

Instructions for SWIP Participants

Bring appropriate clothing and other necessities as you would for a weekend trip: toiletry items, comfortable clothing, etc. Linens are provided. Items such as "short shorts", halter tops, tank tops, fishnet tops, and clothing that depicts or advertises alcohol/drugs are not considered appropriate. Please do not bring books or study materials - they will not be allowed.

Individuals who are taking prescription medication must notify the SWIP coordinator at (785) 825-6224 prior to participation in the program. Medications must be brought in the original containers/prescription bottles. Medication brought in plastic bags, medication boxes, etc. will not be allowed.

Dinner will not be served Friday evening, but all other meals will be provided. You are allowed to bring unopened snacks and soft drinks.

The use of tobacco products is not permitted during your participation in the program. Nicotine patches may be used as a substitute but will be subject to the same guidelines as other medications. Please place any razor blades or other sharps in a Ziploc bag or other storage container.

All participants must be alcohol and drug free upon arrival. Use of alcohol or other drugs will result in immediate dismissal from the program. This dismissal will be reported to the referring court and may result in incarceration.

Check-In occurs in the lobby of the Nickell Hall, Kansas Regional Training Center - National Guard. Staff will meet you and direct you to the appropriate location. Check-in is at 6:00 pm on Friday evening. Anyone arriving later than 6:00 pm will not be allowed to attend. It is best to schedule yourself to be 10-15 minutes early to the program. The program concludes at 6:00 pm on Sunday evening.

The Kansas Regional Training Center

(785) 822 - 3296

(785) 822 - 3298

(Telephone calls cannot be made or received during SWIP, but this phone # can be given to family members for emergencies.)

Approximately two weeks prior to SWIP you will be sent a letter reminding you of the program, so it is important that you inform us of any change of address. Directions to Nickell Hall will be included in the letter.

Direct any questions to the SWIP Coordinator at (785) 825-6224.



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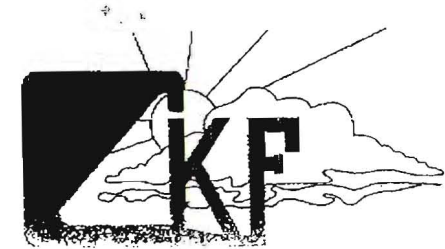
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SALINA WEEKEND INTERVENTION PROGRAM (SWIP)

*A joint venture between the 28th Judicial District
Court and the Central Kansas Foundation.*

SWIP IS FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH A FIRST-TIME DUI OFFENSE

The Salina Weekend Intervention Program, also known as SWIP, is presented to comply with Kansas DUI Law, which requires attendance at an alcohol and drug information program. It also serves those whose offense calls for 48 hours of incarceration.

The Kansas Attorney General has said, "The term 'imprisonment' includes not only actual incarceration in jail, but may refer to any situation in which the defendant's liberty is restrained and he/she is subject to additional sanctions should an escape be made."

A DUI CAN HAVE SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES

Every day, all over America, people are killed or injured because they or someone else drove a vehicle after drinking too much. It has been said that drunk driving is a violent crime in which everyone is a victim. The driver of the car that kills or injures another person must live with that incident for the rest of his or her life.

We tend to think that this could not happen to us, but it can and does happen every day. In fact, every two years more Americans are killed by drunk drivers than were killed in the entire 10 years of the Vietnam War.

During SWIP there are no bars on the windows or doors, but nonetheless, this is jail. Participants in SWIP check in for 48 hours, beginning Friday evening.

SWIP IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR EDUCATION

For years, alcohol and other drug related offenses were treated just like any other offense with fines, fees, revocation, suspension or restriction of driver's licenses, and maybe some jail time.

Later studies revealed, with education on alcohol and other drugs and the effects of drinking and driving, the number of repeat offenders was greatly reduced - dropping from 16 - 20 percent to less than 10 percent.

This course provides information about the use of alcohol and other drugs, the laws, the seriousness of your offense, and ways to change your attitudes about alcohol and other drug use, particularly when driving. If you feel you have a problem and wish to address it, you will be provided with the names and numbers of professionals or agencies that can assist you.

The staff of the SWIP program will make recommendations for further services on the last day of the program. In SWIP, we take no official position on the use of alcohol; that is a matter of individual choice. **SWIP focuses on changing attitudes about drinking and driving and exploring alcohol and other drug use behavior that is harmful.**

OFFENSES OTHER THAN DUI

At times, individuals with an alcohol/drug related offense other than DUI are ordered by the court to attend the SWIP program.

Attendance is allowed in such instances when ordered by the court. You will be asked to provide verification of this order and a copy of an alcohol/drug evaluation report.

ENROLLMENT FEE

The fee for SWIP is \$250.00. Enrollment is not guaranteed until full payment is received at CKF. Program capacity is 24 participants. The class is filled on a first come, first served basis when the full payment is received. **Payment is due two weeks prior to the scheduled class date and should be made to Central Kansas Foundation, 1805 S. Ohio, Salina, Kansas 67401 or by phone with credit card.** A minimum of 18 participants is required for the class to be held.

REFUND POLICY: If you are unable to attend a scheduled function you may request a refund by contacting CKF at (785) 825 - 6224. A \$15.00 administrative fee will be deducted from the refund amount. Refunds will be processed within 30 days of request.

PROGRAM EVALUATION

At the beginning of the program you will be given a test to measure your present level of knowledge on a variety of subjects concerning alcohol and other drugs. On Sunday afternoon, each participant will complete a post test on the same material. In addition, all participants will complete a program evaluation. We ask for your honest appraisal of the program, the instructors, and the materials; we welcome suggestions for improvements. We hope that his program will be of benefit to you, that you will come away with information that will serve you well, and most of all, that you will never again suffer the inconvenience, embarrassment, humiliation, and cost of a DUI offense.

**The Program is held at:
Kansas Regional Training Center
2930 Scanlan Avenue
Salina, Kansas**