**ALTERNATIVES**Youth Diversion Education Program

**Wednesday, November 8, 2023**

**9:30 AM – 3:15 PM CST (8:30 AM – 2:15 PM MST)**

**Virtual Cost is FREE**

**Presented by Stephanie Kinnander and Dodi Haug**

**Space is limited to 30 participants – Register SOON!**

Program Goal - to reduce the number of alcohol – and other drug-related crimes committed by individuals under the age of 21.

Objectives of the facilitator training:

* Define the theories supporting the foundation of *Interactive Journaling*, an evidence-based practice
* Describe the *Alternatives Interactive Journaling* curriculum
* Demonstrate effective implementation strategies for *Interactive Journaling*
* Practice effective facilitation strategies

The basic premises of *Alternatives Youth Diversion Education* Program are:

* People can change their behavior if they have the motivation and the tools to do so.
* Participants are responsible for the choices they make. This program can help participants make informed decisions yet; ultimately, they alone possess the power to choose.
* Brief interventions can be effective catalysts for change.
* Knowledge alone does not equal change.
* Interactive group process helps facilitate change.

**REGISTRATION**: Return registration by **October 20, 2023** to Stephanie Kinnander - [stephaniek@humanserviceagency.org](mailto:stephaniek@humanserviceagency.org)

Questions? Call (605) 884-3524. (If you do not receive a confirmation email within 2 working days after registration is sent, please resend registration.)

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