

# Substance Abuse Services for Youth Provider Directory 2014

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## Webb County Community Coalition Member Registration Form FY 2013-2014

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Coalition Members are individuals that attend meetings and participate in Coalition sponsored events/activities on a regular basis.

Please indicate below the **ONE** category that best describes the area you represent (check only one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth (age 14 to 17)       | <input type="checkbox"/> Parent  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Media                      | <input type="checkbox"/> School  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth-Serving Organization | <input type="checkbox"/> Gov. Agency                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement            | <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civic/Volunteer Group      | <input type="checkbox"/> Business  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recovery Community         | <input type="checkbox"/> Religious/Faith-Based                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Young Adult (age 18 to 25) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other agency involved in reducing substance abuse |

Preferred Method to Contact You about Meetings and Events (check one):

Phone     Fax     E-mail     Text

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Mail/Return/Fax/E-mail to: WCCC of SCAN, 2347 E. Saunders, Suite B,  
Laredo, Texas 78041/ Fax 956-724-4861/ E-mail [veronica.jimenez@scan-inc.org](mailto:veronica.jimenez@scan-inc.org)

# The Webb County Community Coalition of SCAN

The Webb County Community Coalition (WCCC) of SCAN was established in 1999 with funding from the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse (currently known as the Texas Department of State Health Services - Substance Abuse Services). In 2002, the WCCC was selected as a Drug-Free Communities Support Program Grant recipient from the Office of National Drug Control Policy. In 2007, the Webb County Community Coalition was selected by the Drug-Free Communities Support Program to receive funding for an additional five years. In 2008, the Texas Department of State Health Services awarded the coalition a new contract to continue the provision of coalition activities in Webb County for another four years. In addition, in 2013, the Texas Department of State Health Services awarded the coalition a new contract to continue the provision of coalition activities in Webb County for another four years.

***Our Vision...*** a significant reduction of substance abuse in Webb County due to the efforts of its people, the mobilization of its resources, and the development of strategic actions and initiatives.

***Our Mission...*** the reduction of substance abuse through a commitment to the design and delivery of comprehensive prevention services that is accomplished through an organized and collaborative effort in order to improve the quality of life in Webb County.

## ***Our Basic Tenets...***

- We are committed to protecting the youth in our community from the dangers of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs.
- We are dedicated to the concept of preventing youth from becoming involved with alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs by focusing on all sectors of the community.
- We are resolute in our belief that adults have a primary responsibility to act as positive role models for youth concerning all issues related to alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs.
- We are steadfast in our view that any establishments which provide services to children have an inherent responsibility to promote the comprehensive well-being of these young people especially where alcohol and tobacco use are concerned.

## ***Our Goals...***

- Mobilize, coordinate, and establish communication among and within the Webb County community.
- Affect social policy to prevent substance abuse.
- Educate and inform to impact social norms to prevent substance abuse.
- Enhance individual, family and community wellness.

## ***Our Philosophy...***

Community anti-drug coalitions are effective because they engage community members to identify and solve their own problems by connecting multiple sectors of the community, including businesses, parents, media, law enforcement, schools, religious organizations, health providers, social service agencies, and the government. By working as a coalition, all partners gain a more complete understanding of the community's problems. Thus, together, the partners are able to organize and develop plans and programs to coordinate their anti-drug efforts. The result is a comprehensive and community-wide approach to prevent substance abuse and related problems.

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## **COUNSELING AGENCIES**

### **A HEALTHY IMAGE COUNSELING AND CONSULTING SERVICES**

6826 Springfield, Ste. 102, Laredo, Texas 78041

*Contact:* Marisela Long  
*Office:* 956.724.2345  
*Fax:* 956.724.2399  
*E-mail:* mlong777@sbcglobal.net

#### ***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Sat. 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

#### ***Services Provided:***

Mental health counseling

#### ***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

#### ***Fees:***

Negotiable

### **AMOR COUNSELING CHILDREN & ADOLESCENT PSYCHOTHERAPY**

1812 Commerce, Suite 2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Ramiro Aguilar  
*Office:* 956.568.5857  
*E-mail:* [hombretto@gmail.com](mailto:hombretto@gmail.com)

#### ***Hours:***

Mon. - Fri., 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

#### ***Services Provided:***

Provide counseling services for individual, children, adolescents, adults family, and marriage counseling. Provide counseling services to children who have depression, anxiety, anger, learning difficulties, behavior problems, stress, traumas associated with parental separation or divorce, ADHD, Asperger's disorder, autism, and other related issues.

#### ***Credentials:***

Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology, Licensed Professional Counselor

***Fees:***

Private Pay

Private Insurance (Blue Cross Blue Shield & Aetna)

Medicaid (Driscoll Health Plan, United Healthcare, Superior Health Plan, Molina Healthcare of Texas)

CHIP & Molina CHIP

**CERVANTES COUNSELING CENTER**

6108 McPherson Ste. #1 (between Tacolare and Bright Beginnings Day Care)  
Laredo, Texas 78041

*Contact:* Lisa M. Cervantes

*Office:* 956.724.4357

*E-mail:* cervantecounseling@att.net

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Counseling services for children, adolescents, adults, marriages, families, foster children, and professional presentations. Treatment services for depression, anxiety, ADD/ADHD, conduct disorders, adjustment disorders, and parent-child relational problems.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

Board Certified Professional Counselor

Certified Nurturing Parenting Skills Trainer

***Fees:***

Set rate

Medicaid accepted

Most private insurance accepted

**CLARISSA I. KUHNS, Ph.D.**

7019 W. Village Blvd. Suite 201, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Clarissa I. Kuhns, Ph.D.

*Office:* 956.645.3643

*Fax:* 956.568.4008

*E-mail:* drckuhns@gmail.com

*Crisis/After Hours:* 956.645.3643

**Office Hours:**

By Appointment only

**Services Provided:**

Child/Adolescent therapy, family therapy, psychological testing, consultation, and parent training.

**Credentials:**

Ph.D. in Psychology, Licensed Psychologist, Licensed Specialist in School Psychology

**Fees:**

Please call for fees

Private Pay

Medicaid Provider

Private Insurance (Blue Cross Blue Shield, Driscoll Health Plan, United Healthcare, Humana)

CHIP (Molina Health)

Superior Health Insurance

**DAISY COUNSELING SERVICES**

5219 McPherson, Ste. 312, Laredo, TX 78041

**Contact:** Laura Perez, MA, LPC

**Office:** 956.523.0152

**Email:** daisycounseling@att.net

**Office Hours:**

Mon. - Thurs. 12:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Fri. 1:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.

*Other hours may be available as needed*

**Services Provided:**

Individual (child, adolescent, adult, and geriatric) counseling, family counseling, and diagnostic evaluations.

**Credentials:**

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

**Fees:**

\$85 hour



## DISCOVER INSIGHT

Home Visits Only

Contact: Alina Solodkin  
Contact: Roberto J. Lozano  
Office: 956.324.0204  
Fax: 956.568.2040  
E-mail: discoverinsight@gmail.com

### **Office Hours:**

Home visits only; Mon.-Fri. By appointment only

**Services Provided:** Counseling services for children, adolescents, adults, marriages, families, foster children, and provide professional presentations. Treatment services for depression, anxiety, ADD/ADHD, conduct disorders, adjustment disorders, and parent-child relational problems.

**Credentials:** Master of Science, Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC)

### **Fees:**

Private Pay

## FAMILY GUIDANCE SERVICES

2387 E. Saunders, Suite 1, SCAN, Inc., Laredo, TX 78041

Contact: Luis E. Flores  
Office: 956.717.3733  
Fax: 956.725.3166  
E-mail: familyguidance@gmail.com  
Crisis/After Hours: 956.286.9093

### **Office Hours:**

Mon.-Fri. 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.; Sat. 12:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

### **Services Provided:**

Individual and family counseling, treatment for child traumatic stress, treatment for children with behavioral problems, play therapy, and substance abuse services.

### **Credentials:**

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC), Registered Play Therapist-Supervisor (RPT-S)

### **Fees:**

\$70 hour

Blue Cross Blue Shield

**GABRIELA PEREZ, M.A., LPC-S, LCDC**

6826 Springfield, Suite 103 A, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Gabriela Perez

*Office:* 956.857.1702

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Sat. (By appointment only)

***Services Provided:***

Individual and family counseling (children, adolescents, and adults);  
Substance abuse counseling.

***Credentials:***

Licenciatura en Psicología (UDEM), Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology (TAMIU), Licensed Professional Counselor, Supervisor (LPC-S), Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC).

***Fees:***

Private pay

**GUILLERMO E. GONZALEZ, Jr., Ph.D.**

6826 Springfield, Ste. 103 A, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Guillermo E. Gonzalez, Jr.  
Ph.D.

*Office:* 956.722.3000

*Fax:* 956.729.1947

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. (By appointment only)

***Services Provided:***

Diagnostic clinic (referral needed from primary doctor)

***Credentials:***

Ph.D. in Psychology

***Fees:***

Varies

**INSTITUTE FOR MIND & BODY WELLNESS**

6801 McPherson Rd., Ste. 213, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Jose A. Gonzalez  
*Office:* 956.727.4629  
*Fax:* 956.726.8001  
*E-mail:* jg71967@yahoo.com  
yuri\_imbw@yahoo.com

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Alcohol and drug abuse counseling; behavioral evaluations; family, adolescent, and children services; interventions for depression and anxiety.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

***Fees:***

First visit \$120

\$65 hour

Private insurance accepted

**JUDITH RAMOS JORDAN, M.A., LPC**

1319 Corpus Christi St., Ste. 5, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Judith Ramos Jordan  
*Office:* 956.251.5236  
*Fax:* 956.795.0964  
*E-mail:*  
judithramosjordan@yahoo.com

***Office Hours:***

Mon. - Fri. By appointment only

***Services Provided:***

Individual, family, and couples counseling.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC); Masters in Counseling Psychology

***Fees:***

Set rate

Sliding scale as needed

**LA FAMILIA CONSULTING AND COUNSELING SERVICES**

1319 Corpus Christi St., Ste. 1, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Jesse Gerardo Hernandez,  
MA, LPC, LCDC

*Office:* 956.795.0948

*E-mail:* lafamilia@bizlaredo.rr.com

*Crisis/After Hours:* 956.337.7551

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Thurs. 8:00 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Fri. 9:00 a.m.-7:15 p.m. ( By appointment only)

***Services Provided:***

(Children, adolescents, and adults)-professional counseling, family counseling, marital counseling, individual counseling, chemical dependency counseling, co-occurring psychiatric and substance abuse services, EAP services, program development, training, and community presentations.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC)

***Fees:***

Private Pay (\$75 - \$100 hour)

**LAREDO COUNSELING SERVICES, INC.**

2315 E. Saunders, Ste. 2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Adriana Craddock, M.A.,  
LPC, LPA, LCDC, LBSW-IPR

*Office:* 956.729.1991

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Sat. (By appointment only)

***Services Provided:***

Individual counseling (children, adolescents, and adults), family and marital counseling, substance abuse counseling, and case management services for children and pregnant women.

***Credentials:***

Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology, Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Licensed Psychological Associate (LPA), Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC), National Certified Counselor (NCC), Licensed Baccalaureate Social Worker-Independent Practice Recognition (LBSW-IPR)

***Fees:***

Medicaid  
CHIP  
Private payment arrangements  
Private Insurance  
Sliding scale as needed

**LUIS DIAZ, M.A., LPC**

1319 Corpus Christi St., Ste. 3, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Luis Diaz, M.A., LPC  
*Cell:* 956.645.3798  
*Fax:* 956.723.4775

***Office Hours:***

By appointment only

***Services Provided:***

Counseling for children and adults. Specializing in ADHD, autism, anxiety, depression, and marriage counseling.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

***Fees:***

\$65 hour  
Private payment  
Traditional & Molina Medicaid

**PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING CENTER**

709 E. Calton Rd., Ste. 109, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Candelario Escamilla  
*Office:* 956.791.0335  
*E-mail:*  
carmen\_escamilla@hotmail.com  
*Crisis/After Hours:* 956.791.0335

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.; Sat. 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Assessment and counseling for children, adolescents, adults, marriage, and

families. Treatment services for ADD/ADHD (Adult & Children), conduct disorder, depression and anxiety.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

***Fees:***

\$65 - \$80 hour, sliding scale  
Medicaid accepted  
Most private insurance accepted

**PSYCHOTHERAPY & COUNSELING ASSOCIATE**

1115 Chihuahua, Ste. A, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Dr. Henry Carranza  
*Office:* 956.796.9335  
*E-mail:* carranzahen@yahoo.com  
*Fax:* 956.727.0774

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.; Sat. 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Psychotherapy, counseling, hypnosis, and relaxation therapy for children, adolescents, adults, and geriatric individuals.

***Credentials:***

Dr. Henry Carranza, Ph.D. in Psychology; Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)

***Fees:***

Medicaid and CHIP accepted  
Private pay arrangements available

**RAMIREZ COUNSELING SERVICES**

1909 Woodland, Laredo, TX 78045

*Contact:* Javier Ramirez  
*Office:* 956. 334.6885  
*E-mail:* jramirez192@stx.rr.com  
*Crisis/after hours:* same

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Available for emergencies

**Services Provided:**

Alcohol and drug abuse counseling, individual counseling, presentations, group and family sessions.

**Credentials:**

Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)

**Fees:**

\$75 hour

Medicaid accepted

Private insurance not accepted

Private pay arrangements available

**RECOVERY BEHAVIORAL PROGRAM COUNSELING SERVICES**

1002 Corpus Christi St. Ste.2, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Jose L. Martinez

*Office:* 956.568.5464

210.401.3922

*Cellular:* 956.286.0997

*Fax:* 877.518.7853

*E-mail:*

rbpcounselingservices@yahoo.com

**Office Hours:**

Mon.-Thurs. 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. (Individual/Group Sessions)

Sat. 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. (Individual/Group Sessions)

Other office hours available for different services (By appointment Only)

**Services Provided:**

Sessions given include parenting classes, anger management, anger resolution therapy sessions, domestic violence session/Stop The Violence Program, relapse prevention group sessions. Also offer DWI education classes, Bridging The Gap classes, DWI intervention program, Drug Offender Education Program (DEOP), drug and alcohol testing, and cognitive & life skills therapy sessions.

**Credentials:**

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselors (LCDC), Certified Parenting Skills Trainer, Certified Domestic Violence Trainer, Certified DWI Education and Intervention Program Instructor, Certified Drug Offender Education Program Instructor, and Certified Anger Resolution Therapy Counselor.

***Fees:***

Varies

Cash basis only

(Group sessions \$10.00, Individual Sessions \$50.00)

\$65.00 DWI Course

\$25.00 Bridging The Gap

\$300.00 DWI Intervention Program

\$115.00 Anger Resolution Therapy Session

\$80.00 Drug Offender Education Program (DOEP)

**ROLANDO X. RODRIGUEZ, MD**

1319 Corpus Christi, Suite 2 Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Rolando X. Rodriguez, MD

*Office:* 956.236.4735

*Crisis/after hours:* same

***Office Hours:***

Afternoon and evening by appointment only

***Services Provided:***

Evaluation and treatment of substance abuse & psychiatric conditions, learning problems, ADHD, anger management, depression & anxiety, cocaine abuse, heroin detox. Services available for children and adults.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Medical Doctor (MD), Psychiatrist

***Fees:***

Cash only

**SAN JUANITA HERNANDEZ COUNSELING SERVICES, INC.**

Home Visits Only

*Contact:* San Juanita Hernandez

*Office:* 956.791.9990

*E-mail:* aleman-hernandez@att.net

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Thurs. After 5:15 p.m. (By appointment only)

***Services Provided:***

Provide individual, family, marriage counseling, counseling services for children, adolescents, and adults. Counseling services available for anger



management and parenting classes also offered. Provide counseling services to children who have been victims of physical, emotional, verbal abuse and neglect, and to those children who have been exposed to domestic violence, children with ADHD, ODD, or with Trauma.

***Credentials:***

Masters of Arts in Counseling Psychology, Licensed Professional Counselor, Certified Anger Resolution Therapist, Board Certified Professional Counselor, Certified Nurturing Parenting Skills Facilitator

***Fees:***

Please call for fees  
Accept: Cash Basis only

**TEXAS A&M INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY (TAMIU)**

**Community Stress Center (Casa Ortiz)**

915 Zaragoza St., Laredo, TX 78041

TAMIU Campus (Conseco Hall Room 205A)

*Contact:* Bonnie Rudolph, Ph.D.  
*Office:* 956.326.3120  
*E-mail:* bonnie.rudolph@tamiu.edu

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. (By appointment only)

Other hours also available by appointment only

***Services Provided:***

Brief individual counseling, assessments, referrals, educational groups in English and Spanish, family conflict, career decisions, indecisiveness, lack of direction, feelings of sadness, anger or fear, marriage/family counseling, stress and anger management, anxiety and depression. Services are provided by student interns under direct supervision. Accepting children ages 13 years and older.

***Credentials:***

Ph.D. in Psychology; Student interns under direct supervision

***Fees:***

None

**THE LIGHTHOUSE**

1319 Corpus Christi St., Ste. 3, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* John Pacheco, M.A., LPC  
*Cell:* 956.236.1405  
*Fax:* 956.723.4775

***Office Hours:***

By appointment only

***Services Provided:***

Counseling for children, adolescents, adults, couples, and families.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC); Member American Counseling Association

***Fees:***

\$75 hour

Private pay arrangements

Medicaid accepted

Blue Cross Blue Shield

**FAITH BASED**

**CALVARY CENTER**

102 E. Lyon, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Pastor Juan Garza  
*Office:* 956.723.1972  
*Crisis/After Hours:* 956.723.1972

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. Open 24 hours daily

***Services Provided:***

Drug and alcohol counseling

***Fees:***

None

## **HIGH SCHOOLS & UNIVERSITIES**

### **LAREDO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (LISD)**

904 Juarez Ave., Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Rosina M. Silva  
Director of Guidance &  
Counseling/At Risk  
Population

*Office:* 956.273.1263

*E-mail:* rsilva@laredoisd.org

#### ***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

#### ***Services Provided:***

Drug and alcohol prevention presentations to any LISD school or community event.

#### ***Credentials:***

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC) at each LISD High School campus.

#### ***Fees:***

None (Services available for LISD Students only)

### **TEXAS A&M INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY (TAMIU)**

#### **Student Counseling Services**

5201 University Blvd., Zaffirini Success Center Rm# 138, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Araceli Hernandez, M.A.,  
LPC, LCDC

*Office:* 956.326.2230 or  
956.326.2760

*E-mail:* achernandez@tamiu.edu

*Crisis/After Hours:* 956.326.2100  
(Campus Police)

#### ***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Tues. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Wed.-Thurs. 8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Fri. 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m./3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Emergencies/crisis only

**Services Provided:**

Individual counseling, referral services, wellness fairs, presentations, alcohol screenings, and outreach services.

**Credentials:**

Clinical Psychologist; Licensed Professional Counselor Intern

**Fees:**

Free to students enrolled at TAMIU only

**UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (UISD)**

**Education, Prevention, Intervention Counseling (EPIC)**

4410 State Hwy. 359, Laredo, TX 78043

**Contact:** Christina Flores, Director  
of Guidance & Counseling  
**Office:** 956.473.5248  
**Fax:** 956.473.2098  
**E-mail:** curibeflores@uisd.net

**Office Hours:**

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

**Services Provided:**

Drug and alcohol prevention presentations to any UISD school or community event.

**Credentials:**

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselors (LCDC) at each UISD High School Campus and S.T.E.P. Academy

**Fees:**

None

## **Substance Abuse Services Agencies/ Organizations**

### **CUSTOMS and BORDER PROTECTION** **U.S. BORDER PATROL LAREDO SECTOR** 207 W. Del Mar Blvd., Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Sara Melendez, CBP, PAO  
*Office:* 956.764.3349  
*E-mail:* sara.melendez@dhs.gov  
*Contact:* Berin Salas, SBPA  
LRT Border Community  
Liaison  
*Office:* 956.764.3119  
*E-mail:* berin.h.salas@cbp.dhs.gov

#### ***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

#### ***Services Provided:***

Presentations on alcohol, drugs, and tobacco for the community and schools.

#### ***Credentials:***

U.S. Customs and Border Protection Agents

#### ***Fees:***

None

Please call 1.800.343.1994 to report any suspicious activity in the community.

### **GREGORY'S DRIVING SCHOOL, INC.** 4217 Marcella, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Mary Gregory Fox  
*Office:* 956.722.6151  
*Fax:* 956.729.8233

#### ***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

Sat. 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Sun. by appointment only

#### ***Services Provided:***

Drug & Alcohol Awareness Program (DAP), TABC: Alcohol Seller/Server

Course, TABC: Tobacco Seller Course, Teen & Adult Driver Education, and Motorcycle Safety Course (gear provided).

**Credentials:**

Program approved by the Texas Education Agency

**Fees:**

\$85: Drug & Alcohol Awareness Program (DAP)

\$25: Alcohol Seller/Server Course

\$10: Tobacco Seller Course

\$195: Motorcycle Safety Course (3 day course)

**GREGORY'S SMART START-Interlock of South Texas**

4019 San Dario, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Rosie Gregory

*Office:* 956.791.8759

*Cell:* 956.744.7505

*E-mail:* gregorysmartstart@live.com

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Sat. 2:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. (Weekends by appointment only)

***Services Provided:***

(Offender Education Services) Ignition Interlock, DWI, BTG (Victim Impact Panel), Drug Offender Education, TABC Seller Training, and Antitheft Classes.

***Credentials:***

Texas Department of Public Safety Certified Ignition Interlock Technician

DWI Certified Instructor/Administrator

Texas Drug Offender Education/Administrator

Certified Texas Alcohol Beverage Commission Seller Training Instructor

***Fees:***

TABC-\$20.00: 4 hour session

DWI- \$65.00 12 hours course

Drug Offender Ed- \$85.00 for 15 hour session

Ignition Interlock Unit \$77.75 per month

Victim Impact Panel \$25.00

Anti-Theft class- \$20.00 (per session)

**LAREDO POLICE DEPARTMENT**

4712 Maher, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Sgt. Robert Medina  
*Office:* 956.727.6591  
*Cell:* 956.763.2486

***Office Hours:***

Mon. -Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Community Relations Unit Officers (C.R.U.) give presentations dealing with alcohol and drugs to elementary, middle and high schools. LPD McGruff the Crime Dog visits school and community events to promote drug awareness and prevention.

***Credentials:***

Laredo Police Department Officers

***Fees:***

None

**LifeSAFER (Ignition Interlock and Home Device Services)**

1002 Corpus Christi St. Ste.2, Laredo, TX 78040

*Call Center:*1.800.993.4990  
*Office:* 956.568.5464  
*Cellular:* 956.286.0997  
*E-mail:*  
rbpcounselingservices@yahoo.com

***Office Hours:***

By appointment only

***Services Provided:***

Installation of a LifeSafer FC100 Camera Unit and Home Device

***Credentials:***

Certified Service Providers

Certified Technicians

***Fees:***

\$84.00 Monthly Service for Ignition Interlock or Home Device

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Alcohol Education Program for Minors (Minor in Possession)**

2387 E. Saunders, #2., Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Elena De la Cruz  
*Office:* 956.724.3177  
*E-mail:* elena@scan-inc.org  
*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Six hours of Texas Department of State Health Services-Offender Education approved education for minors that are convicted of purchasing, possessing, or consuming alcoholic beverages. All minors referred to the program must attend a registration session with an MIP Instructor prior to attending classes.

***Credentials:***

State approved instructors

***Fees:***

\$35

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Esperanza Recovery Home**

1901 La Pita Mangana Rd., Laredo, TX 78046

*Contact:* Clara Vasquez, LCDC  
*Office:* 956.712.3709  
*Fax:* 956.725.0747  
*E-mail:* clara@scan-inc.org  
*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Comprehensive residential substance abuse and trauma treatment services for adolescent females including individual, group, family, and action-oriented counseling; academic training; drug and alcohol education; coping skills training; HIV/AIDS education; and relapse prevention education.



***Credentials:***

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC)

***Fees:***

Sliding scale.

Accepts: Medicaid and DSHS funding for medical indigent population

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Futuros Positivos**

2387 E. Saunders, Ste.2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Susana Rivera, Ph.D., LPC

*Office:* 956.724.3177

*E-mail:* susana@scan-inc.org

*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Offers constructive methods designed to interrupt the onset or progression of substance abuse in the early stages. The program uses the Positive Action Curriculum and Indicated Counseling, referral and follow-up which is an effective, problem-focused, and practical approach to the elimination of substance abuse risk factors for adolescents 11 to 17 years old and their families.

***Credentials:***

Specially trained staff under the direction of an LPC

***Fees:***

None

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Futuros Saludables (Healthy Futures) Prevention Program**

2387 E. Saunders, Ste.2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Grizelda Carrillo, M.A.,  
LCDC, CPS

*Office:* 956.724.3177

*E-mail:* grizelda@scan-inc.org

*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

**Office Hours:**

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

**Services Provided:**

Provides comprehensive drug prevention services for children in grades 1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students identified as being in at-risk situations for involvement in alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use.

**Credentials:**

Specially trained staff members under the direction of an LCDC

**Fees:**

None

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Pregnant & Post-Partum Intervention (PPI) Program**

2387 E. Saunders, Ste.2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Jessica Paez  
*Office:* 956.724.3177  
*Fax:* 956.724.4861  
*E-mail:* jessica@scan-inc.org  
*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

**Office Hours:**

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

**Services Provided:**

Intervention services to pregnant and post-partum adult and adolescent females between 15 - 44 years of age experiencing substance abuse related problems in order to reduce drug exposure to unborn, newborn, and young children. Facilitates a healthy lifestyle for participants.

**PPI Full Services-Eligibility Criteria**

Females that are pregnant or postpartum (at least 1 child must be 5 years or age or younger) and referred by DFPS.

Females that are pregnant or postpartum (at least 1 child must be 18 months of age or younger) and meet at least 1 high risk indicator.

Cost: Services are provided at no cost to participants that meet requirements

**PPI Parenting Education Only- Eligibility Criteria**

Females that do not meet the criteria for full services.

Males (adolescents and adult) needing/requiring parenting education.

**Credentials:**

Licensed Professional Counselor; Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor;

Education Specialist under direct supervision

**Fees:**

No cost for PPI Full Services

\$40.00 for PPI Parenting Education Only. Total fee due at registration.

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Specialized Female Outpatient Program for Youth**

2387 E. Saunders, Ste. 2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Gabriela Perez  
*Office:* 956.724.3177  
*FAX:* 956.724.4861  
*E-mail:* gabriela@scan-inc.org  
*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

***Services Provided:*** The Specialized Female Outpatient Program offers trauma-informed and gender specific, community-based substance abuse treatment services for adolescent females who are pregnant or have dependent children (including individuals whose children are in custody of the state). The program provides evidence-based curriculums, such as CYT and Seeking Safety, offering a trauma-informed substance abuse treatment. Counseling services include addressing gender-specific issues such as relationships, the links between trauma and substance abuse, safe coping skills, parenting education, reproductive health education, as well as case management and referral services. The program implements a strength-based approach and it is culturally-informed, providing services in English and Spanish.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC)

***Fees:***

None

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Students Taking Action Negating Drugs (STAND) Outpatient Program**  
2387 E. Saunders, Ste. 2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Enrique Manrique, MA,  
LCDC, LPC  
*Office:* 956.724.3177  
*FAX:* 956.724.4861  
*E-mail:* enrique@scan-inc.org  
*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Substance abuse outpatient treatment services for individual and family counseling, comprehensive assessment, referral, drug and alcohol education, coping skills, AIDS/HIV education, and relapse prevention.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC)

***Fees:***

None

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Teen Court**

2387 E. Saunders, Ste. 2, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* Vanessa Trevino  
*Office:* 956.724.3177  
*FAX:* 956.724.4861  
*E-mail:* vanessa@scan-inc.org  
*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

***Services Provided:*** The Webb County Teen Court Program is a substance abuse treatment project designed specifically for adolescents, ages 13 to 17, with first time or minor offenses. The program uses the Adolescent Community Reinforcement Approach, which is an evidence-based approach, to treat the participants' substance use disorders. Participants of the Webb County Teen Court Program will also take part in a court hearing and will

have their cases heard by a jury of their peers. The program also provides volunteer work opportunities for adolescents. Adolescents can volunteer to participate in the teen court hearings as attorneys, jury members, bailiffs, or court clerks.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC)

***Fees:***

None

**SERVING CHILDREN AND ADULTS IN NEED (SCAN)**

**Youth Recovery Home**

402 Riverhill Loop, Laredo, TX 78046

*Contact:* Celica Mireles, LCDC

*Office:* 956.723.0200

*E-mail:* celica@scan-inc.org

*Web Site:* www.scan-inc.org

***Office Hours:***

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Comprehensive residential substance abuse treatment services for adolescent males including individual, group, family, and action-orientated counseling; academic training; drug and alcohol education; coping skills training; HIV/AIDS education; and relapse prevention education.

***Credentials:***

Licensed Chemical Dependency Counselor (LCDC) and Counselor Interns

***Fees:***

None

**WEBB COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE/COMMUNITY AFFAIRS DIVISION**

**Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) (elementary schools)**

**Gang Resistance Education and Training (G.R.E.A.T.) (middle schools)**

902 Victoria St., Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* Lt. Rudy Valdez

*Office:* 956.523.4517

**Office Hours:**

Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

**Services Provided:**

Forges partnerships with law enforcement and school districts to educate elementary and middle school children about the harmful effects of drugs and gangs and how to resist them.

**Credentials:**

Webb County Sheriff's Deputies

**Fees:**

None

**TWELVE (12) STEP PROGRAMS**

**AA GRATITUDE GROUP**

4120 San Bernardo Ave., Ste. 4, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* 956.722.9001 or  
956.206-0625

**Hours:**

Mon. -Sat. 12:00 noon and Sunday 10:00 a.m. (Open meetings)

Mon.- Sat. 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. (Spanish-Closed Meetings)

**Services Provided:**

Open meetings; disabled access.

**Fees:**

None

**AA GRUPO DOS LAREDOS**

216 N. Zapata Highway, Ste. 17, Laredo, TX 78046

*Contact:* Ricardo Garza  
956.635.7937

**Hours:**

Mon.-Sat. 8:00 p.m.-10:00p.m. (Spanish)

**Services Provided:**

Group meetings

**Fees:**

None

**AA GRUPO NUEVA VIDA**

818 Gonzalez, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* 956.726.1191

***Hours:***

Mon.-Sun. 8:00 p.m.-12:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Open group meetings in Spanish; disabled access.

***Fees:***

None

**AA GRUPO NUEVO AMANECER**

816 Garza, Laredo, TX 78040

*Contact:* 956.898.4878

***Hours:***

Mon.-Sat. 8:00 p.m.-10:00p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Group meetings, open and closed meetings in English & Spanish, disabled access.

***Fees:***

None

**AA GRUPO 17 DE FEBRERO**

1705 Hillside, Ste. 6, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* 956.324.0836

***Hours:***

Mon., Wed. & Fri. 8:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Group meetings, open meetings in English and Spanish, disabled access.

***Fees:***

None

**AA THE MIRACLE GROUP**

102 West Hillside Rd. at St. John Neumann Church (Lamar Bruni Vergara Classroom A) Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* 956.286.6541  
956.206.1279

***Hours:***

Mon. & Wed. 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Closed meetings; disabled access.

***Fees:***

None

**AL-ANON SERENITY GROUP**

4120 San Bernardo, Ste. 4, Laredo, TX 78041

*Contact:* 956.337.4805  
956.722.9001

***Hours:***

Mon., Wed., Fri. 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. (bilingual)

Tues. & Thurs. 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. (bilingual)

***Services Provided:***

Open meetings.

***Fees:***

None

**COCAINE ANONYMOUS PRIMARY**

6103 McPherson (Main Building), Laredo, TX 78045

*Contact:* 956.286.5201

***Hours:***

Mon., Tues., Thurs., & Sat.

7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. (Bilingual)

***Services Provided:***

Open meetings; disabled access



**Fees:**  
None

**LA NUEVA VIDA GROUP/NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**  
2320 E. Lane, Laredo, TX 78043

**Contact:** Julian or Bertha Negrete  
956.333.6642

**Hours:**  
Mon. 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

**Services Provided:**  
Open meeting with no smoking; disabled access.

**Fees:**  
None

**LIBERTY GROUP of AL-ANON (MEN ONLY)**  
2320 Lane (Jarvis Entrance), Laredo, TX 78043

**Contact:** 956.723-5714

**Hours:**  
Wed. 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.

**Services Provided:**  
Open meeting with no smoking; disabled access

**Fees:**  
None

**OASIS OF LOVE- DRUG & ALCOHOL SUPPORT GROUP**  
2103 Reynolds, Laredo, TX 78040

**Contact:** Jane Garza  
956.740.7773

**Hours:**  
Sun. 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.  
Wed. 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

***Services Provided:***

Open meetings.

***Fees:***

None

**PLAZA GROUP**

201 W. Hillside Ste.6, Laredo, TX 78041

***Contact:*** Mario Rodriguez  
956.206.8755

***Hours:***

Tues. & Thurs.7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

***Services Provided:***

Open meetings.

***Fees:***

None

**SERENITY GROUP**

2320 Lane St. (Jarvis Entrance), Laredo, TX 78043

***Contact:*** Mario Rodriguez  
956.206.8755

***Hours:***

Wed. 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. (Open Meeting)

Sat. 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. (Closed Meeting)

***Services Provided:***

Open meetings.

***Fees:***

None

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