	\$399.16
Taxpayers	\$697	Benefits minus costs	\$2,288
Other (1)	\$125	Probability of a positive net present value	100 %
Other (2)	\$147		
Total	\$2,293		
Costs	(\$6)		
Benefits minus cost	\$2,288		

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Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$1,302	\$555	\$0	\$78	\$1,936
Health care (smoking)	\$22	\$142	\$125	\$71	\$360
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$3)	(\$3)
Totals	\$1,325	\$697	\$125	\$147	\$2,293

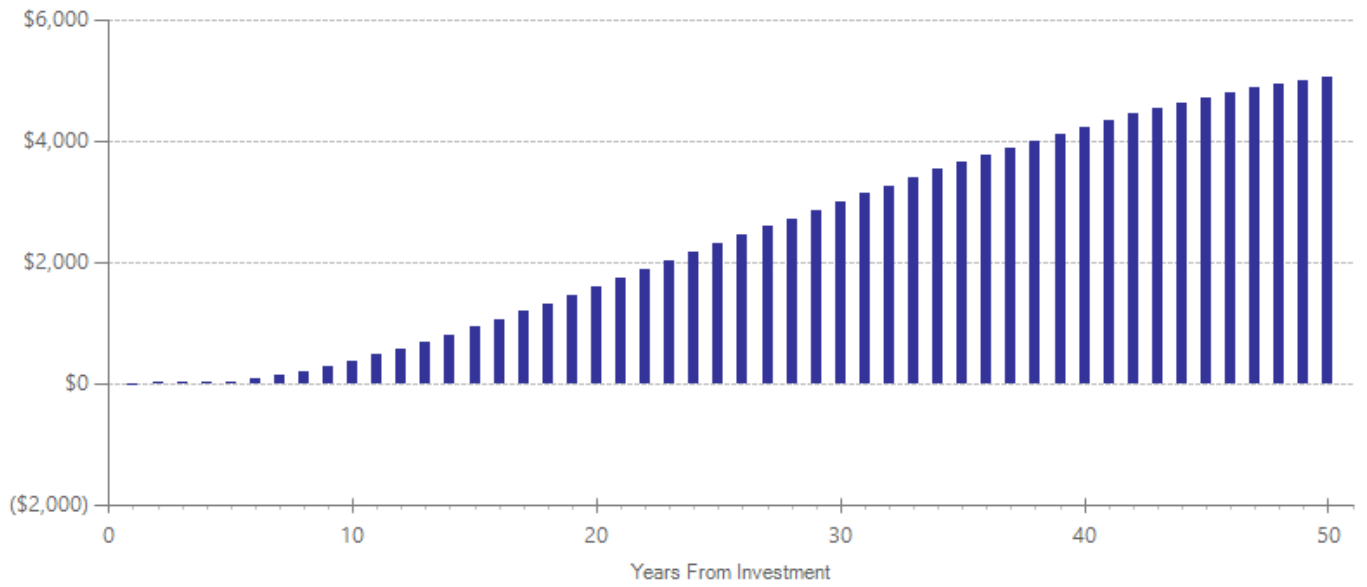
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$5	1	2001	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$6)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2001	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated as cost per youth smoker. Estimates of costs for compliance checks and outlet density per youth smoker from DiFranza, J.R., Peck, R.M., Radecki, T.E., & Savageau, J.A. (2001). What is the potential cost-effectiveness of enforcing a prohibition on the sale of tobacco to minors? Preventive medicine, 32(2), 168-174.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	2	6283	-0.114	0.002	-0.114	0.036	15	-0.114	0.036	18

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Anti-smoking media campaigns, adult effect

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

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Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,083	Benefit to cost ratio	\$55.38
Taxpayers	\$530	Benefits minus costs	\$1,865
Other (1)	\$64	Probability of a positive net present value	89 %
Other (2)	\$223		
Total	\$1,899		
Costs	(\$35)		
Benefits minus cost	\$1,865		

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Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$1,071	\$457	\$0	\$204	\$1,732
Health care (smoking)	\$12	\$73	\$64	\$36	\$185
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$17)	(\$17)
Totals	\$1,083	\$530	\$64	\$223	\$1,899

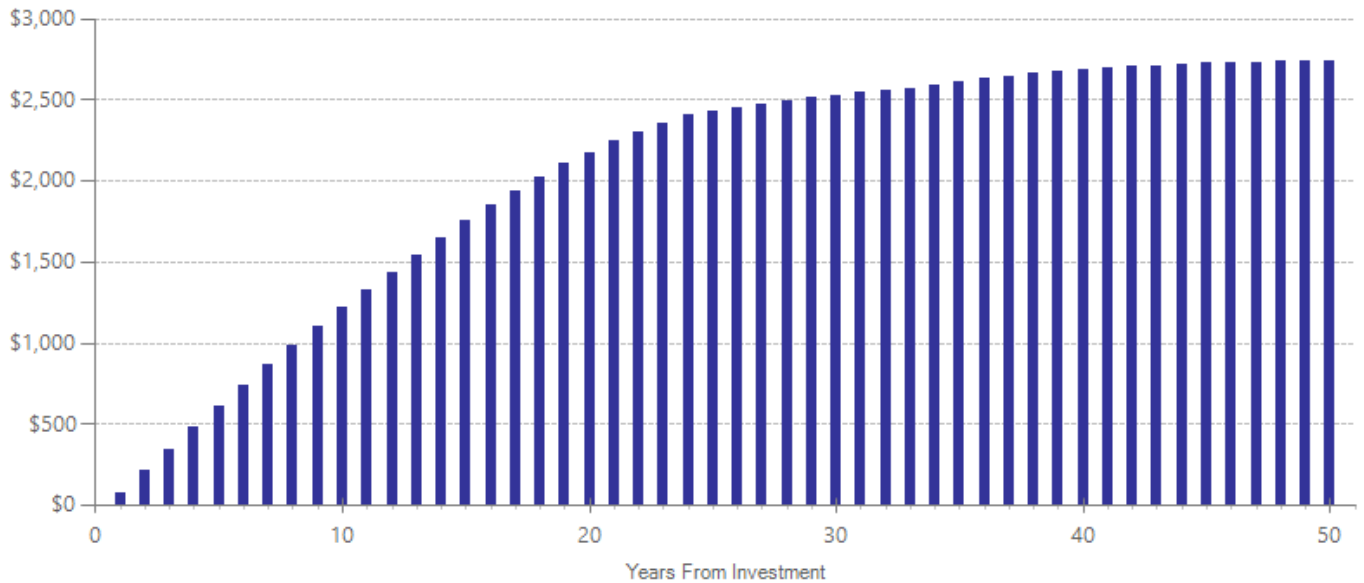
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$34	1	2012	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$35)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2012	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	20 %

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Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	7	3577	-0.060	0.262	-0.060	0.054	42	-0.060	0.054	43

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Access to tobacco quitlines

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Quitlines offer telephone counseling, frequently with nicotine replacement, to assist clients to quit smoking. Number of calls offered varies from one to five, depending on insurance plans.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$3,942	Benefit to cost ratio	\$158.44
Taxpayers	\$2,017	Benefits minus costs	\$33,225
Other (1)	\$316	Probability of a positive net present value	98 %
Other (2)	\$27,161		
Total	\$33,436		
Costs	(\$211)		
Benefits minus cost	\$33,225		

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Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$3,885	\$1,657	\$0	\$27,086	\$32,629
Health care (smoking)	\$57	\$360	\$316	\$181	\$914
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$106)	(\$106)
Totals	\$3,942	\$2,017	\$316	\$27,161	\$33,436

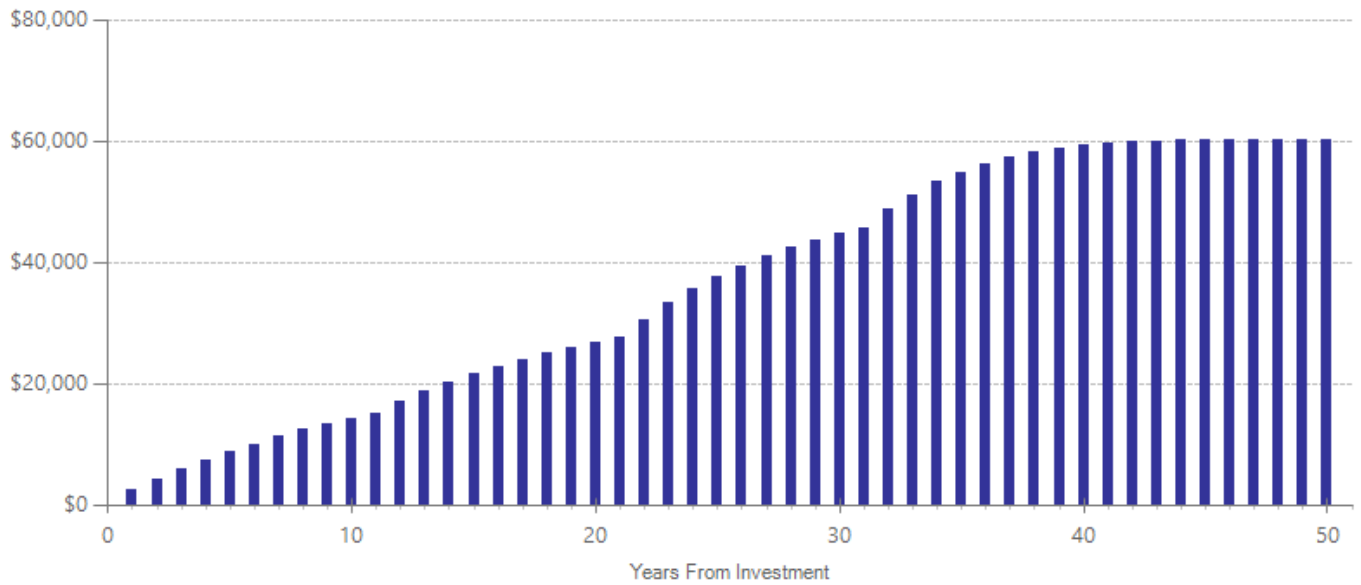
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$214	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$211)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Medicaid (and many private health insurance programs) fund quitlines at up to five calls and nicotine replacement therapy to about 1/4 of callers. Reimbursement at \$205 per person. (Email from Tonya Nichols at HCA and fee schedule for physician related services, code S9453).

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
				ES	p-value	First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
						ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	5	4612	-0.253	0.097	-0.253	0.153	54	-0.300	0.150	55

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Computer-based programs for smoking cessation

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Computer-based smoking cessation programs use either internet or software to assist smokers in their quit attempt. Programs have been targeted at both adolescents and adults. Generally, the programs involve selecting a quit date and provide tailored information to participants to help with quitting and maintenance of smoking abstinence.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$11,544	Benefit to cost ratio	\$782.07
Taxpayers	\$5,650	Benefits minus costs	\$30,760
Other (1)	\$684	Probability of a positive net present value	100 %
Other (2)	\$12,922		
Total	\$30,799		
Costs	(\$39)		
Benefits minus cost	\$30,760		

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Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$11,421	\$4,871	\$0	\$12,553	\$28,845
Health care (smoking)	\$123	\$779	\$684	\$389	\$1,974
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$20)	(\$20)
Totals	\$11,544	\$5,650	\$684	\$12,922	\$30,799

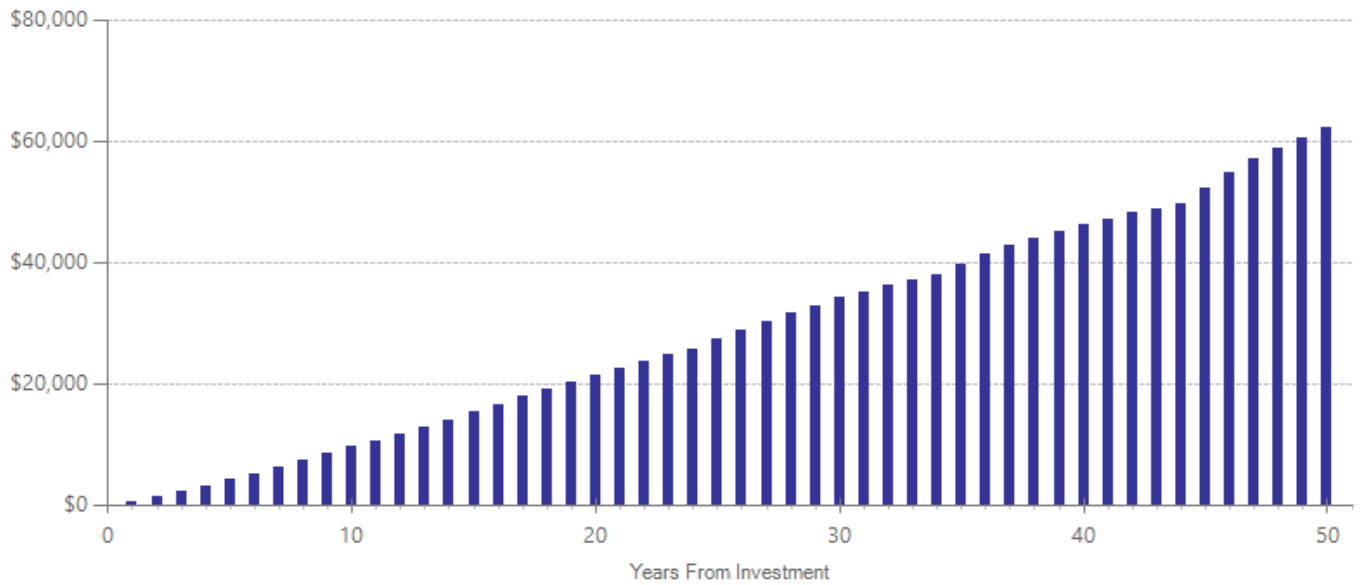
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$40	1	2012	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$39)
Comparison costs	\$1	1	2012	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

From Graham, A.L., Chang, Y., Fang, Y., Cobb, N.K., Tinkelman, D.S., Niaura, R.S., Abrams, D. & Mandelblatt, J.S. (2012). Cost-effectiveness of internet and telephone treatment for smoking cessation: an economic evaluation of The iQUIT Study. Tobacco control. I used their estimate for the cost of an enhanced website, as most interventions were interactive websites. I used the static website for control costs, as control group either received static website, no intervention, or a self-help brochure.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
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				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	7	1434	-0.342	0.001	-0.335	0.082	31	-0.335	0.082	41

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Text messaging programs for smoking cessation

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Text message-based smoking cessation interventions use short message service (SMS) to support smokers in quit attempts. Generally, the programs help participants set a quit date, begin with a pre-quit date motivational stage, and support the smoker after the quit date. Many of the interventions feature interactive components such as a craving helpline to receive instant support, or check-ins to assess the participant's stage of change.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$6,565	Benefit to cost ratio	\$351.58
Taxpayers	\$3,208	Benefits minus costs	\$18,018
Other (1)	\$384	Probability of a positive net present value	100 %
Other (2)	\$7,912		
Total	\$18,069		
Costs	(\$51)		
Benefits minus cost	\$18,018		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$6,496	\$2,771	\$0	\$7,719	\$16,985
Health care (smoking)	\$69	\$438	\$384	\$219	\$1,110
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$26)	(\$26)
Totals	\$6,565	\$3,208	\$384	\$7,912	\$18,069

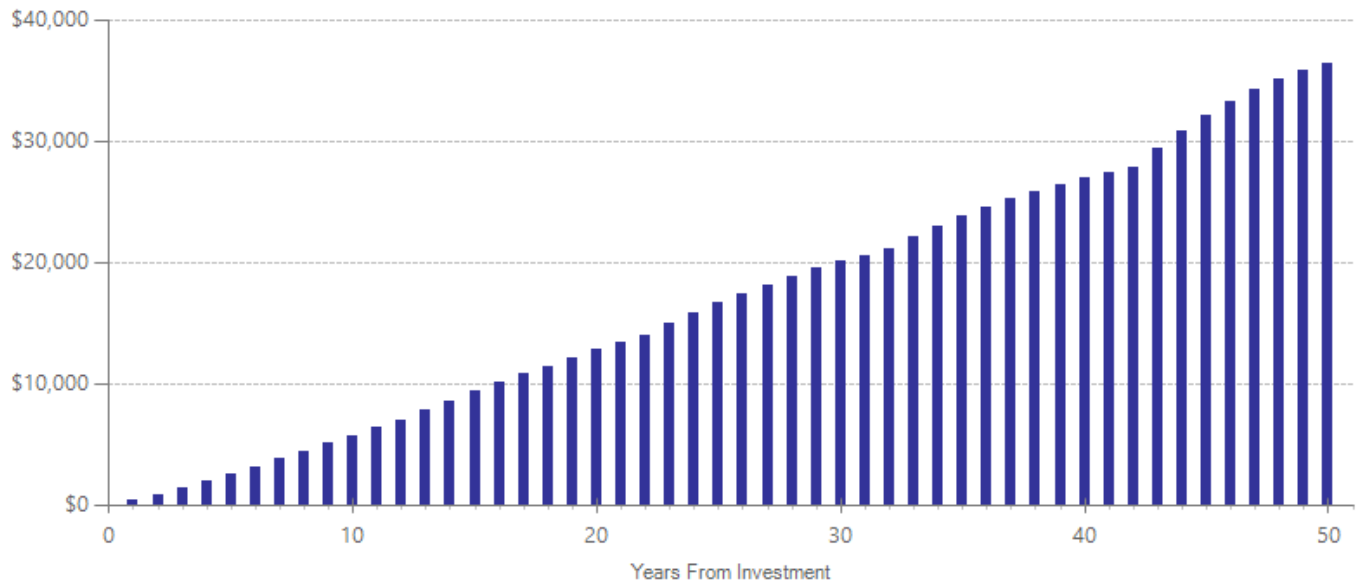
We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$52	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$51)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Mid-point estimate from two articles: Guerriero. (2013). The cost-effectiveness of smoking cessation support delivered by mobile phone text messaging: Txt2stop. The European Journal of Health Economics, 14(5), 789-797 and Wells et al. (2012). Cost-effectiveness analysis of a mobile phone SMS text-based smoking cessation intervention. University of Toronto Medical Journal, 89(3), 160-165.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	9	4931	-0.209	0.001	-0.189	0.061	33	-0.189	0.061	43

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More intensive tobacco quitlines (compared to less intensive quitlines)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Quitlines offer telephone counseling, frequently with nicotine replacement, to assist clients to quit smoking. In these studies, the offer of multiple calls was compared with a single call to the quitline.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$2,855	Benefit to cost ratio	\$75.68
Taxpayers	\$1,390	Benefits minus costs	\$9,574
Other (1)	\$162	Probability of a positive net present value	100 %
Other (2)	\$5,295		
Total	\$9,702		
Costs	(\$128)		
Benefits minus cost	\$9,574		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$2,825	\$1,205	\$0	\$5,267	\$9,297
Health care (smoking)	\$29	\$185	\$162	\$93	\$470
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$64)	(\$64)
Totals	\$2,855	\$1,390	\$162	\$5,295	\$9,702

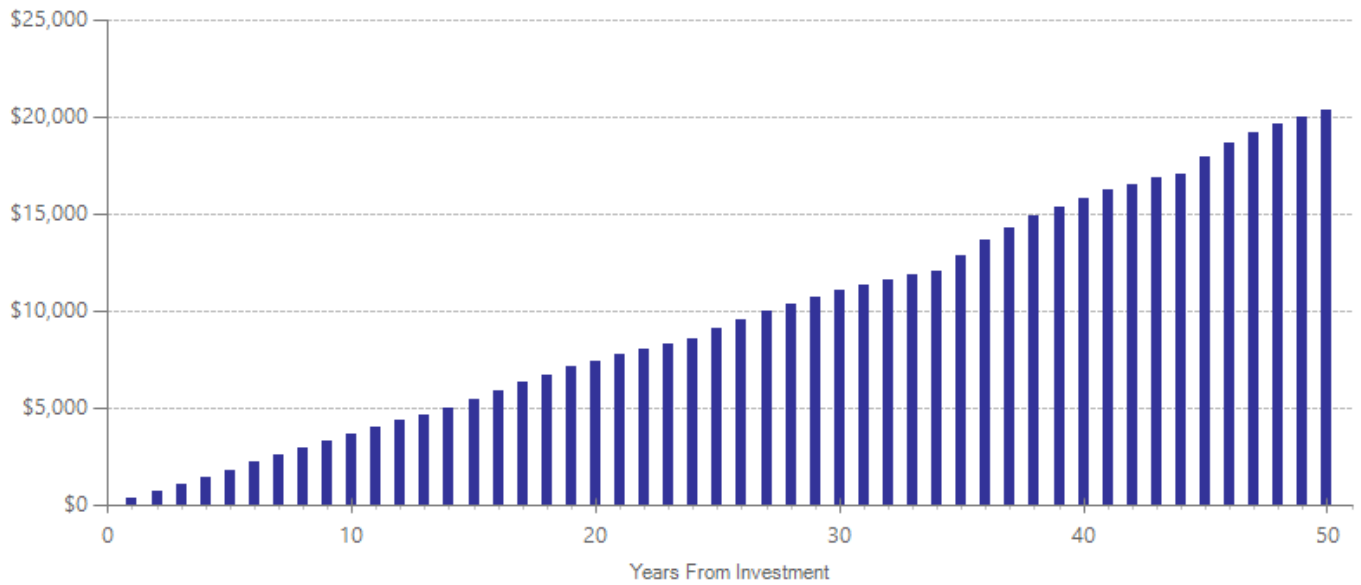
We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$214	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$128)
Comparison costs	\$84	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Medicaid (and many private health insurance programs) fund quitlines at up to five calls and nicotine replacement therapy (NRT) to about 1/4 of callers. Reimbursement at \$205 per person. (Email from Tonya Nichols at HCA and fee schedule for physician related services, code S9453). Comparison is the cost DOH pays for a single call for uninsured residents of Washington, including NRT to about 1/4 of all callers (Email from Joella Pyatt, Oct 18, 2014)

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	13	15098	-0.146	0.001	-0.146	0.022	41	-0.100	0.020	42

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Project EX

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Project EX is a school-based cessation program for youth. The program consists of eight sessions for smokers trying to quit. One version of the program implements the program as a clinic within the school. Project EX-4 is implemented as a classroom-based intervention and all students (smokers and non-smokers) receive the intervention. In all available evaluations, the program was implemented in continuation high schools. The program includes a "train-the-trainer" component and generally is implemented by health educators.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,546	Benefit to cost ratio	\$60.13
Taxpayers	\$819	Benefits minus costs	\$3,452
Other (1)	\$150	Probability of a positive net present value	86 %
Other (2)	\$996		
Total	\$3,511		
Costs	(\$58)		
Benefits minus cost	\$3,452		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$1,519	\$648	\$0	\$941	\$3,107
Health care (smoking)	\$27	\$171	\$150	\$85	\$433
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$29)	(\$29)
Totals	\$1,546	\$819	\$150	\$996	\$3,511

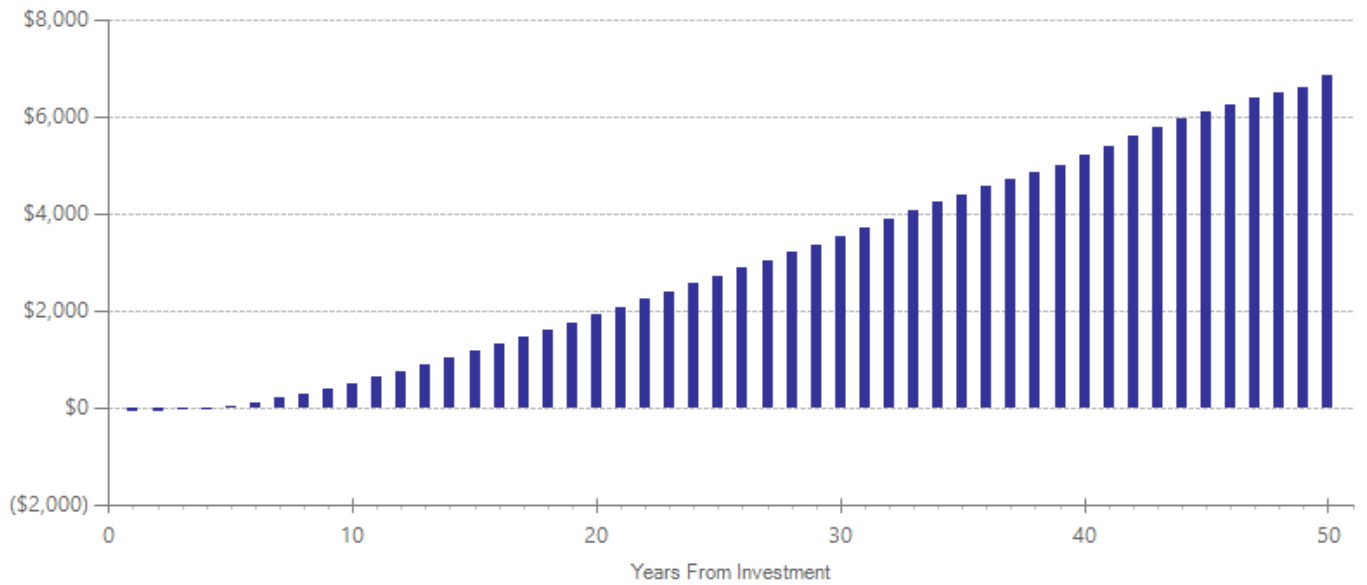
We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$59	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$58)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated from The National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	2	698	-0.338	0.010	-0.128	0.131	17	-0.128	0.131	18

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10% increase in cigarette tax (effect on youth)

Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: We reviewed all available research studies on the degree to which changing cigarette taxes, and thereby cigarette retail prices, affects the prevalence of cigarette smoking among youth.

Meta-Analysis of Program Effects											
Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	9	409686	-0.009	0.001	-0.009	0.000	16	-0.009	0.000	18

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10% increase in cigarette tax (effect on adults)

Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: We reviewed all available research studies on the degree to which changing cigarette taxes, and thereby cigarette retail prices, affects the prevalence of cigarette smoking among adults.

Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	21	6507706	-0.004	0.001	-0.004	0.002	45	-0.004	0.002	55

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Enforcement of youth tobacco possession laws

Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Possession-Use-Purchase laws attempt to decrease cigarette and tobacco demand among youth by penalizing youth smokers. These policies include implementation and enactment of fines for youth who are caught using or in possession of tobacco.

Meta-Analysis of Program Effects											
Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	1	502	-0.337	0.001	-0.337	0.086	14	-0.337	0.086	15
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	7507	-0.121	0.001	-0.121	0.031	14	-0.121	0.031	18

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Smoking cessation programs during pregnancy (all programs)

Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Counseling cessation programs for pregnant smokers typically involving face-to-face counseling, although four studies were exclusively telephone counseling.

Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	18	3186	-0.276	0.001	-0.276	0.075	25	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Smoking cessation programs in pregnancy (face-to-face counseling programs)

Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Smoking cessation counseling interventions tailored to pregnant smokers with intensive face-to-face counseling.

Meta-Analysis of Program Effects											
Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	9	1427	-0.301	0.008	-0.301	0.114	25	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Smoking cessation programs in pregnancy (programs without significant face-to-face counseling)

Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Smoking cessation counseling interventions tailored to pregnant smokers without the intensive face-to-face counseling.

Meta-Analysis of Program Effects											
Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	9	1759	-0.235	0.013	-0.235	0.094	26	n/a	n/a	n/a

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Elementary school-based social development programs

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Elementary school-based prevention interventions aim to reduce risk of future substance abuse by targeting risk and protective factors within schools, peers, individuals and families. They are known as social development programs and are often multimodal, engaging students in after-school and summer programs, or holding family workshops. Many of these programs also include comprehensive health curriculum. Five name-brand programs included are Linking the Interests of Families and Teachers (LIFT), Positive Action, Michigan Model for Health, Seattle Social Development Project, and Raising Healthy Children.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$6,080	Benefit to cost ratio	\$59.31
Taxpayers	\$3,952	Benefits minus costs	\$13,710
Other (1)	\$3,377	Probability of a positive net present value	77 %
Other (2)	\$537		
Total	\$13,946		
Costs	(\$236)		
Benefits minus cost	\$13,710		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$330	\$953	\$164	\$1,447
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$6,095	\$2,600	\$3,011	\$0	\$11,705
K-12 grade repetition	\$0	\$77	\$0	\$38	\$116
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$3	\$0	\$5	\$0	\$8
Health care (educational attainment)	(\$111)	\$885	(\$639)	\$442	\$576
Subtotals	\$5,986	\$3,892	\$3,330	\$644	\$13,852
From secondary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$4	\$11	\$2	\$17
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$96	\$41	\$47	\$0	\$184
Child abuse and neglect	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Out-of-home placement	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Health care (educational attainment)	(\$2)	\$15	(\$11)	\$8	\$10
Subtotals	\$94	\$60	\$47	\$10	\$211
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$117)	(\$117)
Totals	\$6,080	\$3,952	\$3,377	\$537	\$13,946

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

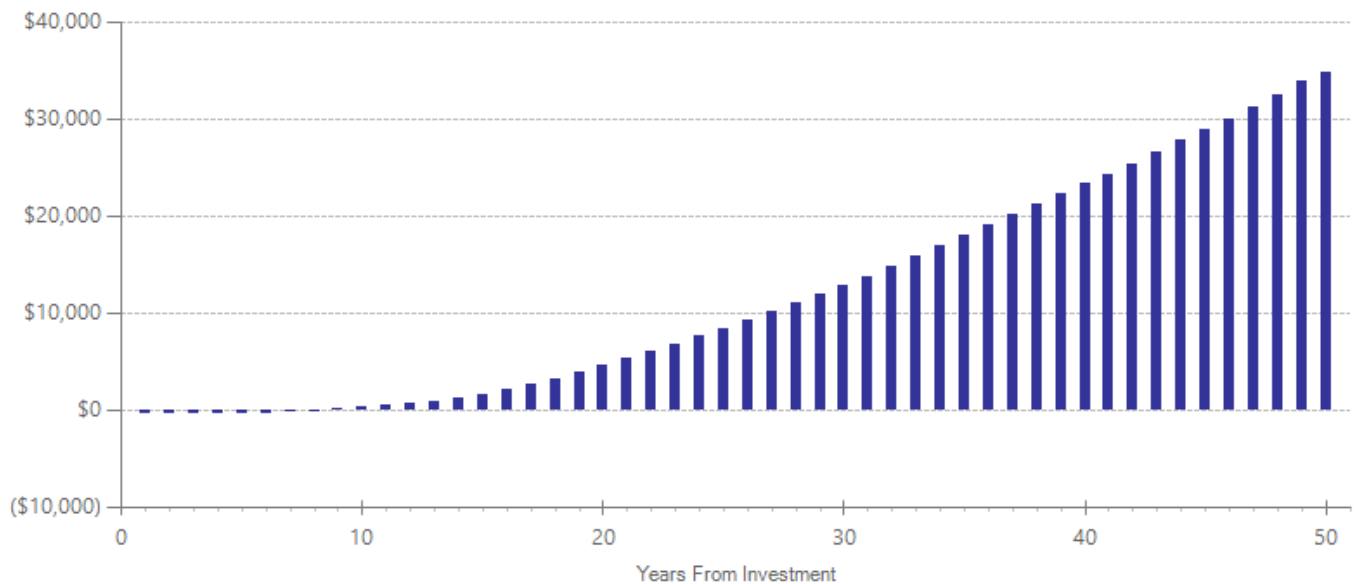
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$238	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$236)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated as an average cost of Raising Healthy Children, Positive Action, MMH, and SSDP. RHC was estimated from Blueprints Programs, Positive Action and MMH estimated from The National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices, and SSDP from Hawkins et al. (1999) pg. 234. Hawkins, J.D., Catalano, R.F., Kosterman, R., Abbott, R., & Hill, K.G. (1999). Preventing adolescent health-risk behaviors by strengthening protection during childhood. Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine, 153(3), 226-234.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	3	843	-0.039	0.596	-0.028	0.073	17	-0.028	0.073	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	2	629	-0.044	0.519	-0.040	0.069	16	-0.040	0.069	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	480	-0.093	0.293	-0.093	0.089	16	-0.093	0.089	18
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	2	1936	-0.265	0.001	-0.265	0.056	11	-0.265	0.056	15
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	2	1936	-0.179	0.002	-0.179	0.059	11	-0.179	0.059	15
Initiation of sexual activity	Primary	1	149	-0.385	0.015	-0.146	0.158	18	-0.146	0.158	18
Teen pregnancy (under age 18)	Primary	1	149	-0.335	0.040	-0.127	0.163	18	-0.127	0.163	18
Teen births under age 18	Primary	1	149	-0.300	0.148	-0.114	0.207	18	-0.114	0.207	18
Teen births (second generation)	Secondary	1	149	-0.300	0.148	-0.114	0.207	18	-0.114	0.207	18
K-12 grade repetition	Primary	1	149	-0.355	0.042	-0.135	0.175	12	-0.135	0.175	18
High school graduation	Primary	1	149	0.255	0.109	0.097	0.159	18	0.097	0.159	18
Crime	Primary	1	149	-0.214	0.182	-0.081	0.160	12	-0.081	0.160	22
Illicit drug use before end of middle school	Primary	1	976	-0.241	0.001	-0.241	0.065	11	-0.241	0.065	15

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Good Behavior Game

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated April 2012.

Program Description: The Good Behavior Game is a two-year classroom management strategy designed to improve aggressive/disruptive classroom behavior and prevent later criminality. The program is universal and can be applied to general populations of early elementary school children (grades 1 and 2).

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$5,308	Benefit to cost ratio	\$57.53
Taxpayers	\$2,788	Benefits minus costs	\$8,924
Other (1)	\$783	Probability of a positive net present value	93 %
Other (2)	\$203		
Total	\$9,081		
Costs	(\$158)		
Benefits minus cost	\$8,924		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$146	\$410	\$74	\$630
Health care (smoking)	\$65	\$408	\$359	\$203	\$1,035
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$5,236	\$2,233	\$0	\$4	\$7,473
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$8	\$0	\$14	\$0	\$22
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$79)	(\$79)
Totals	\$5,308	\$2,788	\$783	\$203	\$9,081

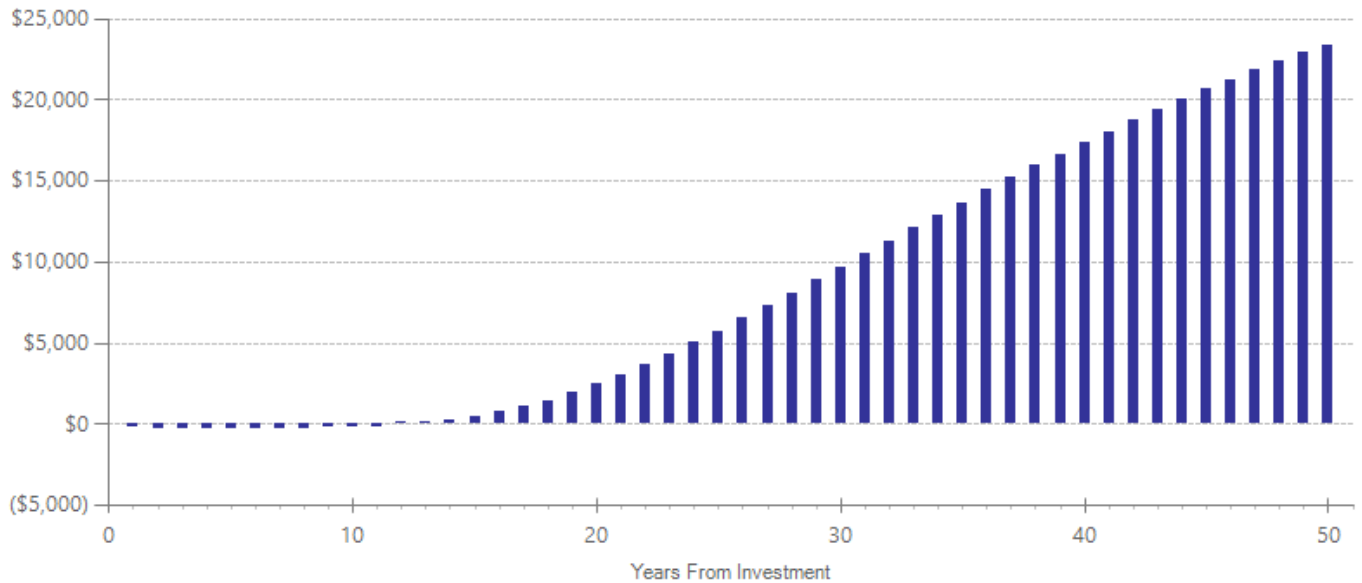
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$78	2	2011	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$158)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2011	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Costs include teacher training, classroom supplies, district GBG coach training, subcontractor support, and travel costs. The estimate is based on training for 30 teachers and one coach over two years and a cumulative 3,375 students served in GBG classrooms over five years. Information for this costs estimate was provided by Jeanne Poduska, Sc D, American Institutes for Research.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Illicit drug abuse or dependence	Primary	1	175	-0.304	0.001	-0.115	0.090	20	-0.115	0.090	30
Alcohol abuse or dependence	Primary	1	176	-0.609	0.001	-0.231	0.150	20	-0.231	0.150	30
Externalizing behavior symptoms	Primary	1	425	-0.437	0.001	-0.437	0.084	12	-0.208	0.098	15
Major depressive disorder	Primary	2	399	-0.178	0.160	-0.138	0.127	20	-0.072	0.156	22
Anxiety disorder	Primary	2	399	-0.192	0.242	-0.192	0.165	20	-0.100	0.202	22
Suicide attempts	Primary	1	178	-0.195	0.279	-0.074	0.180	20	-0.074	0.180	25
Antisocial personality disorder	Primary	1	179	-0.295	0.032	-0.112	0.137	20	-0.112	0.137	25
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	2	540	-0.231	0.002	-0.088	0.073	12	-0.088	0.073	22
Regular smoking	Primary	1	175	-0.593	0.001	-0.225	0.091	20	-0.225	0.091	30
High school graduation	Primary	1	175	0.162	0.174	0.062	0.119	20	0.062	0.119	20
Crime	Primary	1	239	-0.108	0.582	-0.041	0.197	20	-0.041	0.197	30

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Caring School Community (formerly Child Development Project)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Caring School Community, formerly called the Child Development Project, is a whole-school program aimed at promoting positive youth development. Designed for elementary schools, the program attempts to promote prosocial values, improve academic achievement, and prevent drug use, violence, and delinquency by encouraging collaboration among students, staff, and parents. Caring School Community includes four components designed to be implemented throughout the year: 1) Class Meetings, which promote communication and decision-making between teachers and students to improve the classroom climate; 2) Cross-Age Buddies, which pairs classes of younger and older students for academic and recreational activities to facilitate supportive relationships across ages; 3) Homeside Activities, which include parent-child activities completed at home that complement and reinforce the program's school components; and 4) School wide Community-Building Activities, which include a variety of activities designed to engage parents in the school environment and to link parents and their children to the greater community.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$4,696	Benefit to cost ratio	\$7.06
Taxpayers	\$2,171	Benefits minus costs	\$7,393
Other (1)	\$2,271	Probability of a positive net present value	62 %
Other (2)	(\$527)		
Total	\$8,611		
Costs	(\$1,218)		
Benefits minus cost	\$7,393		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$16	\$51	\$8	\$75
Labor market earnings (test scores)	\$4,714	\$2,011	\$2,325	\$0	\$9,050
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$2	\$0	\$3
Health care (educational attainment)	(\$19)	\$144	(\$107)	\$71	\$90
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$607)	(\$607)
Totals	\$4,696	\$2,171	\$2,271	(\$527)	\$8,611

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

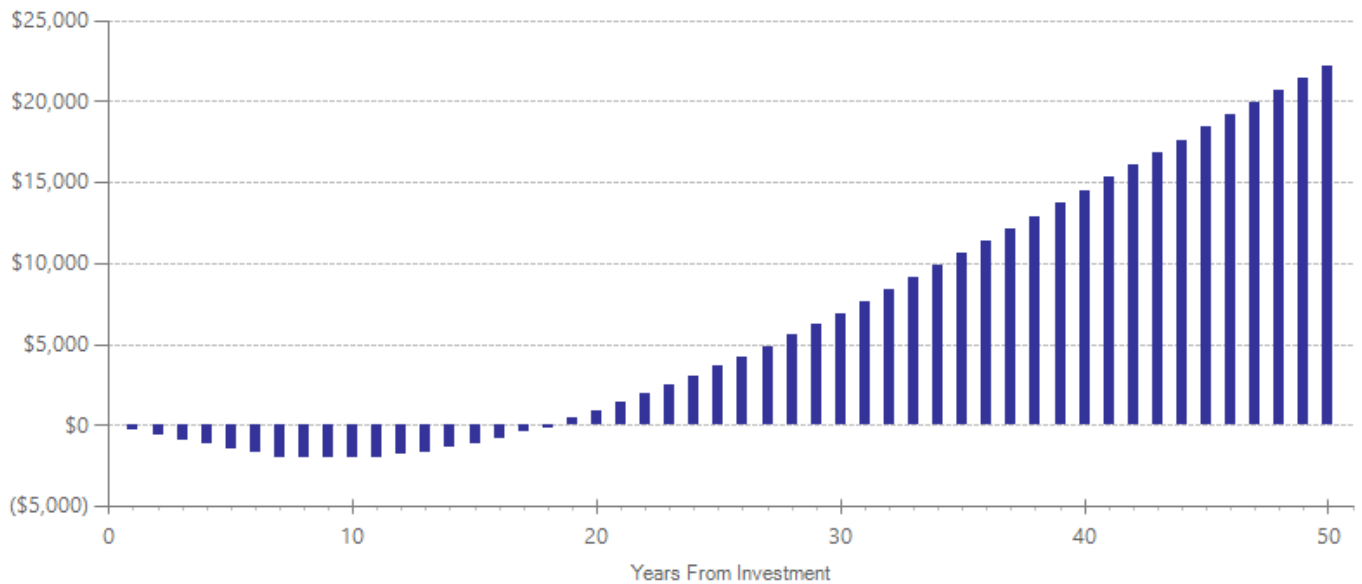
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$192	7	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$1,218)
Comparison costs	\$0	7	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from CSC developer (<http://www.devstu.org/caring-school-community>) and WA Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	1	800	-0.018	0.902	-0.006	0.146	13	-0.006	0.146	18
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	1	800	-0.178	0.221	-0.059	0.146	13	-0.059	0.146	18
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	800	-0.149	0.306	-0.049	0.146	13	-0.049	0.146	18
Test scores	Primary	1	472	0.109	0.544	0.109	0.179	13	0.065	0.197	18
High school grad via test scores	Primary	n/a	0	n/a	n/a	0.018	0.052	18	0.018	0.052	18

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School-based tobacco prevention programs

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: School-based tobacco prevention programs are curriculum programs that are specifically designed around tobacco prevention and cessation. These programs aim to increase students peer pressure resistance skills, instruct about health and social consequences of tobacco use, and often teach students to decipher pro-tobacco media messaging. Two name-brand programs analysed were Project Towards No Tobacco Use and Project SHOUT (Students Helping Others Understand Tobacco).

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,869	Benefit to cost ratio	\$64.64
Taxpayers	\$986	Benefits minus costs	\$3,950
Other (1)	\$1,086	Probability of a positive net present value	99 %
Other (2)	\$71		
Total	\$4,012		
Costs	(\$62)		
Benefits minus cost	\$3,950		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$1,837	\$784	\$908	\$0	\$3,529
Health care (smoking)	\$32	\$203	\$178	\$102	\$514
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$31)	(\$31)
Totals	\$1,869	\$986	\$1,086	\$71	\$4,012

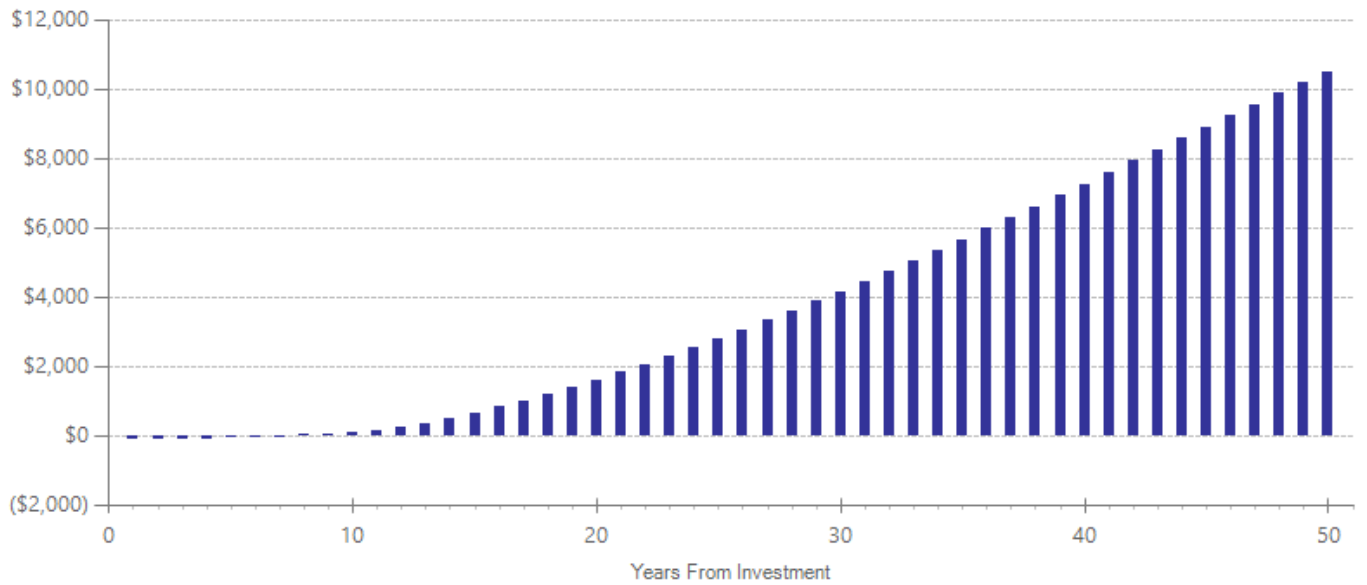
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$63	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$62)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Costs estimated from The National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	2	2536	-0.171	0.025	-0.171	0.076	14	-0.171	0.076	18

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Minnesota Smoking Prevention Program

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: The Minnesota Smoking Prevention Program (MSPP) is a school-based tobacco prevention program for adolescents. MSPP addresses tobacco use by influencing the social and psychological factors that encourage the onset of smoking.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,298	Benefit to cost ratio	\$86.00
Taxpayers	\$652	Benefits minus costs	\$2,681
Other (1)	\$726	Probability of a positive net present value	94 %
Other (2)	\$37		
Total	\$2,712		
Costs	(\$32)		
Benefits minus cost	\$2,681		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$1,281	\$547	\$633	\$0	\$2,461
Health care (smoking)	\$17	\$105	\$92	\$53	\$267
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$16)	(\$16)
Totals	\$1,298	\$652	\$726	\$37	\$2,712

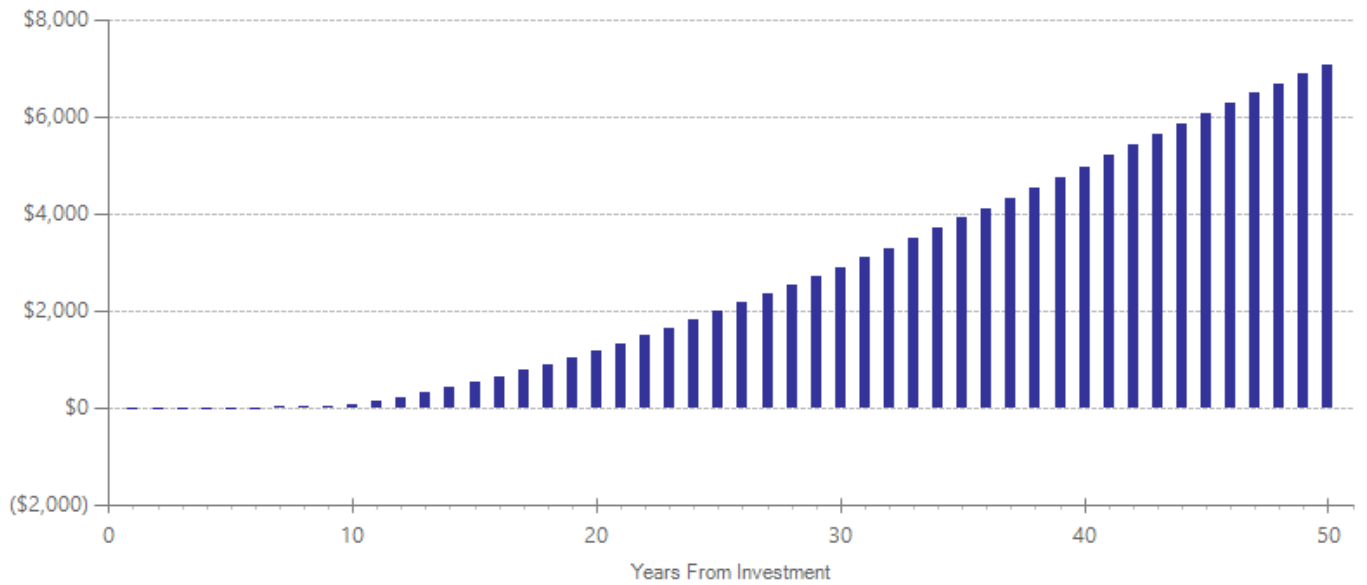
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
				Summary statistics	
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars		
Program costs	\$32	1	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$32)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

The curriculum materials cost \$249 for each class, serving 30 individuals. <http://www.militaryfamilies.psu.edu/themes/clearinghouse/pdfs/minnesota%20smoking%20prevention%20program%20fact%20sheet.pdf>

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	3	6188	-0.308	0.038	-0.230	0.156	13	-0.230	0.156	15

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All Stars

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: All Stars is a school-based program for adolescents age 11-14. The program is designed to prevent substance abuse and other high risk behaviors as well as promote healthy and positive behaviors. All Stars "Core" includes thirteen 45-minute class sessions delivered on a weekly basis by teachers. All Stars "Plus" includes twelve 45-minute lessons designed to expand instruction on "Core" on decisionmaking, goal setting, and peer pressure resistance skills training.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,473	Benefit to cost ratio	\$23.59
Taxpayers	\$735	Benefits minus costs	\$2,288
Other (1)	\$174	Probability of a positive net present value	99 %
Other (2)	\$7		
Total	\$2,389		
Costs	(\$101)		
Benefits minus cost	\$2,288		

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Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$33	\$99	\$16	\$149
Health care (smoking)	\$13	\$80	\$70	\$40	\$203
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1,458	\$622	\$0	\$1	\$2,082
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$2	\$0	\$4	\$0	\$6
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$51)	(\$51)
Totals	\$1,473	\$735	\$174	\$7	\$2,389

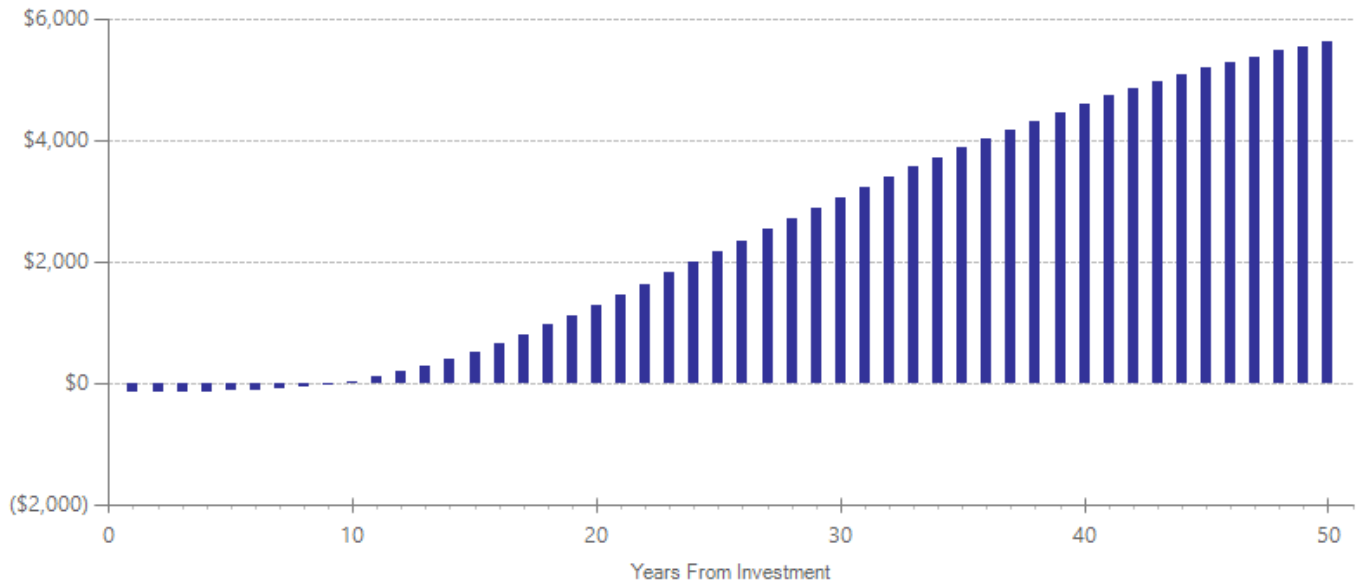
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$101	1	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$101)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated from The National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	4	4978	-0.190	0.040	-0.190	0.092	13	-0.190	0.092	15
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	3	3907	-0.173	0.037	-0.173	0.083	13	-0.173	0.083	15
Initiation of sexual activity	Primary	1	911	0.032	0.500	0.032	0.047	13	0.032	0.047	17
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	3	3917	-0.206	0.237	-0.206	0.174	13	-0.206	0.174	15

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Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: D.A.R.E. is a school-based substance use, gang membership, and violent behavior prevention program. The 17-week program is taught by local police officers in 5th and 6th grade. The program aims to teach peer resistance skills so that students can say "no" to drugs.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$843	Benefit to cost ratio	\$36.44
Taxpayers	\$334	Benefits minus costs	\$1,888
Other (1)	\$807	Probability of a positive net present value	84 %
Other (2)	(\$42)		
Total	\$1,941		
Costs	(\$53)		
Benefits minus cost	\$1,888		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$59	\$177	\$30	\$266
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$1,427	\$609	\$705	\$0	\$2,740
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	(\$571)	(\$243)	\$0	\$0	(\$814)
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Health care (illicit drug abuse/dependence)	(\$19)	(\$110)	(\$98)	(\$55)	(\$281)
Health care (cannabis abuse/dependence)	\$5	\$19	\$23	\$10	\$57
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$27)	(\$27)
Totals	\$843	\$334	\$807	(\$42)	\$1,941

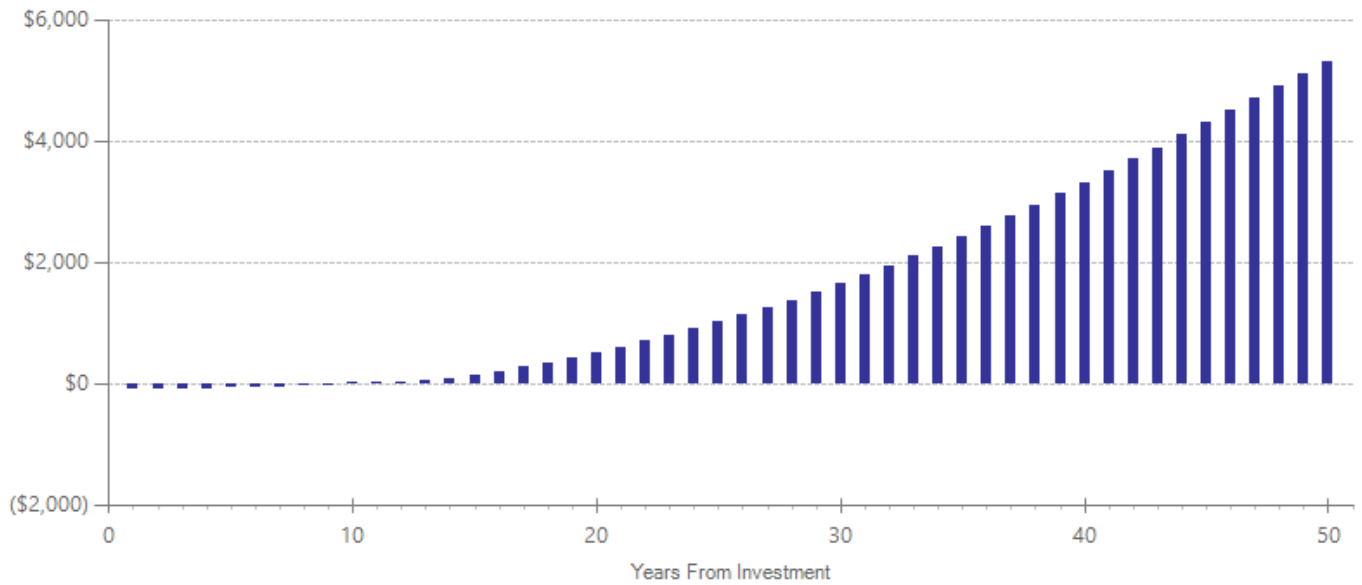
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$54	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$53)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Material costs estimated from D.A.R.E. website, <http://www.dare.org/starting-a-dare-program/>, and Shepard III, E. M. (2001). The economic costs of DARE. Institute of Industrial Relations, Research paper, 22. Shepard, E. (2001) The Economic Costs of D.A.R.E. Police officer costs estimated from WSIPP calculations of police officers' salaries (http://www.wsipp.wa.gov/ReportFile/1396/Wsipp_Prison-Police-and-Programs-Evidence-Based-Options-that-Reduce-Crime-and-Save-Money_Full-Report.pdf).

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	6	6304	-0.044	0.237	-0.044	0.037	12	-0.044	0.037	15
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	248	0.052	0.664	0.052	0.120	15	0.052	0.120	18
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	248	0.014	0.910	0.014	0.120	15	0.014	0.120	18
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	341	-0.048	0.672	-0.048	0.114	11	-0.048	0.114	15
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	680	-0.199	0.060	-0.199	0.108	18	-0.199	0.108	18
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	1	248	0.038	0.749	0.038	0.120	15	0.038	0.120	18
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	6	6304	-0.065	0.267	-0.065	0.058	12	-0.065	0.058	15

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SPORT

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: SPORT is a school-based brief intervention implemented in high schools designed to promote a healthy lifestyle via improved physical activity, diet, and sleep. Students participate in a 12-minute one-on-one counseling session with a fitness specialist during which they receive a booklet and tailored consultation. Students then complete a fitness plan designed to create behavior change and an improved self-image. Flyers that complement the intervention's core content are sent to parents for four weeks post-intervention.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$589	Benefit to cost ratio	\$34.70
Taxpayers	\$325	Benefits minus costs	\$1,294
Other (1)	\$398	Probability of a positive net present value	74 %
Other (2)	\$20		
Total	\$1,333		
Costs	(\$38)		
Benefits minus cost	\$1,294		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$17	\$56	\$9	\$82
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$579	\$247	\$287	\$0	\$1,113
Health care (smoking)	\$10	\$61	\$53	\$31	\$155
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$2	\$0	\$2
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$19)	(\$19)
Totals	\$589	\$325	\$398	\$20	\$1,333

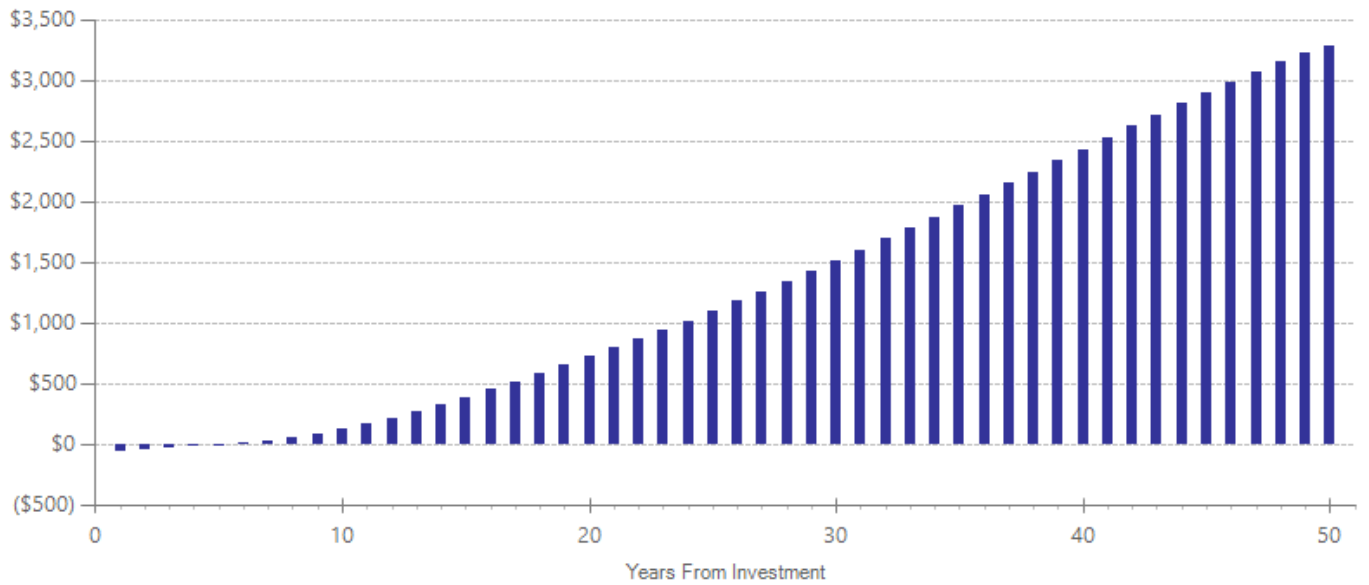
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$38	1	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$38)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from developer website (<http://preventionpluswellness.com/programs/inshape/>).

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	260	-0.144	0.103	-0.047	0.088	18	-0.047	0.088	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	260	-0.027	0.762	-0.009	0.088	18	-0.009	0.088	18
Youth binge drinking	Primary	1	260	-0.144	0.104	-0.047	0.088	18	-0.047	0.088	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	260	-0.083	0.346	-0.027	0.088	18	-0.027	0.088	18

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Life Skills Training

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Life Skills Training (LST) is a school-based classroom intervention to reduce the risks of alcohol, tobacco, drug abuse, and violence by targeting social and psychological factors associated with initiation of risky behaviors. Teachers deliver the program to middle/junior high school students in 24 to 30 sessions over three years. Students in the program are taught general self-management and social skills and skills related to avoiding substance use.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$401	Benefit to cost ratio	\$11.58
Taxpayers	\$246	Benefits minus costs	\$1,028
Other (1)	\$487	Probability of a positive net present value	84 %
Other (2)	(\$9)		
Total	\$1,125		
Costs	(\$97)		
Benefits minus cost	\$1,028		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$11	\$33	\$5	\$48
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$798	\$340	\$394	\$0	\$1,531
Health care (smoking)	\$14	\$87	\$76	\$43	\$221
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	(\$408)	(\$174)	\$0	\$0	(\$582)
Health care (alcohol abuse/dependence)	(\$3)	(\$17)	(\$16)	(\$9)	(\$45)
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	\$1	\$0	\$1
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$48)	(\$48)
Totals	\$401	\$246	\$487	(\$9)	\$1,125

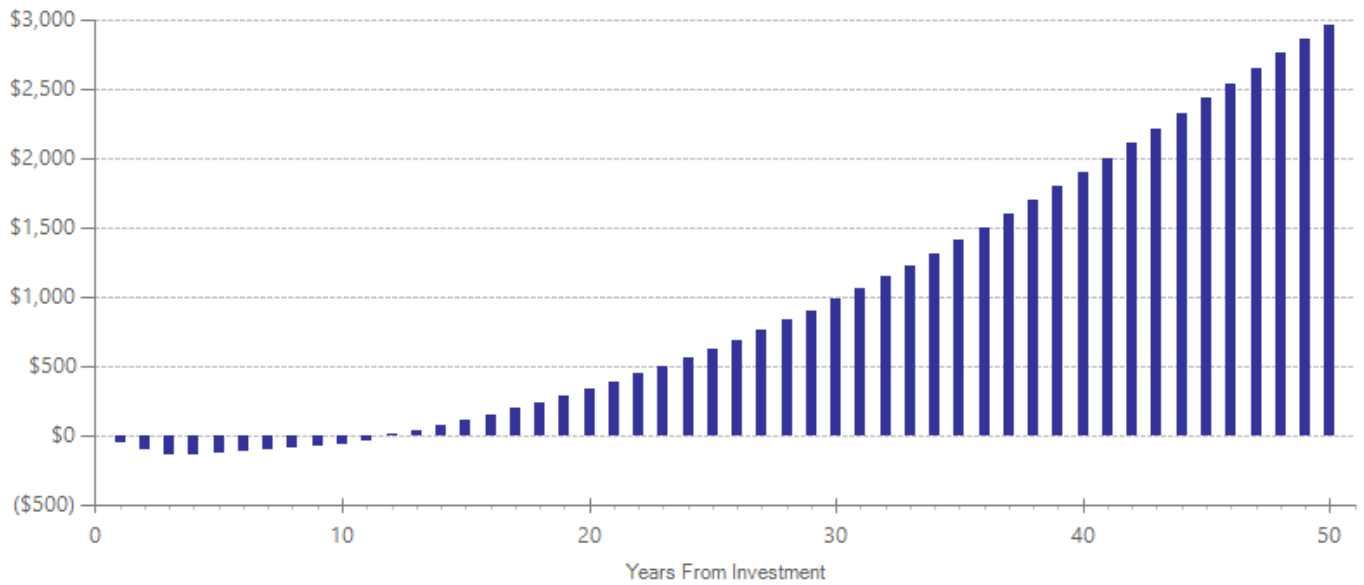
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$34	3	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$97)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from Blueprints for Healthy Youth Development and developer website (<http://www.blueprintsprograms.com/programCosts.php?pid=ac3478d69a3c81fa62e60f5c3696165a4e5e6ac4>).

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Internalizing symptoms	Primary	4	3092	-0.054	0.549	-0.018	0.091	14	-0.013	0.071	16
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	3	280	0.029	0.695	0.035	0.074	18	0.035	0.074	28
Smoking in high school	Primary	4	359	-0.122	0.138	-0.070	0.072	18	-0.070	0.072	28
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	3	280	-0.004	0.962	0.003	0.078	18	0.003	0.078	28
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	5	3150	-0.080	0.017	-0.026	0.033	14	-0.026	0.033	24
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	4	3056	-0.041	0.217	-0.014	0.033	14	-0.014	0.033	24
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	8	3617	-0.083	0.012	-0.027	0.033	14	-0.027	0.033	24
Youth binge drinking	Primary	2	1947	-0.154	0.593	-0.017	0.244	15	-0.017	0.244	25

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American Indian adolescent substance abuse prevention programs

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Several school-based substance abuse prevention programs have been developed and evaluated that specifically target American Indian youth. These programs contain culturally relevant content, including information about ceremonial tobacco use, traditions, community leaders, and storytelling. The two programs in this meta-analysis include Pathways to Health and Bi-cultural Competence Skills Approach. The programs often encourage coping and problem-solving skills, and disseminate information about health risks.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$553	Benefit to cost ratio	\$14.45
Taxpayers	\$265	Benefits minus costs	\$733
Other (1)	(\$20)	Probability of a positive net present value	78 %
Other (2)	(\$12)		
Total	\$787		
Costs	(\$55)		
Benefits minus cost	\$733		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$12	\$34	\$6	\$52
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	(\$150)	(\$64)	(\$75)	\$0	(\$289)
Health care (smoking)	(\$2)	(\$12)	(\$11)	(\$6)	(\$31)
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$699	\$298	\$0	\$1	\$998
Health care (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$5	\$32	\$30	\$16	\$82
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$2	\$0	\$3
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$27)	(\$27)
Totals	\$553	\$265	(\$20)	(\$12)	\$787

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

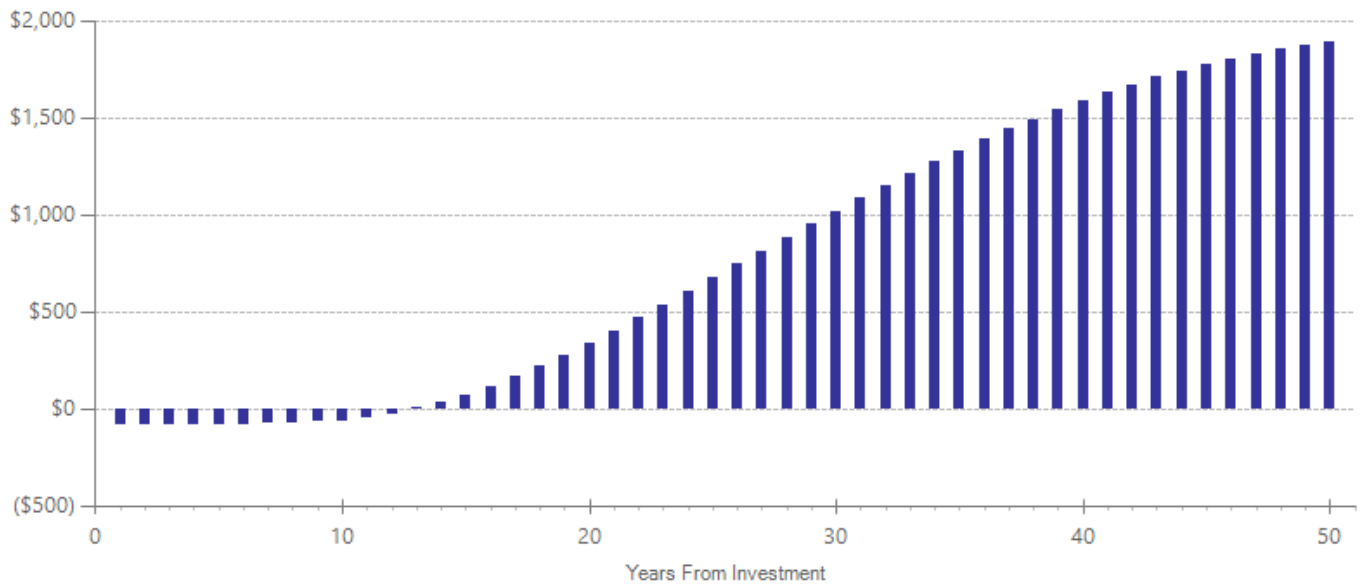
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$55	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$55)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Costs are estimated based on email correspondence with the program developer (9/13/2014).

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	2	1112	0.045	0.681	0.026	0.110	11	0.026	0.110	15
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	916	-0.010	0.955	-0.010	0.181	11	-0.010	0.181	15
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	1	916	-0.092	0.610	-0.092	0.181	11	-0.092	0.181	15

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keepin' it REAL

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Keepin' it REAL is a universal school-based substance use prevention program designed in multicultural settings for middle school students. The curriculum is taught by classroom teachers in 45-minute sessions once a week for ten weeks. Classroom sessions include group discussions, role plays, games, and five videos produced by youth designed to teach students drug resistance skills. Our review of the program is limited to the curriculum as implemented by the original developers and does not reflect the alternative implementation model used by D.A.R.E. America.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$411	Benefit to cost ratio	\$13.51
Taxpayers	\$201	Benefits minus costs	\$598
Other (1)	\$44	Probability of a positive net present value	72 %
Other (2)	(\$10)		
Total	\$646		
Costs	(\$48)		
Benefits minus cost	\$598		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$8	\$26	\$4	\$39
Health care (smoking)	\$3	\$19	\$17	\$9	\$48
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$407	\$174	\$0	\$0	\$581
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$1	\$0	\$2
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$24)	(\$24)
Totals	\$411	\$201	\$44	(\$10)	\$646

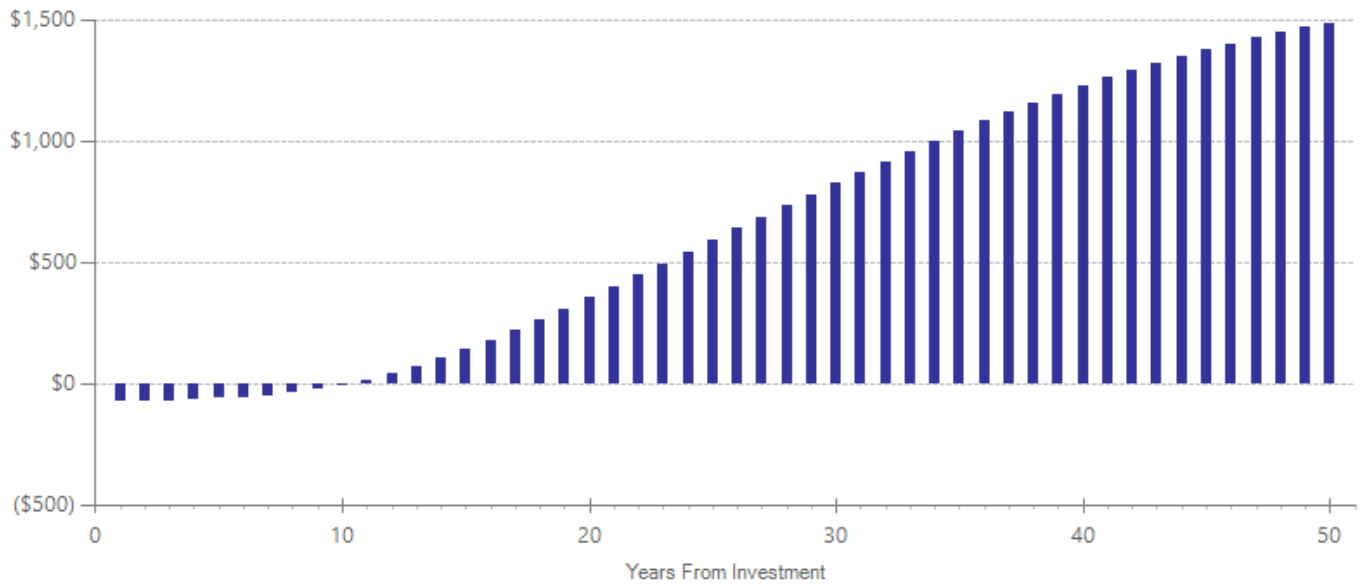
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$48	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$48)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from developer website (<http://www.kir.psu.edu/curriculum/order.shtml>) and personal communication with developer.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	2	2214	-0.113	0.171	-0.037	0.083	15	-0.037	0.083	18
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	2	2209	-0.150	0.072	-0.050	0.083	15	-0.050	0.083	18
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	2051	-0.141	0.269	-0.046	0.127	15	-0.046	0.127	18

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ATHENA (Athletes Targeting Healthy Exercise and Nutrition Alternatives)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Athletes Targeting Healthy Exercise and Nutrition Alternatives (ATHENA) is a school-based disordered eating and substance abuse prevention program for young women. The program is conducted through sports teams rather than classrooms. Eight 45-minute lessons are integrated into the teams' normal activities. The program is gender-specific, uses peer leaders, and emphasize benefits of appropriate nutrition and health for sports. ATHENA also incorporates depression prevention content in the program. A male-specific parallel program exists named ATLAS, although there exist no rigorous evaluations.

Benefit-Cost Summary

Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$241	Benefit to cost ratio	\$13.53
Taxpayers	\$127	Benefits minus costs	\$466
Other (1)	\$140	Probability of a positive net present value	57 %
Other (2)	(\$6)		
Total	\$503		
Costs	(\$37)		
Benefits minus cost	\$466		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates

Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$237	\$101	\$117	\$0	\$456
Health care (smoking)	\$4	\$26	\$23	\$13	\$66
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$19)	(\$19)
Totals	\$241	\$127	\$140	(\$6)	\$503

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

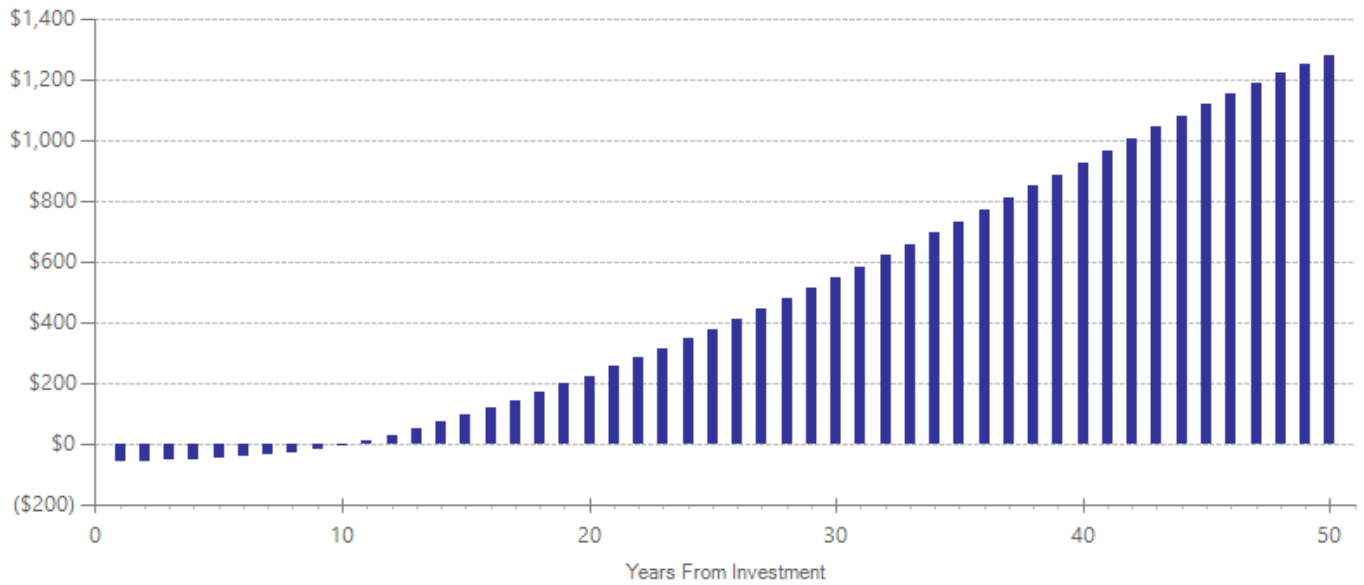
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$38	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$37)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated from ATHENA Program website, <http://www.ohsu.edu/xd/education/schools/school-of-medicine/departments/clinical-departments/medicine/divisions/hpsm/research/athena.cfm>. Costs include coach and student manuals and training.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	337	-0.056	0.620	-0.021	0.112	16	-0.021	0.112	18

Citations Used in the Meta-Analysis

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Too Good for Drugs

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Too Good for Drugs is a school-based prevention program for K–12 students. It is designed to increase social competencies and diminish risk factors associated with alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use. The program consists of ten classroom interactive lessons tailored for different grade levels.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$319	Benefit to cost ratio	\$9.56
Taxpayers	\$158	Benefits minus costs	\$446
Other (1)	\$36	Probability of a positive net present value	97 %
Other (2)	(\$14)		
Total	\$498		
Costs	(\$52)		
Benefits minus cost	\$446		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$7	\$21	\$4	\$32
Health care (smoking)	\$2	\$16	\$14	\$8	\$40
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$316	\$135	\$0	\$0	\$452
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	\$1	\$0	\$1
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$26)	(\$26)
Totals	\$319	\$158	\$36	(\$14)	\$498

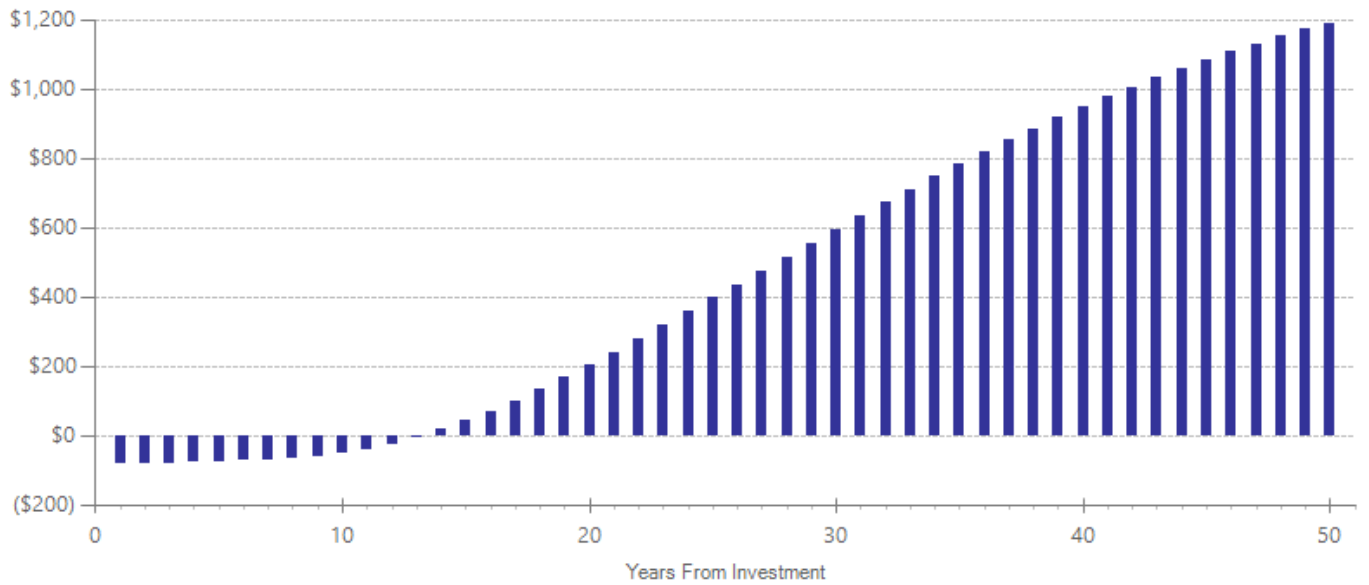
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$53	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$52)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated from The National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	5066	-0.041	0.037	-0.041	0.020	12	-0.041	0.020	15
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	1	5066	-0.040	0.042	-0.040	0.020	12	-0.040	0.020	15
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	1	5066	-0.031	0.123	-0.031	0.020	12	-0.031	0.020	15

Citations Used in the Meta-Analysis

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Lions Quest Skills for Adolescence

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Lions Quest Skills for Adolescence is a school-based life skills education program designed for students in middle school grades. The curriculum's 45-minute sessions are designed to prevent substance use and bullying behaviors while also teaching anger and stress management skills. Although Lions Quest Skills for Adolescence typically comprises 80 or more sessions and may include whole-school components, our review is based on the 40-lesson version evaluated by Eisen et al. (2002).

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$216	Benefit to cost ratio	\$5.06
Taxpayers	\$96	Benefits minus costs	\$383
Other (1)	\$210	Probability of a positive net present value	79 %
Other (2)	(\$45)		
Total	\$477		
Costs	(\$94)		
Benefits minus cost	\$383		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$14	\$42	\$7	\$63
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$357	\$152	\$176	\$0	\$685
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	(\$139)	(\$59)	\$0	\$0	(\$199)
Health care (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$2	\$12	\$11	\$6	\$30
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Health care (illicit drug abuse/dependence)	(\$4)	(\$22)	(\$19)	(\$11)	(\$56)
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$47)	(\$47)
Totals	\$216	\$96	\$210	(\$45)	\$477

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

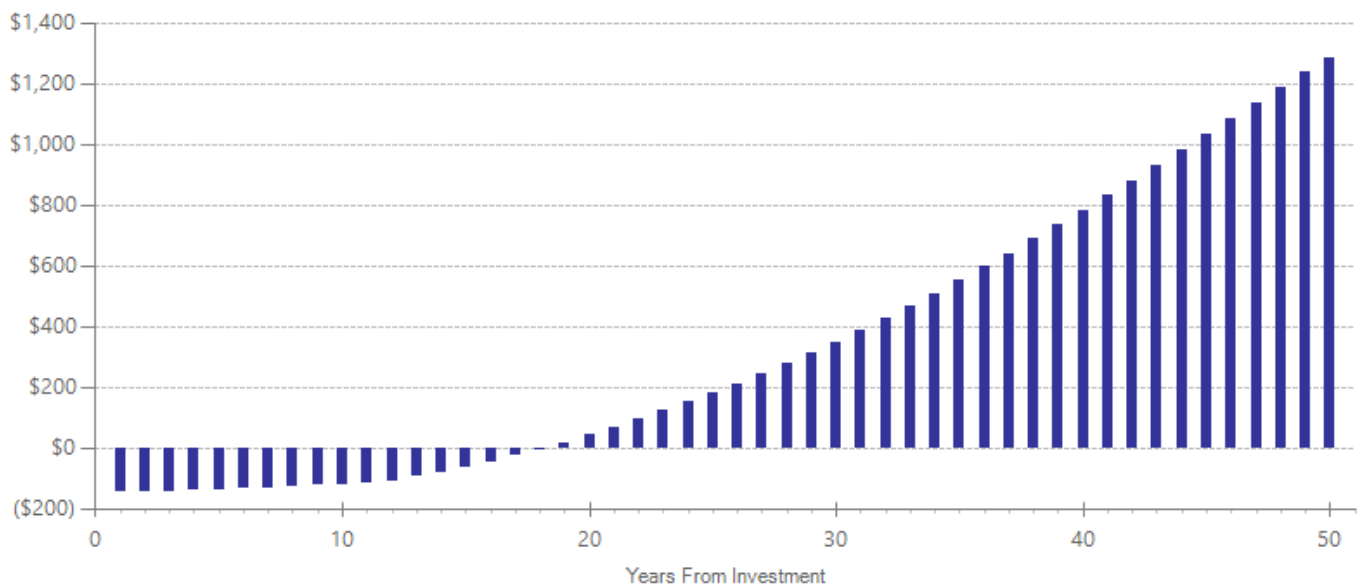
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$95	1	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$94)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from NREPP and developer website (<http://www.nrepp.samhsa.gov/ViewIntervention.aspx?id=24>; <http://www.lionsquest.org/ordermaterials.php>).

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	1	2600	0.017	0.625	0.017	0.036	13	0.017	0.036	18
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	1	2600	0.015	0.687	0.015	0.038	13	0.015	0.038	18
Youth binge drinking	Primary	1	2600	-0.024	0.636	-0.024	0.050	13	-0.024	0.050	18
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	2600	-0.096	0.009	-0.096	0.037	13	-0.096	0.037	18
Illicit drug use before end of middle school	Primary	1	2600	0.020	0.638	0.020	0.043	13	0.020	0.043	18

Citations Used in the Meta-Analysis

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Project ALERT

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated July 2014.

Program Description: Project ALERT is a middle/junior high school-based program to prevent tobacco, alcohol, and marijuana use. Over 11 sessions in the 7th grade and three boosters in the 8th grade, the program helps students understand that most people do not use drugs and teaches them to identify and resist the internal and social pressures that encourage substance use.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$355	Benefit to cost ratio	\$3.43
Taxpayers	\$176	Benefits minus costs	\$357
Other (1)	\$34	Probability of a positive net present value	77 %
Other (2)	(\$60)		
Total	\$504		
Costs	(\$147)		
Benefits minus cost	\$357		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$4	\$14	\$2	\$21
Health care (smoking)	\$3	\$21	\$19	\$11	\$54
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$352	\$150	\$0	\$0	\$502
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$1	\$0	\$2
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$73)	(\$73)
Totals	\$355	\$176	\$34	(\$60)	\$504

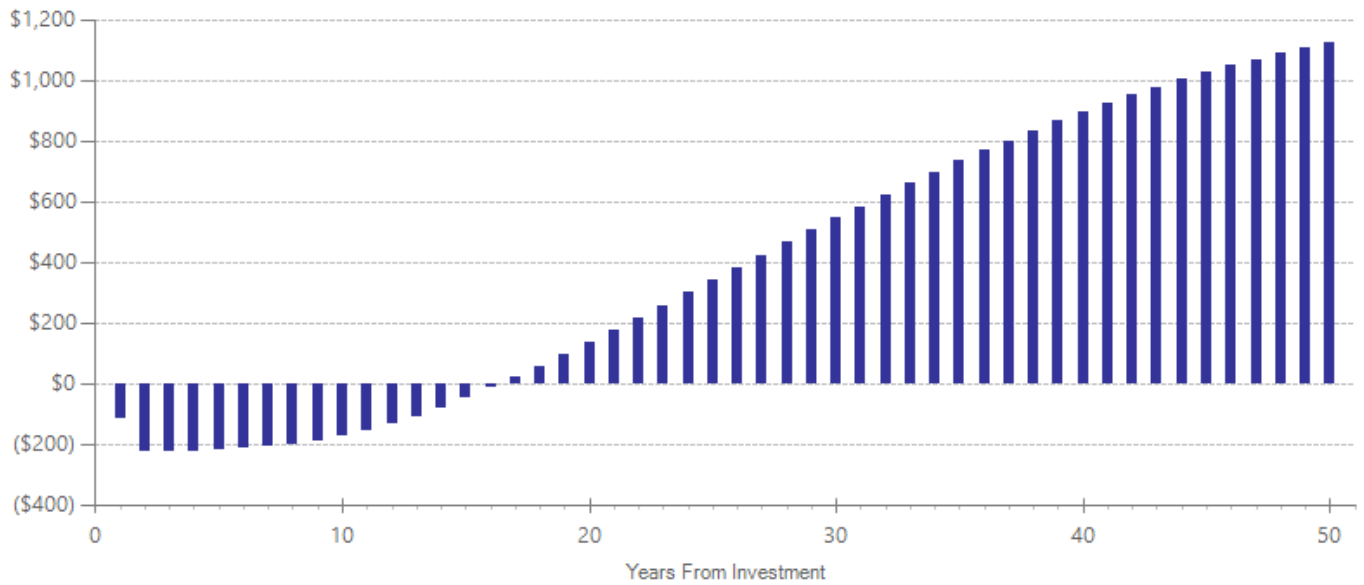
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$60	2	2002	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$147)
Comparison costs	\$0	2	2002	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

\$120 in 2002 dollars (Miller and Hendrie 2005)

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	4	8497	-0.060	0.181	-0.029	0.024	15	-0.029	0.024	25
Smoking in high school	Primary	4	8501	-0.055	0.293	-0.017	0.025	15	-0.017	0.025	25
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	4	8517	-0.034	0.580	-0.012	0.050	15	-0.012	0.050	25

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Project Towards No Drug Abuse (TND)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Project Towards No Drug Abuse is a substance use prevention program for youth in regular and alternative high schools. The curriculum comprises 12 45-minute lessons implemented in classroom settings by teachers or health educators. Using a variety of activities, the program aims to increase self-control, communication, decision-making, and motivation to not use substances.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$102	Benefit to cost ratio	\$2.86
Taxpayers	\$46	Benefits minus costs	\$118
Other (1)	\$65	Probability of a positive net present value	53 %
Other (2)	(\$31)		
Total	\$182		
Costs	(\$64)		
Benefits minus cost	\$118		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$5	\$17	\$3	\$25
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$103	\$44	\$51	\$0	\$197
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Health care (disruptive behavior disorder)	(\$1)	(\$3)	(\$3)	(\$1)	(\$9)
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$32)	(\$32)
Totals	\$102	\$46	\$65	(\$31)	\$182

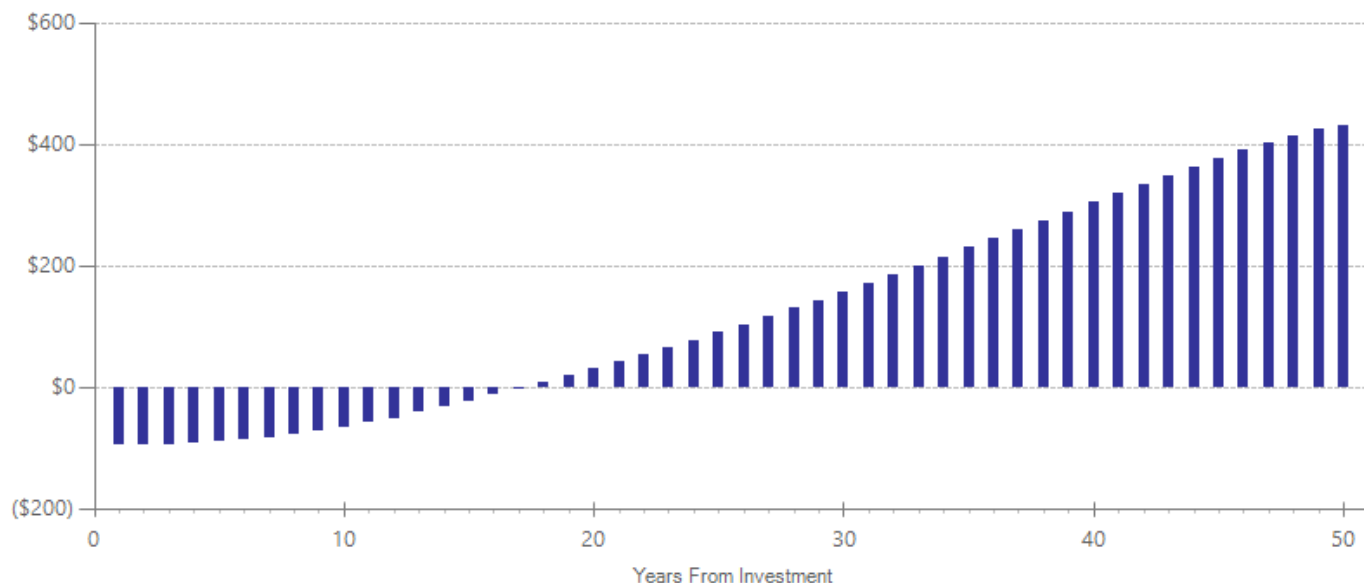
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$63	1	2012	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$64)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2012	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from program developer (<http://tnd.usc.edu>).

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	6	4467	-0.023	0.501	-0.007	0.034	18	-0.007	0.034	18
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	6	4467	-0.080	0.021	-0.026	0.035	18	-0.026	0.035	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	6	4467	-0.042	0.215	-0.014	0.034	18	-0.014	0.034	18
Smoking in high school	Primary	6	4467	-0.029	0.384	-0.010	0.033	18	-0.010	0.033	18
Externalizing behavior symptoms	Primary	1	425	0.047	0.814	0.016	0.202	18	0.008	0.105	21

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Youth advocacy/empowerment programs for tobacco prevention

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Youth advocacy/empowerment programs encourage and empower youth to advocate for environmental changes regarding tobacco and other substance use in their communities. The program included in this analysis included weekly class sessions, a youth advocacy conference, and planning and implementation of community-advocacy projects. The program was designed to modify social influences on smoking, build awareness among youth of environmental influences on smoking, and engage youth in modification of the environmental influences.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	(\$67)	Benefit to cost ratio	(\$6.92)
Taxpayers	(\$35)	Benefits minus costs	(\$178)
Other (1)	(\$39)	Probability of a positive net present value	33 %
Other (2)	(\$15)		
Total	(\$155)		
Costs	(\$22)		
Benefits minus cost	(\$178)		

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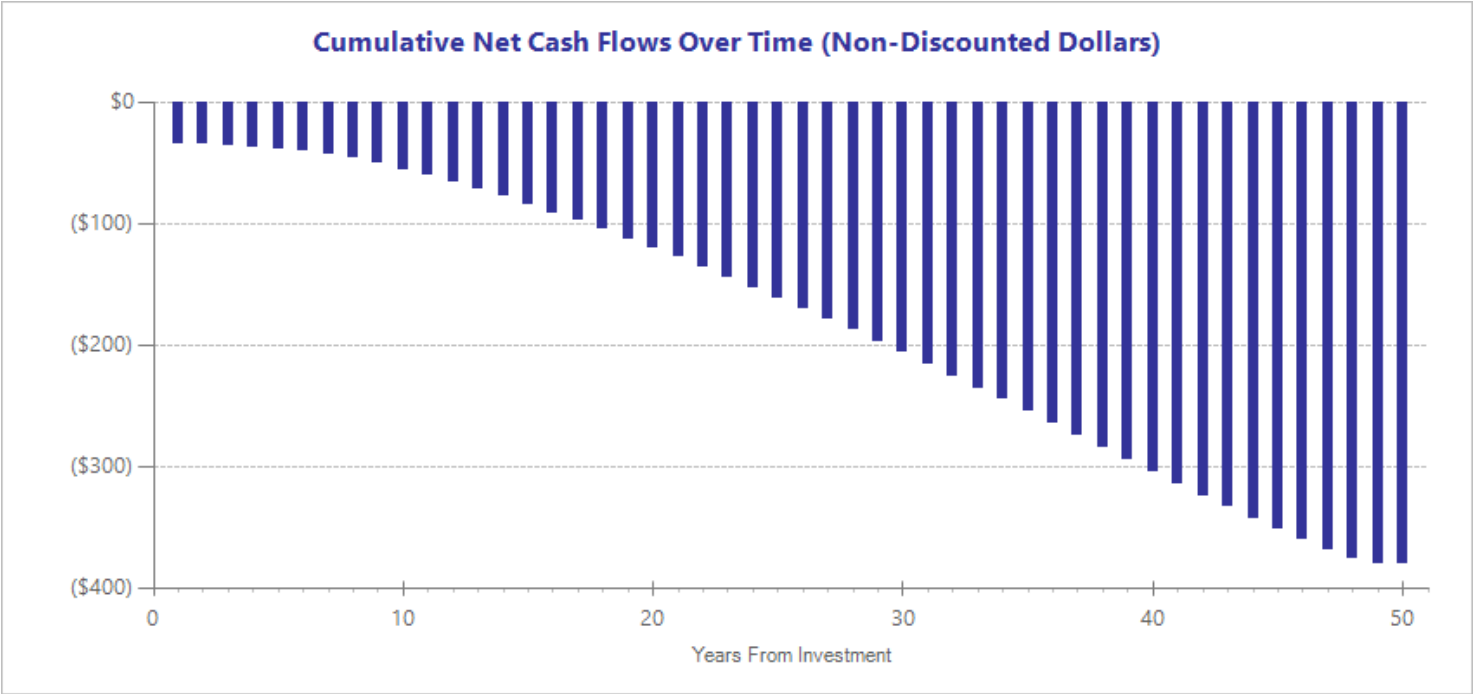
Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	(\$66)	(\$28)	(\$33)	\$0	(\$127)
Health care (smoking)	(\$1)	(\$7)	(\$6)	(\$3)	(\$17)
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$11)	(\$11)
Totals	(\$67)	(\$35)	(\$39)	(\$15)	(\$155)

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$86	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$22)
Comparison costs	\$63	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Based on the following calculations and costs for Washington State: Weekly 1.2-hour long session for 20 weeks at teacher rate of 78.99/hr, plus \$300 for advocacy materials per class.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects											
Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	367	0.014	0.420	0.005	0.017	17	0.005	0.017	18

Citations Used in the Meta-Analysis

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Project SUCCESS

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated August 2014.

Program Description: Project SUCCESS is a school-based prevention program that focuses on high-risk youth. The program's four components include 1) prevention education provided in small groups by a professional counselor; 2) individual and group counseling; 3) communications with parents; and 4) referrals to community agencies. A program counselor is situated in the school throughout the academic year.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$10	Benefit to cost ratio	(\$1.15)
Taxpayers	(\$19)	Benefits minus costs	(\$333)
Other (1)	(\$80)	Probability of a positive net present value	42 %
Other (2)	(\$89)		
Total	(\$178)		
Costs	(\$155)		
Benefits minus cost	(\$333)		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	(\$24)	(\$79)	(\$12)	(\$114)
Labor market earnings (smoking)	\$10	\$4	\$0	\$0	\$15
Health care (smoking)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	(\$1)	\$0	(\$1)
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$78)	(\$78)
Totals	\$10	(\$19)	(\$80)	(\$89)	(\$178)

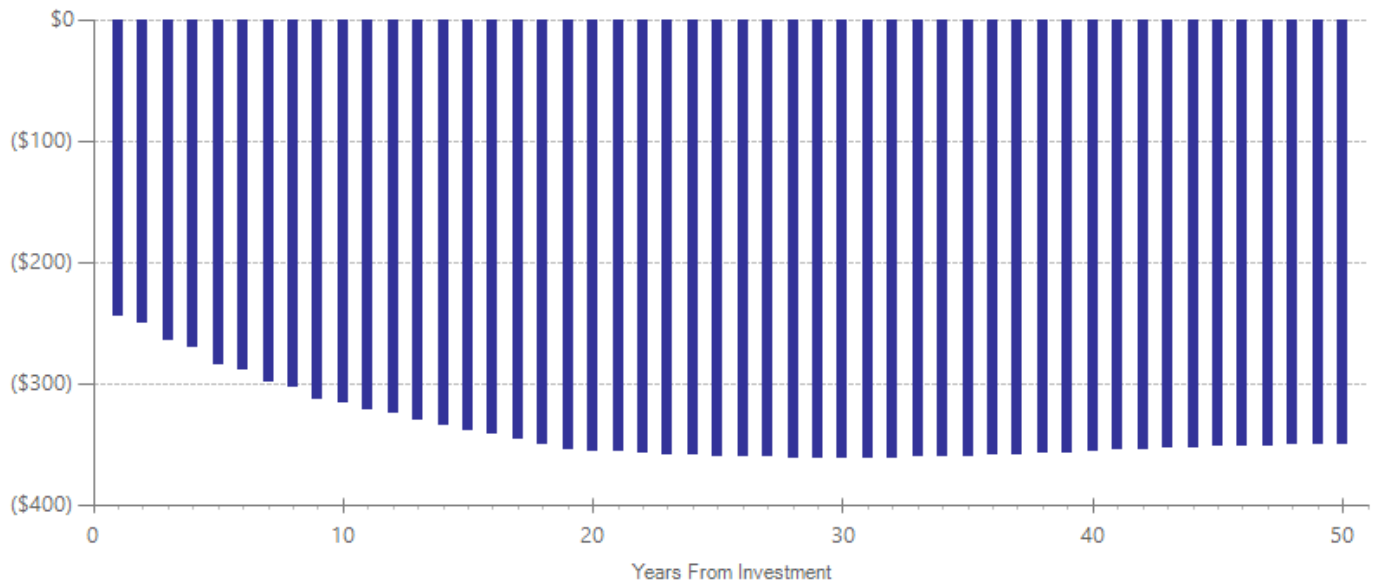
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$155	1	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$155)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

To calculate a per-student annual cost, we use average compensation costs (including benefits) for a counselor as reported by the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, divided by the number of students in a prototypical high school. The estimate also includes training costs available at the developer's website (http://www.sascorp.org/CurrentFiles/SUCCESS_Order_Form.pdf).

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	169	-0.127	0.693	-0.042	0.321	17	-0.042	0.321	18
Regular smoking	Primary	1	666	0.000	0.999	0.000	0.052	17	0.000	0.052	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	667	0.020	0.698	0.020	0.052	17	0.020	0.052	18
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	1	667	0.020	0.698	0.020	0.052	17	0.020	0.052	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	667	0.060	0.244	0.060	0.052	17	0.060	0.052	18

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InShape

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: InShape is a college-based brief motivational interviewing intervention that aims to increase physical activity, diet, and stress management while reducing substance use through the promotion of positive self-image. The program components are typically delivered to young adults in a college health clinic setting by a designated fitness specialist. The first component includes a self-administered behavior image survey, followed by a brief (25-minute) motivational interview with the fitness specialist, and a set of recommendations to increase fitness and health through improved self-image.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	(\$246)	Benefit to cost ratio	(\$26.60)
Taxpayers	(\$119)	Benefits minus costs	(\$410)
Other (1)	\$1	Probability of a positive net present value	46 %
Other (2)	(\$31)		
Total	(\$395)		
Costs	(\$15)		
Benefits minus cost	(\$410)		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$8	\$21	\$4	\$32
Labor market earnings (smoking)	(\$243)	(\$103)	\$0	(\$15)	(\$361)
Health care (smoking)	(\$4)	(\$24)	(\$21)	(\$12)	(\$60)
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$1	\$0	\$2
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$7)	(\$7)
Totals	(\$246)	(\$119)	\$1	(\$31)	(\$395)

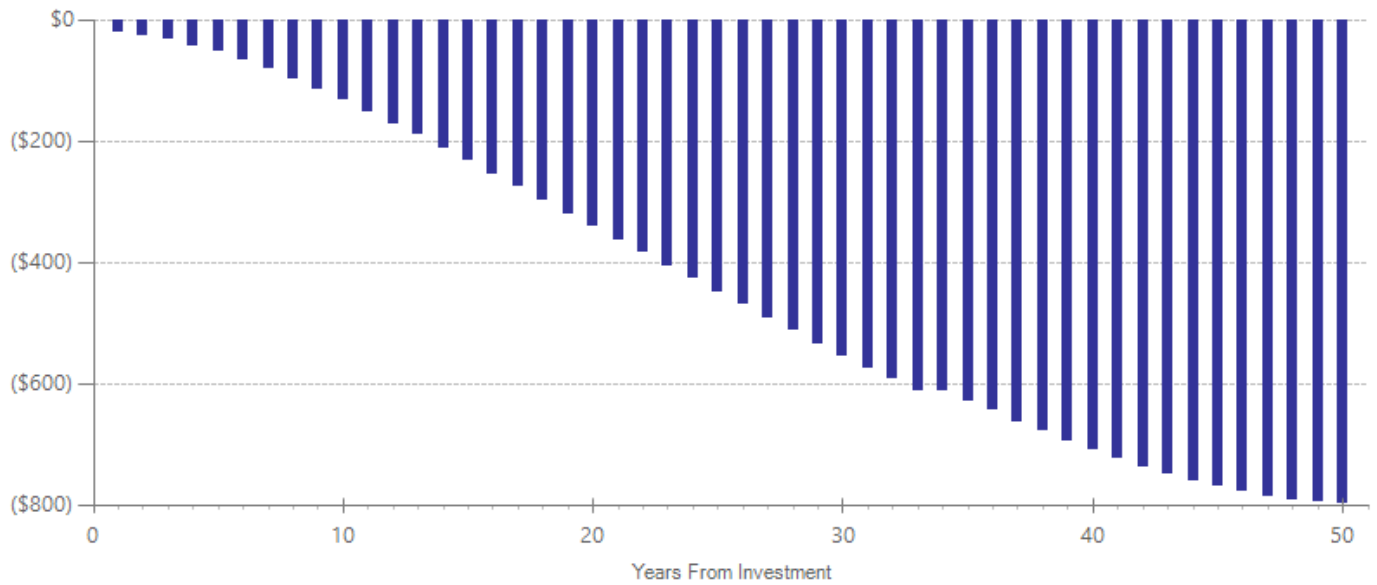
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$15	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$15)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from developer website (<http://preventionpluswellness.com/programs/inshape/>).

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Regular smoking	Primary	1	140	0.032	0.789	0.010	0.119	19	0.010	0.119	29
Alcohol use	Primary	1	140	-0.203	0.574	-0.067	0.119	19	-0.067	0.119	29
Youth binge drinking	Primary	1	140	-0.082	0.820	-0.027	0.119	19	-0.027	0.119	29
Cannabis use	Primary	1	140	0.093	0.433	0.031	0.119	19	0.031	0.119	29

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Reconnecting Youth

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Reconnecting Youth, a school-based curriculum program, is comprehensive and designed to address a variety of behaviors, such as attendance, academic achievement, and disruptive behaviors such as substance abuse. The program targets youth who have been identified as already experimenting with drugs. By building life skills, fostering a bond to the school and family, and encouraging self-esteem, the program aims to build positive resistance skills and decrease risk factors.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	(\$2,716)	Benefit to cost ratio	(\$8.21)
Taxpayers	(\$1,385)	Benefits minus costs	(\$6,897)
Other (1)	(\$1,552)	Probability of a positive net present value	0 %
Other (2)	(\$495)		
Total	(\$6,147)		
Costs	(\$750)		
Benefits minus cost	(\$6,897)		

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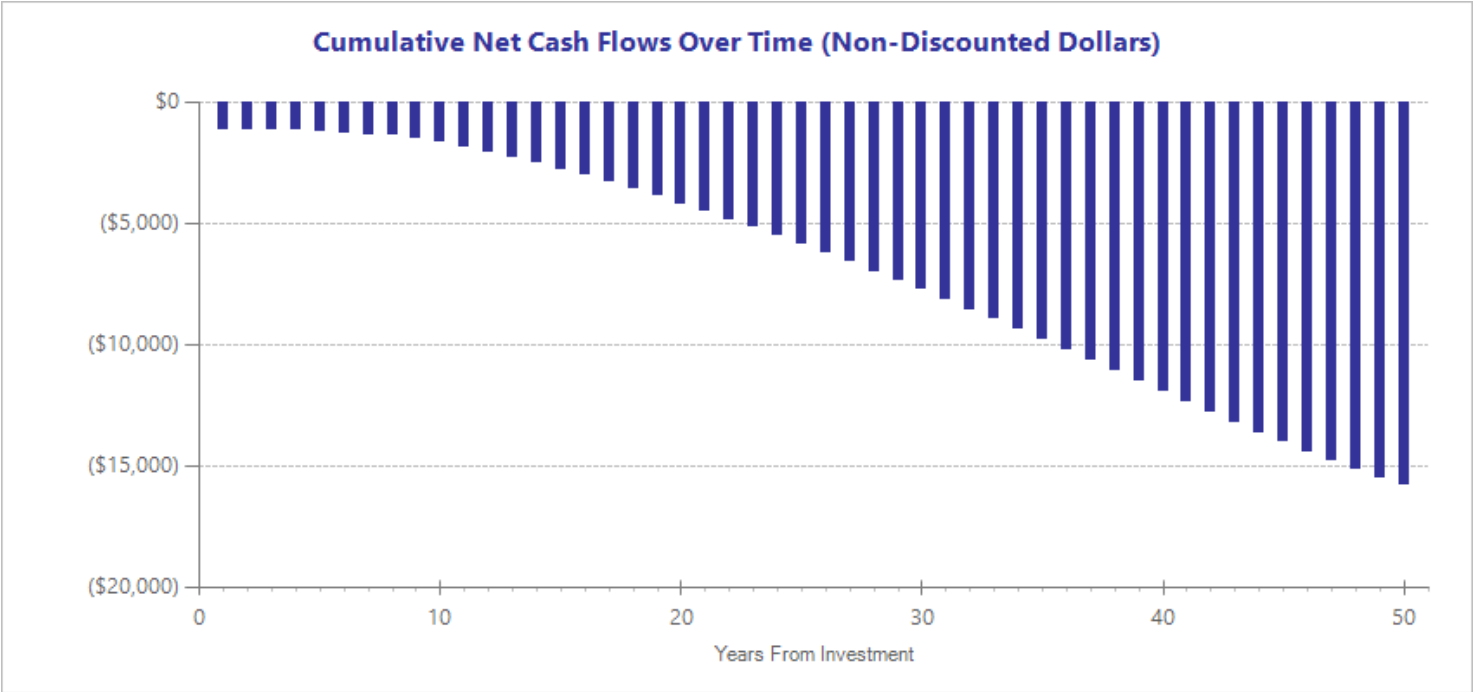
Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	(\$5)	(\$20)	(\$3)	(\$28)
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	(\$2,678)	(\$1,142)	(\$1,323)	\$0	(\$5,144)
Health care (smoking)	(\$37)	(\$237)	(\$208)	(\$118)	(\$601)
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	(\$1)	\$0	(\$1)
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$374)	(\$374)
Totals	(\$2,716)	(\$1,385)	(\$1,552)	(\$495)	(\$6,147)

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$758	1	2014	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$750)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2014	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated from The National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices.

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Meta-Analysis of Program Effects											
Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	615	0.182	0.010	0.182	0.071	15	0.182	0.071	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	615	0.019	0.784	0.019	0.071	15	0.019	0.071	18

Citations Used in the Meta-Analysis

Cho, H., Hallfors, D.D., & Sanchez, V. (2005). Evaluation of a high school peer group intervention for at-risk youth. *Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology*, 33(3), 363-374.

Family-based tobacco and substance use prevention

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Family-based tobacco and substance use prevention programs involve both parents and children in order to prevent or decrease alcohol, tobacco, and other drug (ATOD) use. These programs often include interactive components, group sessions, and/or workbooks for the family to complete together. Often the programs aim to increase family communication, foster parenting skills, and improve knowledge about substance use. Two name-brand programs in this meta-analysis include Family Matters and Staying Connected with Your Teen.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$2,411	Benefit to cost ratio	\$30.46
Taxpayers	\$1,357	Benefits minus costs	\$5,229
Other (1)	\$1,551	Probability of a positive net present value	93 %
Other (2)	\$89		
Total	\$5,407		
Costs	(\$178)		
Benefits minus cost	\$5,229		

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Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$30	\$92	\$15	\$136
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$2,351	\$1,003	\$1,162	\$0	\$4,516
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$4	\$0	\$7	\$0	\$10
Health care (illicit drug abuse/dependence)	\$56	\$324	\$290	\$163	\$833
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$89)	(\$89)
Totals	\$2,411	\$1,357	\$1,551	\$89	\$5,407

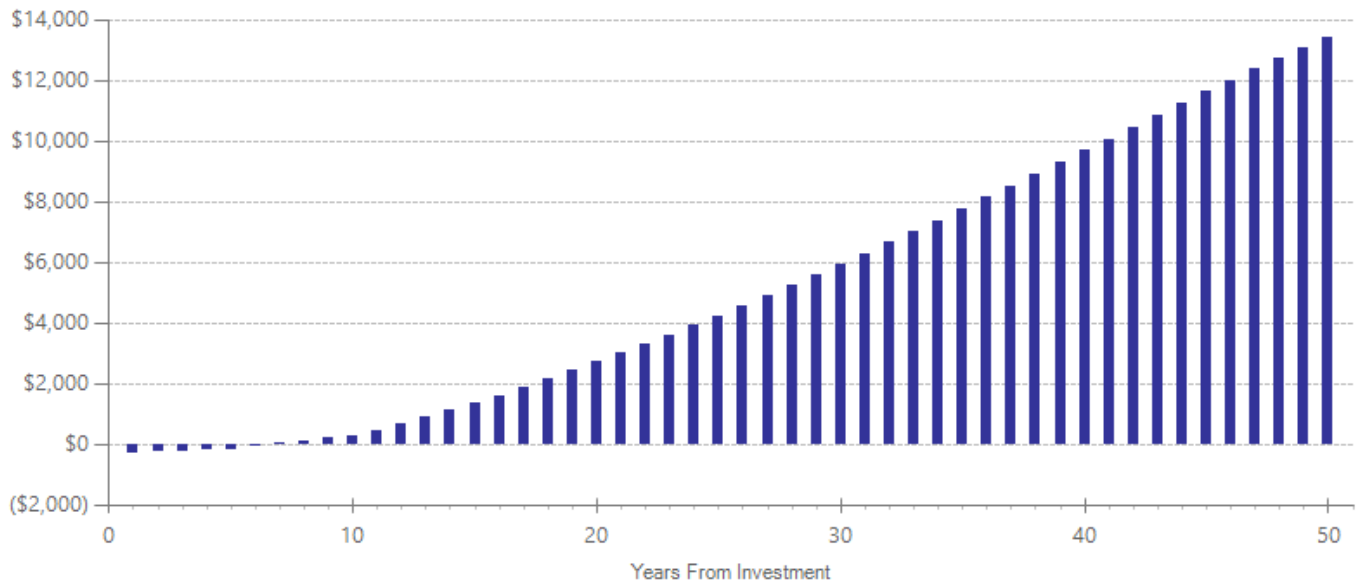
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$140	1	2001	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$178)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2001	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost from Bauman, K.E., V.A. Foshee, S.T. Ennett, K.A. Hicks, and M. Pemberton. (2001). Family Matters: A family-directed program designed to prevent adolescent tobacco and alcohol use. *Health Promotion Practice* 2(1), 92.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	3	615	-0.215	0.005	-0.214	0.076	15	-0.214	0.076	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	3	615	-0.202	0.007	-0.194	0.074	15	-0.194	0.074	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	2	84	-0.162	0.654	-0.044	0.223	16	-0.044	0.223	18
Initiation of sexual activity	Primary	2	84	-0.017	0.970	-0.003	0.205	16	-0.003	0.205	18
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	2	84	-0.361	0.372	-0.137	0.405	16	-0.137	0.405	18

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Strengthening Families for Parents and Youth 10-14

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated April 2012.

Program Description: Strengthening Families for Parents and Youth 10-14 (also known as the Iowa Strengthening Families Program) is a family-based program that attempts to reduce behavior problems and substance use by enhancing parenting skills, parent-child relationships, and family communication. The seven-week intervention is designed for 6th-grade students and their families.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$2,055	Benefit to cost ratio	\$3.51
Taxpayers	\$981	Benefits minus costs	\$2,751
Other (1)	\$1,308	Probability of a positive net present value	66 %
Other (2)	(\$494)		
Total	\$3,850		
Costs	(\$1,098)		
Benefits minus cost	\$2,751		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$92	\$273	\$46	\$410
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$2,048	\$874	\$1,013	\$0	\$3,936
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$3	\$0	\$4
Health care (disruptive behavior disorder)	\$5	\$15	\$19	\$8	\$47
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$547)	(\$547)
Totals	\$2,055	\$981	\$1,308	(\$494)	\$3,850

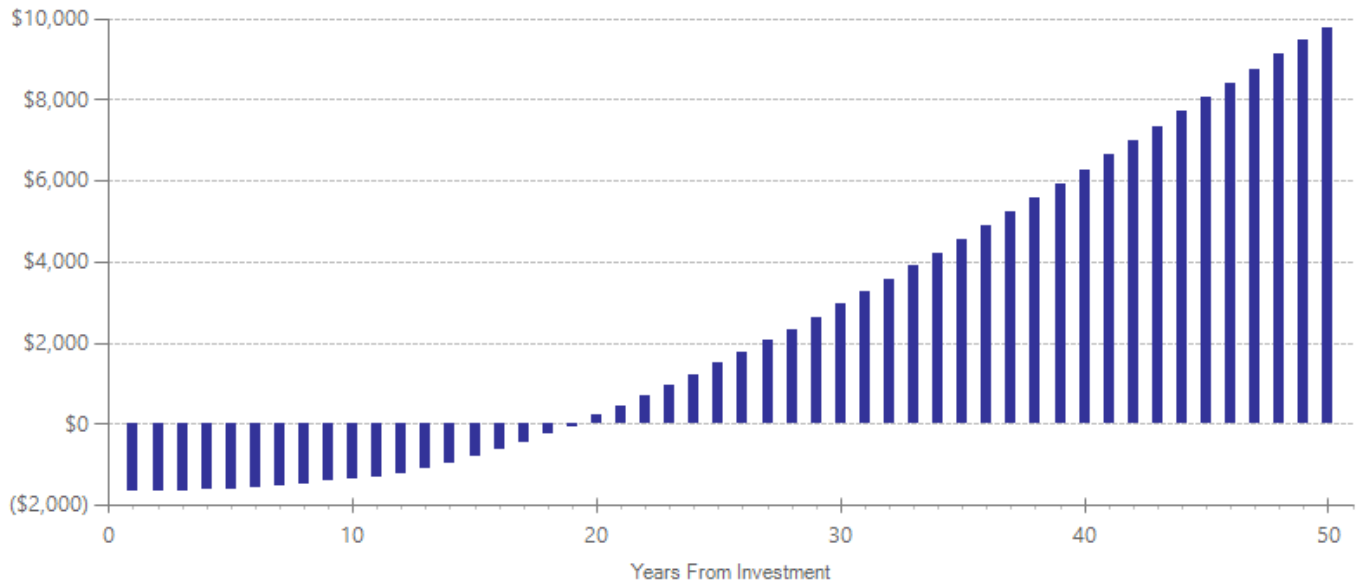
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$880	1	2002	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$1,098)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2002	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

\$880 per family; See Miller, T.R., & Hendrie, D. (2005). How should governments spend the drug prevention dollar?: A buyer's guide. In T. Stockwell, P. Gruenewald, J. Toumbourou, & W. Loxley (Eds.), Preventing harmful substance use (pp. 415-431). England: John Wiley & Sons Ltd.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Disruptive behavior disorder symptoms	Primary	1	152	-0.246	0.172	-0.081	0.181	13	-0.039	0.095	16
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	152	-0.523	0.222	-0.172	0.222	15	-0.172	0.222	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	152	-0.210	0.359	-0.069	0.228	15	-0.069	0.228	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	152	-0.874	0.011	-0.288	0.345	15	-0.288	0.345	18
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	1	151	-0.317	0.038	-0.105	0.153	15	-0.105	0.153	18
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	1	153	-0.387	0.036	-0.128	0.184	13	-0.128	0.184	18

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Guiding Good Choices (formerly Preparing for the Drug Free Years)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Guiding Good Choices, formerly known as Preparing for the Drug-Free Years, is a skills-training program for middle school students and their parents typically implemented outside normal school hours. The five-session drug resistance and education program, implemented one night per week for five weeks, aims to improve parent-child interactions that reduce the risk for substance use initiation. Sessions typically last two hours each and include a mix of group discussions, workbook activities, role plays, and multimedia presentations. Program content includes education about the prevalence of substance use and risk and protective factors associated with use, and the development of strategies in the home to prevent use (Session 1), establishing expectations and guidelines within the home regarding substance use (Session 2), education and opportunities to practice refusal skills (Session 3), managing family conflict and constructively handling disputes between family members (Session 4), and strategies for engaging the adolescent in family activities and ways to create supportive networks among parents (Session 5). Parents are required to attend all five sessions while the adolescents is required to attend Session 3.

Benefit-Cost Summary

Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$993	Benefit to cost ratio	\$2.17
Taxpayers	\$526	Benefits minus costs	\$765
Other (1)	\$171	Probability of a positive net present value	61 %
Other (2)	(\$272)		
Total	\$1,419		
Costs	(\$654)		
Benefits minus cost	\$765		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates

Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$35	\$104	\$17	\$156
Health care (smoking)	\$12	\$73	\$64	\$37	\$186
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$980	\$418	\$0	\$1	\$1,399
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$3	\$0	\$4
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$327)	(\$327)
Totals	\$993	\$526	\$171	(\$272)	\$1,419

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

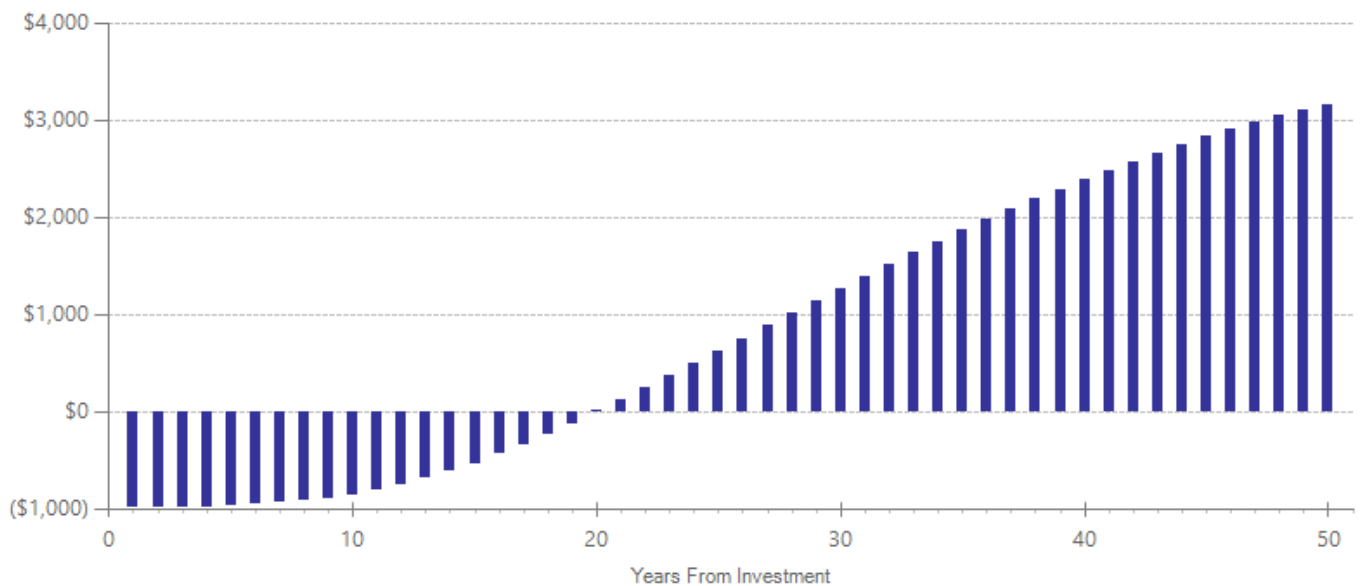
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$655	1	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$654)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2012	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from Spoth, R.L., Guyll, M., & Day, S.X. (2002). Universal family-focused interventions in alcohol-use disorder prevention: Cost-effectiveness and cost-benefit analyses of two interventions. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 63(2), 219.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	146	-0.256	0.030	-0.085	0.118	16	-0.085	0.118	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	143	-0.305	0.345	-0.101	0.324	16	-0.101	0.324	18
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	144	-0.187	0.175	-0.062	0.138	16	-0.062	0.138	18
Internalizing symptoms	Primary	1	149	-0.237	0.189	-0.078	0.180	18	-0.057	0.142	20
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	2	261	-0.082	0.619	-0.027	0.164	16	-0.027	0.164	18

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Family Check-Up (also known as Positive Family Support)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Positive Family Support/Family Check-Up (formerly Adolescent Transitions Program) is a three-tiered intervention implemented in middle schools. The first level is a universal component that involves the establishment of a family resource center and the implementation of a six-week prevention curriculum. The second tier is Family Check-Up, an assessment and brief motivational interview component for students identified as at-risk. The third tier is the Family Intervention Menu, which directs parents of substance-using adolescents to treatment options, parenting groups, and family therapy sessions. Our review is of the entire Positive Family Support model and not solely the second tier Family Check-Up component.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$0	Benefit to cost ratio	\$0.21
Taxpayers	\$51	Benefits minus costs	(\$255)
Other (1)	\$155	Probability of a positive net present value	47 %
Other (2)	(\$137)		
Total	\$68		
Costs	(\$323)		
Benefits minus cost	(\$255)		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$48	\$148	\$24	\$220
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$2	\$0	\$4
Labor market earnings (major depression)	(\$3)	(\$1)	\$0	\$0	(\$4)
Health care (major depression)	\$1	\$4	\$4	\$1	\$11
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$162)	(\$162)
Totals	\$0	\$51	\$155	(\$137)	\$68

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

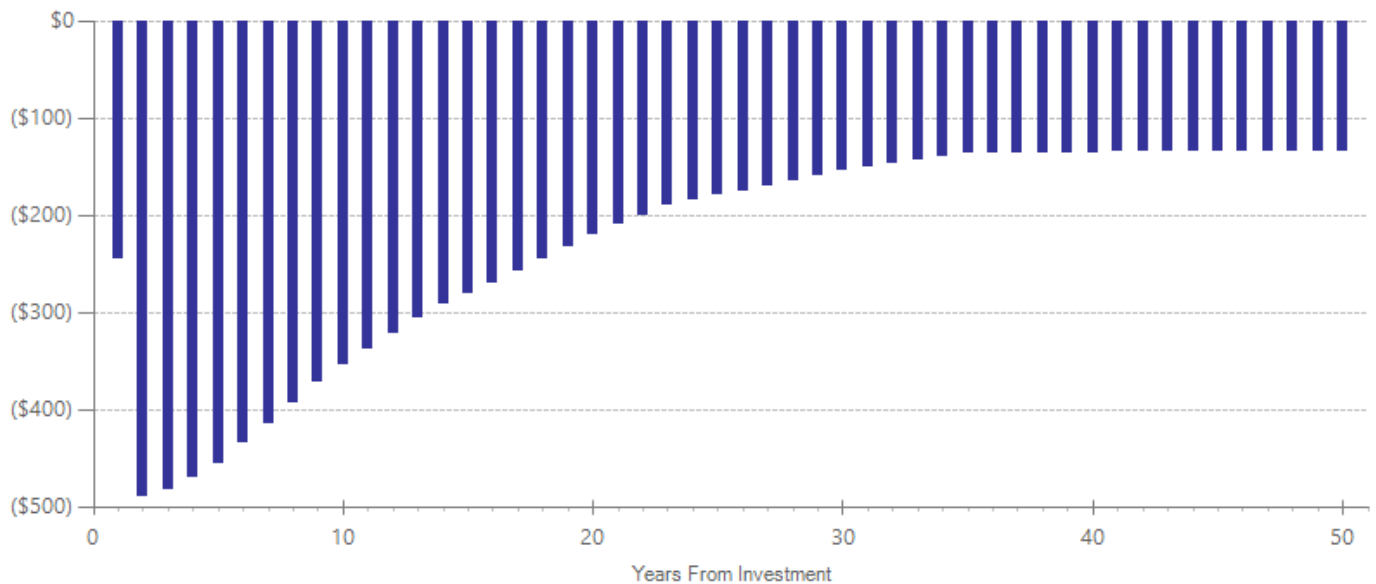
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$164	2	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$323)
Comparison costs	\$0	2	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from Blueprints for Healthy Youth Development (<http://www.blueprintsprograms.com/programCosts.php?pid=b16a457a3302d7c1f4563df2ffc96dccc3779af7>).

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	1	386	-0.727	0.001	-0.240	0.209	13	-0.240	0.209	18
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	500	-0.145	0.342	-0.048	0.153	14	-0.048	0.153	18
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	1	386	-0.350	0.092	-0.116	0.208	13	-0.116	0.208	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	500	-0.050	0.741	-0.017	0.152	18	-0.017	0.152	18
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	386	-0.305	0.142	-0.101	0.208	13	-0.101	0.208	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	500	-0.126	0.410	-0.041	0.153	18	-0.041	0.153	18
Major depressive disorder	Primary	1	52	-0.296	0.527	-0.098	0.469	15	0.000	0.039	16
Externalizing behavior symptoms	Primary	1	500	-0.012	0.939	-0.004	0.152	19	-0.002	0.079	22
Crime	Primary	1	500	-0.039	0.932	-0.013	0.152	18	-0.013	0.152	28
Grade point average	Primary	1	500	-0.062	0.685	-0.020	0.152	18	-0.020	0.152	18

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Mentoring for students: community-based (with volunteer costs)

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: In community-based mentoring programs, volunteer adults are paired with at-risk middle- and high-school students to meet weekly at locations of their choosing for relationship building and guidance. Community-based organizations provide the adult mentors with training and oversight. Mentors are expected to build relationships with mentees with the aim of improving a variety of outcomes including crime rates, academic achievement, and substance abuse. This analysis includes evaluation findings (in no particular order) for the Washington State Mentors program, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Across Ages, Sponsor-a-Scholar, Career Beginnings, the Buddy System, and other, locally developed programs.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$6,946	Benefit to cost ratio	\$3.36
Taxpayers	\$3,513	Benefits minus costs	\$7,501
Other (1)	\$1,587	Probability of a positive net present value	60 %
Other (2)	(\$1,353)		
Total	\$10,694		
Costs	(\$3,193)		
Benefits minus cost	\$7,501		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	(\$399)	(\$1,242)	(\$200)	(\$1,841)
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$7,060	\$3,011	\$3,491	\$0	\$13,562
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$2	\$0	\$3	\$0	\$5
Health care (educational attainment)	(\$115)	\$901	(\$665)	\$454	\$575
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$1,607)	(\$1,607)
Totals	\$6,946	\$3,513	\$1,587	(\$1,353)	\$10,694

We created the two "other" categories to report results that do not fit neatly in the "participant" or "taxpayer" perspectives. In the "Other (1)" category we include the benefits of reductions in crime victimization and the economic spillover benefits of improvement in human capital outcomes. In the "Other (2)" category we include estimates of the net changes in the value of a statistical life and net changes in the deadweight costs of taxation.

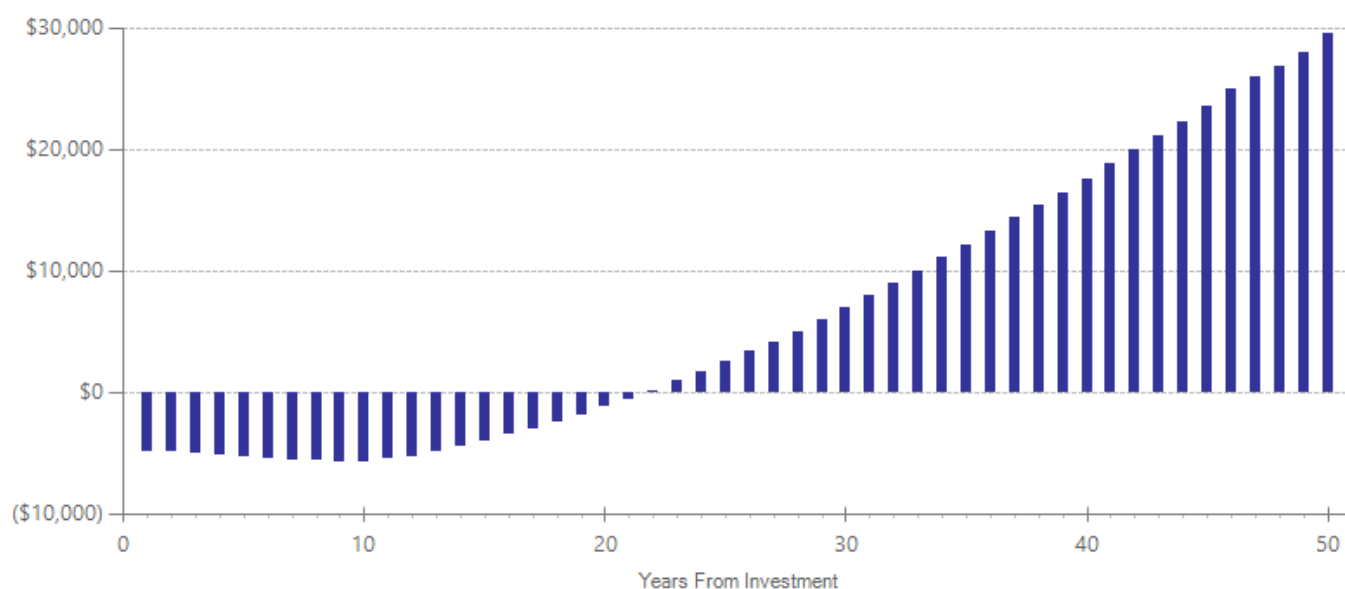
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$2,748	1	2005	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$3,193)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2005	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost estimates are based on the Big Brothers/Big Sisters program as described in Herrera, C., Grossman, J.B., Kauh, T.J., Feldman, A.F., & McMaken, J. (2007). *Making a difference in schools: The Big Brothers Big Sisters school-based mentoring impact study*. Philadelphia, PA: Public/Private Ventures. The cost of volunteer time is based on the Office of Financial Management State Data Book average adult salary for 2012 multiplied by 1.44 to account for benefits. In the evaluated community-based programs, mentors meet with mentees, on average, once per week over the course of one year. Cost estimates exclude donated space.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Grade point average	Primary	5	1157	0.095	0.027	0.077	0.043	14	0.077	0.043	17
School attendance	Primary	4	996	0.007	0.886	-0.005	0.114	14	-0.005	0.114	17
High school graduation	Primary	2	758	0.293	0.040	0.101	0.143	18	0.101	0.143	18
Crime	Primary	6	1877	0.093	0.025	0.082	0.041	14	0.082	0.041	24
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	1	85	-0.295	0.178	-0.091	0.219	14	-0.091	0.219	17
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	85	-0.179	0.412	-0.056	0.218	14	-0.056	0.218	17
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	43	-0.212	0.343	-0.212	0.223	17	-0.212	0.223	17
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	1	487	-0.406	0.005	-0.406	0.143	17	-0.406	0.143	17

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Project STAR

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated July 2014.

Program Description: Also known as the Midwestern Prevention Project, Project STAR is a multi-component prevention program with the goal of reducing adolescent tobacco, alcohol, and marijuana use. The program consists of a 6th- and 7th-grade intervention supported by parent, community, and mass media components that address the multiple influences of substance use.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$1,994	Benefit to cost ratio	\$8.55
Taxpayers	\$1,049	Benefits minus costs	\$3,761
Other (1)	\$1,364	Probability of a positive net present value	97 %
Other (2)	(\$147)		
Total	\$4,261		
Costs	(\$499)		
Benefits minus cost	\$3,761		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$92	\$285	\$46	\$423
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$1,975	\$842	\$976	\$0	\$3,793
Health care (smoking)	\$18	\$114	\$100	\$57	\$290
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$2	\$0	\$3	\$0	\$5
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$250)	(\$250)
Totals	\$1,994	\$1,049	\$1,364	(\$147)	\$4,261

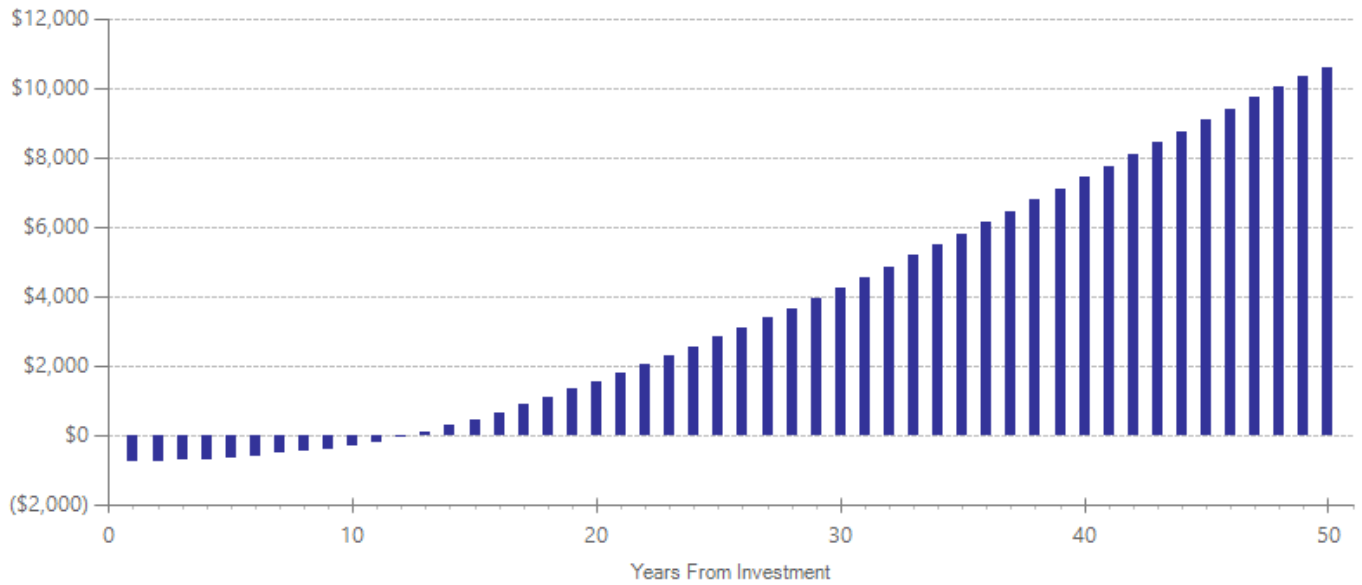
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$400	1	2002	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$499)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2002	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

\$400 per pupil; See Miller, T.R., & Hendrie, D. (2005). How should governments spend the drug prevention dollar?: A buyer's guide. In T. Stockwell, P. Gruenewald, J. Toumbourou, & W. Loxley (Eds.), Preventing harmful substance use (pp. 415-431). England: John Wiley & Sons Ltd.

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	2	4915	-0.272	0.001	-0.090	0.058	15	-0.090	0.058	25
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	2	4915	-0.798	0.001	-0.263	0.105	15	-0.263	0.105	25
Smoking in high school	Primary	2	4915	-0.281	0.001	-0.093	0.058	15	-0.093	0.058	25

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Communities That Care

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated April 2012.

Program Description: Communities that Care (CTC) is a coalition-based community prevention program that aims to prevent youth problem behaviors including underage drinking, tobacco use, violence, delinquency, school dropout, and substance abuse. CTC works through a community board to assess risk and protective factors among the youth in their community. The board works to implement tested and effective programs to address the issues and needs that are identified.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$691	Benefit to cost ratio	\$3.25
Taxpayers	\$561	Benefits minus costs	\$1,253
Other (1)	\$726	Probability of a positive net present value	85 %
Other (2)	(\$151)		
Total	\$1,826		
Costs	(\$573)		
Benefits minus cost	\$1,253		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	Total benefits
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$226	\$686	\$112	\$1,024
Health care (smoking)	\$7	\$43	\$38	\$22	\$110
Labor market earnings (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$683	\$291	\$0	\$1	\$975
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$2	\$0	\$3
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$285)	(\$285)
Totals	\$691	\$561	\$726	(\$151)	\$1,826

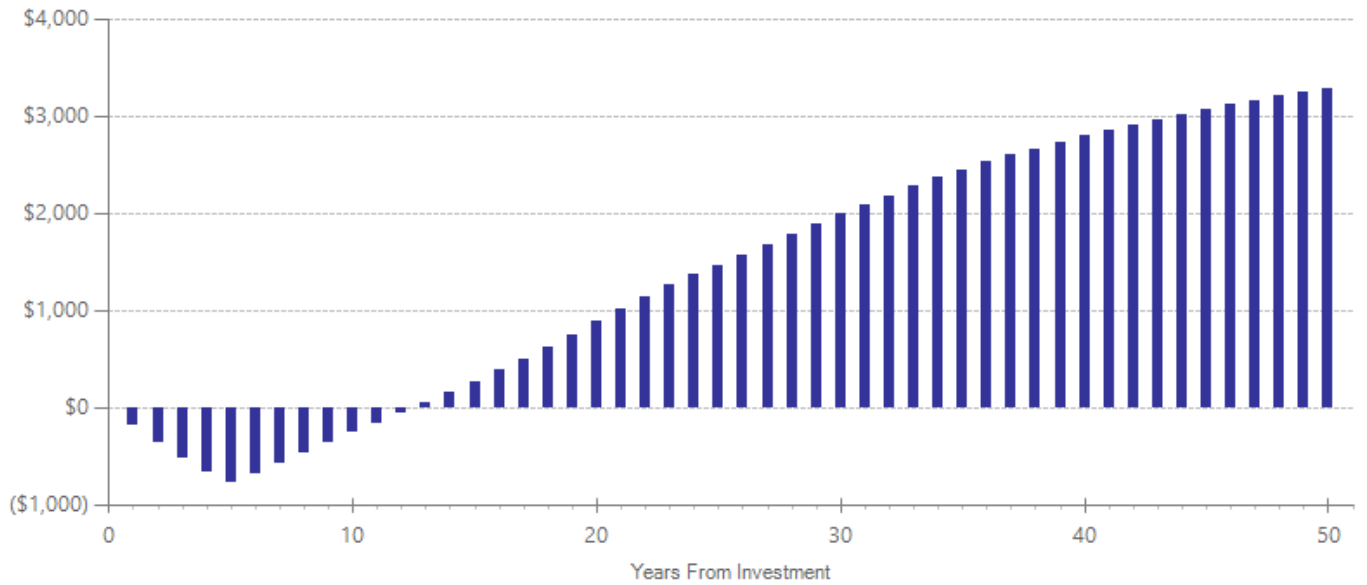
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$103	5	2004	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$573)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2004	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	35 %

Weighted average of per-child costs across twelve CtC demonstration communities. Provided by M. Kuklinski, Social Development Research Group, January 2013.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Crime	Primary	1	1926	-0.135	0.001	-0.051	0.042	16	-0.051	0.042	26
Smoking in high school	Primary	1	2227	-0.092	0.017	-0.035	0.039	16	-0.035	0.039	26
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	1917	-0.150	0.001	-0.057	0.045	16	-0.057	0.045	26
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	2395	-0.041	0.291	-0.015	0.039	16	-0.015	0.039	26
Illicit drug use in high school	Primary	1	2372	-0.039	0.314	-0.015	0.039	16	-0.015	0.039	26

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Project Northland

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated June 2014.

Program Description: Project Northland is a multilevel, universal intervention designed to prevent substance use among adolescents in middle school. The 6th grade home component targets parent-child communication via homework assignments, group discussions, and the establishment of a communitywide task force. The 7th grade school-based curriculum, which focuses on improving resistance skills and social norms regarding teen alcohol use, includes class discussions, games, and role plays. The 8th grade components include the peer-led Powerlines curriculum, a mock town meeting, and a community action project. Our review of Project Northland is limited to the 6th-8th grade implementation model and does not include the Class Action high school component.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$357	Benefit to cost ratio	\$3.74
Taxpayers	\$187	Benefits minus costs	\$507
Other (1)	\$222	Probability of a positive net present value	73 %
Other (2)	(\$74)		
Total	\$692		
Costs	(\$185)		
Benefits minus cost	\$507		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$7	\$22	\$4	\$33
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$352	\$150	\$174	\$0	\$675
Health care (smoking)	\$5	\$29	\$26	\$15	\$74
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$0	\$0	\$1	\$0	\$1
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$92)	(\$92)
Totals	\$357	\$187	\$222	(\$74)	\$692

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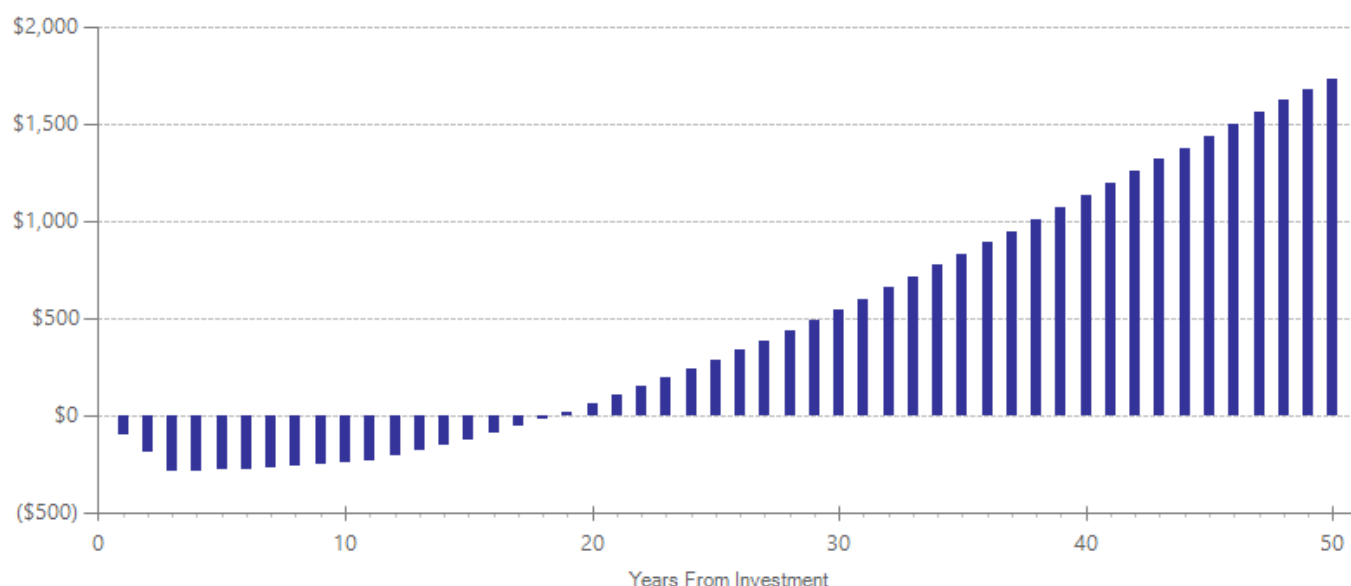
Detailed Cost Estimates

	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$64	3	2013	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$185)
Comparison costs	\$0	3	2013	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Cost data come from NREPP and curriculum publisher (http://www.hazelden.org/OA_HTML/ibeCCtpItmDspRte.jsp?a=b&item=15546; <http://www.nrepp.samhsa.gov/ViewIntervention.aspx?id=25#divContacts>).

The figures shown are estimates of the costs to implement programs in Washington. The comparison group costs reflect either no treatment or treatment as usual, depending on how effect sizes were calculated in the meta analysis. The uncertainty range is used in Monte Carlo risk analysis, described in our [technical documentation](#).

Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
				ES	p-value	First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
						ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking before end of middle school	Primary	1	951	-0.179	0.004	-0.059	0.062	14	-0.059	0.062	18
Alcohol use before end of middle school	Primary	3	4057	-0.089	0.001	-0.032	0.024	14	-0.032	0.024	18
Youth binge drinking	Primary	1	1401	-0.076	0.039	-0.025	0.037	14	-0.025	0.037	18
Cannabis use before end of middle school	Primary	1	951	-0.099	0.535	-0.033	0.159	14	-0.033	0.159	18

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Computer-based substance use prevention programs

Benefit-cost estimates updated December 2014. Literature review updated December 2014.

Program Description: Computer-based prevention programs utilize technology to deliver interactive materials to youth that are designed to teach about the dangers of drug and tobacco use, to encourage resistance skills, and to change attitudes towards ATOD use. These programs generally include quizzes, surveys, and feedback. They can be implemented in schools, at home, community centers, or primary care facilities. Project ASPIRE and Smoking Zine are two name-brand programs included in this report.

Benefit-Cost Summary			
Program benefits		Summary statistics	
Participants	\$639	Benefit to cost ratio	\$20.26
Taxpayers	\$349	Benefits minus costs	\$1,321
Other (1)	\$396	Probability of a positive net present value	68 %
Other (2)	\$6		
Total	\$1,390		
Costs	(\$69)		
Benefits minus cost	\$1,321		

The estimates shown are present value, life cycle benefits and costs. All dollars are expressed in the base year chosen for this analysis (2013). The economic discount rates and other relevant parameters are described in our [technical documentation](#).

Detailed Monetary Benefit Estimates					
Source of benefits	Benefits to				Total benefits
	Participants	Taxpayers	Other (1)	Other (2)	
From primary participant					
Crime	\$0	\$5	\$16	\$2	\$23
Labor market earnings (hs grad)	\$625	\$267	\$309	\$0	\$1,201
Health care (smoking)	\$13	\$79	\$70	\$39	\$201
Property loss (alcohol abuse/dependence)	\$1	\$0	\$3	\$0	\$4
Health care (cannabis abuse/dependence)	(\$1)	(\$2)	(\$2)	(\$1)	(\$5)
Adjustment for deadweight cost of program	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$34)	(\$34)
Totals	\$639	\$349	\$396	\$6	\$1,390

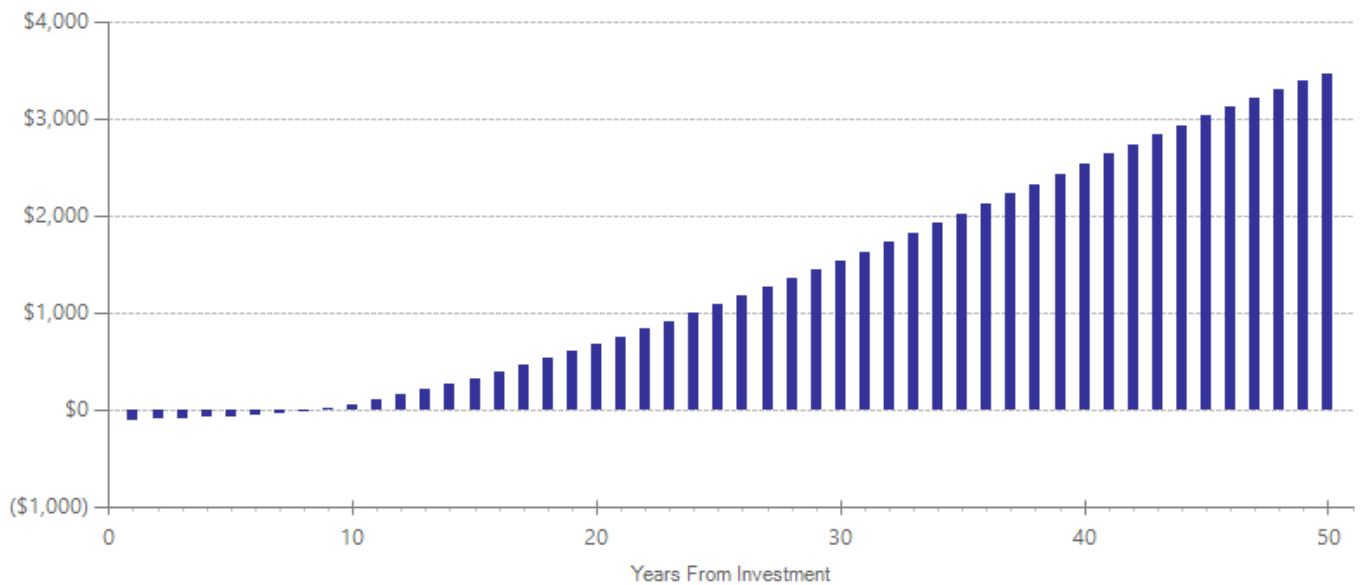
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Detailed Cost Estimates					
	Annual cost	Program duration	Year dollars	Summary statistics	
Program costs	\$68	1	2012	Present value of net program costs (in 2013 dollars)	(\$69)
Comparison costs	\$0	1	2012	Uncertainty (+ or - %)	10 %

Estimated from The National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices, and from cost information on tobacco cessation website development in Graham et al. (2012) Cost-effectiveness of internet and telephone treatment for smoking cessation: an economic evaluation of the IQUITT study.

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Cumulative Net Cash Flows Over Time (Non-Discounted Dollars)



Meta-Analysis of Program Effects

Outcomes measured	Primary or secondary participant	No. of effect sizes	Treatment N	Unadjusted effect size (random effects model)		Adjusted effect sizes and standard errors used in the benefit-cost analysis					
						First time ES is estimated			Second time ES is estimated		
				ES	p-value	ES	SE	Age	ES	SE	Age
Smoking in high school	Primary	5	5973	-0.063	0.199	-0.063	0.049	16	-0.063	0.049	18
Alcohol use in high school	Primary	1	270	-0.068	0.513	-0.068	0.104	18	-0.068	0.104	18
Cannabis use in high school	Primary	1	270	0.017	0.868	0.017	0.104	18	0.017	0.104	18

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