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1. REPORT RELEASE

Washington State Institute for Public Policy has released a report, "Benefits and Costs of Prevention and Early Intervention Programs for Youth", an attempt at calculating the "bottom line" for many types of programs. A summary document and Appendices with technical details and references can be downloaded from the following website addresses:

Summary Report: <http://www.wsipp.wa.gov/rptfiles/04-07-3901.pdf>

Technical Appendix: <http://www.wsipp.wa.gov/rptfiles/04-07-3901a.pdf>

References: <http://www.wsipp.wa.gov/rptfiles/04-07-3901b.pdf>

The project provides a comprehensive view of outcomes in terms of education, substance abuse, teen pregnancy, and child abuse and neglect, in addition to criminal outcomes.

2. CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

West Virginia University's Office of Drug Abuse Intervention Studies is holding a conference on teen smoking, "Proven Strategies to Reduce Smoking Among Youth: Putting Research into Action in Rural Schools and Communities", on September 13 – 14, 2004 in Morgantown, West Virginia. For more information contact Angela Lacey-McCracken at 304-293-0670 or alaceymccracken@hscwvu.edu .

3. EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Recent posts on the SPR Career Opportunities page (<http://www.preventionresearch.org/sprcareers.php>) include:

Assistant Professor, Quantitative Psychology, at Wesleyan University (Middletown, CT)

Child and Family Psychology (two tenure-track positions) at University of South Carolina (Columbia, SC)

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