



# Guiding States, Transforming Communities: Building Prevention Coalition Capacity

Coalitions play a crucial role in crafting successful community-based prevention initiatives. They offer the necessary framework, human resources, and strategic planning processes to execute tasks effectively, all while keeping the community at the forefront of prevention endeavors.

*At EDC, we understand that successful coalition development requires collaboration, effective planning and acquiring new knowledge and skills to overcome challenges and cultivate participatory leadership.*

## Organizational Planning and Expansion

Whether your coalition aims to incorporate new focus areas or considers a merger with another group, we offer guidance and support throughout the planning and implementation phases. With consultation and training we can:

- Assess your coalition's structures and processes and identify opportunities for improvement.
- Assist you in the intentional engagement of new partnerships to mobilize champions and new partner organizations.
- Guide you in development of systemic supports needed to address these complex problems in coordinated and culturally-informed ways.

**Contact Us:** To learn more about how Prevention Solutions can support your efforts, go to: [Solutions.edc.org](https://solutions.edc.org)

Our services aim to empower your coalition by providing tailored assistance in several key areas:

- ✓ Structural Evaluation and Coalition Enhancement:
- ✓ Identifying Evidence-based Coalition Best Practices
- ✓ Overcoming Organizational Challenges
- ✓ Cultivating Participatory Leadership
- ✓ Enhance Member Satisfaction and Fostering Community Ownership

**Let us assist you through:**

Expert consultation and facilitated strategic planning to develop comprehensive strategies aligned with your goals and mission, fostering a clear path toward success.