



THE COURAGE TO SPEAK® FOUNDATION

Saving Lives by Empowering Youth to be Drug Free

Ginger Katz, CEO and Founder

Program Activities Statistics 1997 – October 2015

The Courage to Speak Presentation

Presentations: Over 1,000

Attendees: 900,000

Where Presentations Have Taken Place:

California: Coronado and San Diego

Connecticut: Ansonia, Beacon Falls, Bethany, Bloomfield, Branford, Bridgeport, Bristol, Brookfield, Canton, Cheshire, Colchester, Coventry, Cromwell, Danbury, Darien, Deep River, East Lyme, Fairfield, Farmington, Glastonbury, Greenwich, Guilford, Haddam, Hamden, Hartford, Higganum, Killingworth, Lakeville, Ledyard, Litchfield, Lyme, Madison, Meriden, Middletown, Milford, Monroe, Moodus, Mystic, New Britain, New Canaan, New Fairfield, New Haven, Newington, Newtown, North Haven, North Branford, Norwalk, Oakdale, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook, Orange, Prospect, Redding, Ridgefield, Riverside, Shelton, Somers, South Windsor, Stamford, Stratford, Storrs, Tolland, Torrington, Trumbull, Uncasville, Washington, Waterbury, West Hartford, Westport, Wilton, Winsted, Wolcott, Woodbridge, Woodstock

Florida: Boca Raton, Orlando, Port St. Lucia, Sarasota, Tampa, Vero Beach

Illinois: Chicago, Effingham

Indiana: Indianapolis

Maine: Standish

Maryland: Olney

Massachusetts: Boston, Burlington, Canton, Danvers, Gardner, Fitchburg, Franklin, Lawrence, Lowell, Lynn, Nantucket, Newbury, Newburyport, Norfolk, North Easton, Peabody, Quincy, Westford, Weymouth, Williamstown, Winchester

Michigan: Harbor Springs

New Hampshire: Dover and Peterborough

New Jersey: Chatham, Harrison, Pompton Plains, River Dell

New York: Bohemia, Brewster, Bronx, Carmel, Centereach, Chappaqua, Floral Park, Great Neck, Hawthorn, Hudson, Huntington, Katonah, Lincolndale, Locus Valley, Manchester, Manhasset, New York City, New Rochelle, North Salem, Oakdale, Old Westbury, Oyster Bay, Pelham, Putnam, Ronkonkoma, Roslyn, Salem, Seaford, Selden, Somers, Valhalla, West Islip, Yorktown Heights

Nevada: Reno

North Carolina:

Ohio: Cincinnati

Pennsylvania: Royersford

Rhode Island: Newport and South Kingstown

Texas: Austin and Dallas

Vermont: Cabot

Virginia: Arlington and Martinsville

Washington D.C.:

Wisconsin: Two Rivers

Towns Reading Sunny's Story:

Arizona: Glendale, Phoenix

Arkansas: Jonesboro

Aruba: Palm Beach

California: Escondido, Gardena, Lakeport, Livermore, San Diego, San Ramon, S. San Francisco, Solvang, Woodside

Connecticut: Ansonia, Beacon Falls, Bethany, Bloomfield, Branford, Bridgeport, Bristol, Brookfield, Canton, Cheshire, Colchester, Coventry, Cromwell, Danbury, Darien, Deep River, East Lyme, Fairfield, Farmington, Glastonbury, Greenwich, Guilford, Haddam, Hamden, Hartford, Higganum, Killingworth, Lakeville, Ledyard, Litchfield, Lyme, Meriden, Middletown, Milford, Monroe, Moodus, Mystic, New Britain, New Canaan, New Fairfield, New Haven, Newington, Newtown, North Haven, North Branford, Norwalk, Oakdale, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook, Orange, Prospect, Redding, Ridgefield, Riverside, Shelton, Somers, South Windsor, Stamford, Stratford, Storrs, Tolland, Torrington, Trumbull, Uncasville, Washington, Waterbury, West Hartford, Westport, Wilton, Winsted, Wolcott, Woodbridge, Woodstock

Delaware: Millsboro

Florida: Boca Raton, Longwood, Margate, Venice, Williston

Georgia: Carrollton, Commerce, Dunwoody, Ellabell, Rome, St. Marys

Illinois: Jerseyville, Petersburg, Woodstock

Indiana: Columbus, Indianapolis, Lebanon, Jerseyville

Iowa: Grinnell

Kentucky: Beaver Dam, Campbellsville, Hartford, Owensboro

Maine: Beals Island, Jonesport, Standish

Maryland: Annapolis, Baldwin, Bethesda, East New Market, Hurlock, Hagerstown, Rockville, Welcome

Massachusetts: Avon, Burlington, Barnstable, Canton, Carlisle, Lexington, Gardner Lowell, Lynn, Nantucket, N. Easton, Peabody, Scituate, Weymouth

Michigan: Freeland

Minnesota: Anoka, Lakeville

Mississippi: Adrian

New Hampshire: Amherst, Dover, Lyme, Manchester, Nashua, Nottingham, Rochester, Stratham

New Jersey: Dover, Englewood, Glendora, Glen Oaks, Little Falls, Orange, Parsippany, Short Hills, Stamford, Westwood

New York: Bohemia, Brewster, Bronx, Chappaqua, Floral Park, Geneseo, Glen Cove, Glen Oaks, Ithaca, Lynbrook, New York, Oakdale, Oyster Bay, Palmyra, Rochester, Rye, Scarsdale, Selden, Stamford, West Islip, Yorktown Heights

North Carolina: Durham

Ohio: Carlisle, Cleveland, Lorain, Loveland, Marietta, Middletown, Sandusky, Waterville, Waverly

Oregon: Dayton, Gresham, Lyons, Wilsonville

Pennsylvania: Beaver Falls, Easton, Eddystone, Philadelphia, Somerset

Rhode Island: South Kingstown

South Carolina: Beaufort, Columbia, Lexington

Tennessee: Mountain City

Texas: Azle, Baytown, Carrollton, Kerrville

Utah: North Ogden

Vermont: Enosburg Falls

Virginia: Alexandria, Martinsville, Staunton

Washington DC

Washington: Liberty Lake, Marysville, Moses Lake, Spokane

West Virginia: Clarksburg, Weirton

Wisconsin: Racine, Lodi, West Allis



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Courage to Speak Drug Prevention Program

Teachers Trained: 98

4th – 12th Grade Students Taught the Program

- **Connecticut**
 - Norwalk: 17,763 / 7 Schools
 - Norwalk Housing Authority, Family & Children Agency
 - Bridgeport: 2,246 / 10 Schools
 - Stratford: Bunnell High School
 - Hamden: High School Students
 - Kent: Grades 4-6
 - Waterbury: Middle School Students
 - Haddam-Killingworth: 5th graders
 - Monroe: Elementary Students
 - Stamford: 6th grade
 - St. Joseph's HS Trumbull 10th & 11th grade
 - East Haddam: D.A.R.E officer teaches *Sunny's Story*
- **Indianapolis:** Indiana Middle School
- **New York:** Geneso, Grades 4-6
- **Maine:** Beals Island, Jonesport
- **Massachusetts:** Scituate, Weymouth
- Georgia, Kentucky, North Carolina, Virginia, Ohio, Wisconsin: *Sunny's Story* Program & After School Program

Courage to Speak- Courageous Parenting 101®

Roll-outs: 90 in CT, MA, MI, NY and RI

Arkansas: Jonesboro

Connecticut: Bethel, Branford, Bridgeport (6), Burlington (2), Canton, Cheshire (2), Deep River, East Lyme, Great Barrington, Groton Guilford (3), Killingworth, Milford (6), Moodus (2), New Canaan, North Haven (2), Norwalk (21), Old Lyme (2), Old Saybrook (2), Stamford (2), Torrington, Trumbull (4), Uncasville, Waterbury (3), Westport (2) and Winsted (2), Windsor Locks, Woodstock

Delaware: Millsboro

Indiana: Indianapolis

Maine: Beals Island, Jonesport

Massachusetts: Long Meadow, Milton and Quincy (2)

Michigan: Harbor Springs

New York: Bronx (2), Webster

Panama: Panama City

Rhode Island: South Kingstown

Professional Facilitators Trained: 125 (Spanish 14)

Annual Courage to Speak Empowering Youth to be Drug Free Family Night

Attendees: 3,225 over 11 years

Courage to Speak Support Groups

Parents attending monthly groups since 2000: 110

1,860 phone calls logged from both parents who have lost a child to a drug-related death or whose child is currently using drugs since the organization's founding, which tallies to more than 100 a year. Additionally, 880 emails received – approximately – one per week from parents.

Electronic Newsletter

21,573 subscribers

250 newsletters and announcements published electronically since January 2009

Newspaper Articles

430 front, 3rd page and online newspaper articles written about Courage to Speak Foundation. Featured in New York Times 3 times, Hartford Courant 4 times. **Newspaper Press Releases** - over 500 press releases and announcements

TV programs

117 TV programs featured the Courage to Speak Foundation. Highlights: The O'Reilly Factor on Fox News, Educational Notebook on News Channel 12; Mommy Minute on Fox News, Hartford; News Channel 8; MSNBC.

Radio Interviews

76 Radio interviews featured the Courage to Speak Foundation

Highlights: CBS, Connoisseur Media CT: CT BOOM.com, FOX, STAR, PLR, WYBC, NPR, WSTC/WNLK, WICC.