# Information for Schools Texas Youth Tobacco Awareness Program (TYTAP)



### What is TYTAP?

The Texas Youth Tobacco Awareness Program (TYTAP) provides classes about the dangers of using tobacco and how to quit for youth that were cited for having or using tobacco.

- The program was developed by Texas A&M University School of Public Health with support from the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) – Tobacco Prevention and Control Branch.
- The State of Texas will only accept certificates from courses taught by a licensed DSHS TYTAP instructor.
- Online TYTAP classes are not valid unless the instructor is licensed by DSHS.

To find a licensed instructor, visit dshs.texas.gov/tobacco/Tytap. If you are interested in having a member of your staff trained to be a licensed TYTAP instructor in your school district, please email: Tobacco.Free@dshs.texas.gov.

## Where can I find information about classes near me?

## **Additional Information**

Learn more about TYTAP and resources to help your students quit tobacco use at:

#### dshs.texas.gov/tobacco



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