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**2016 SPEECH COMPETITION – Heroin: Effects on Teenagers and Society**

**GOALS AND RULES**

**GOALS:**

* To challenge area high school students to think about, research, report, and orally present a topic related to teen health.
* To provide recognition of ProMedica Flower Hospital and its Auxiliary as healthcare educators in the community.

**RULES:**

* Participants must be a high school student in grades 9 – 12.
* Participant must prepare his/her own speech and orally present it. Advice and coaching are allowed prior to the evening of the speech competition.
* Speeches must be no shorter than five minutes and no longer than six minutes.
* Participant must be available to present his/her speech at ProMedica Flower Hospital, **April 28, 2016** **at 6 p.m.,** if selected as a finalist.
* Participant must submit one (1) copy of the essay in its final form. The essay must include a bibliography with a minimum of three sources. Web sources must include the date the article was on the web.
* **Email to: aklosterman@kingstonhealthcare.com OR**
* **Mail to: SPEECH CONTEST c/o Amy Klosterman**

**4125 King Rd.**

**Sylvania, OH 43560**

* **The entry must be postmarked no later than Monday, April 4th, 2016**
* The “Official Title Page” and the “Student Entry Form” from this packet must accompany the essay.
* The content of all written entries will be evaluated by three professionals to determine the six finalists. The speech will be judged by a panel of two healthcare professionals and one educator.
* **The six finalists will be notified no later than Monday, April 18th, 2016**
* Notes for statistical references are allowed, however, the speech may not be read verbatim.
* A podium and a microphone will be available for the competition.
* Winners of the competition will be determined by speech content and delivery. See attached “Judging Criteria”.
* ProMedica Flower Hospital Auxiliary reserves the right to edit, publish and/or record any speech submitted for the competition.

**WINNERS:**

* Six participants shall be chosen as finalists.
* Scholarship Awards: **First place $1,000**

**Second place $500**

**Third place $300**

**Honorable Mention 3 at $150 each**

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**STUDENT ENTRY FORM**

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**NAME OF TEACHER WHO MENTORED**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***The following information is requested for publicity purposes only and does not apply to the judging. (Use the back of this form to add more information on any of the following topics.)***

**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***I hereby verify that the above information is true and I will adhere to the rules of the speech competition.***

Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parental Consent: *I grant my permission for my son/daughter to participate in the speech competition as outlined in the rules. In the event my son/daughter becomes a finalist, I grant my permission to ProMedica Flower Hospital Auxiliary to release his/her name, picture, or any part of the selected speech for public information.***

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**OFFICIAL TITLE PAGE**

**SPEECH TITLE**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**GRADE LEVEL**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**In the event my speech is chosen as a finalist, I will attend the speech competition at ProMedica Flower Hospital on Wednesday, April 28th, 2016.**

**STUDENT SIGNATURE**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**JUDGING CRITERIA FOR THE ESSAY**

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The rules for judging the written essay: for scoring purposes, 1 is the lowest score and 10 is the highest score.

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| **CRITERIA** | **SCORE 1 – 10** |
| *Did the introduction capture the audience’s attention?* |  |
| *Were examples incorporated from the writer’s life into the essay?* |  |
| *Was evidence presented to support the topic?* |  |
| *Were the ideas presented considered to be thought provoking or were the ideas limited or repetitious?* |  |
| *Did the conclusion leave the audience with a clear message?* |  |
| *Was there a MLA style bibliography included with a minimum of three references?* |  |
| *Is the essay the appropriate length for a 5 – 6 minute oral speech?*  |  |
| *What was the overall appeal of the essay? (originality, creativity, fresh approach to the subject, etc.)* |  |
| **TOTAL OUT OF 80 POINTS MAXIMUM** |  |