



**Unified prevention**  
**Border Region Coalition**  
***Responsible Host Pledge***

**The lure of alcohol and illegal drugs is powerful. These dangerous substances affect our entire community. You can help our youth make the right choices concerning the use of alcohol and drugs by promoting your home as a “Responsible Host” house, a place where teens will not be exposed to these substances.**

**As a Responsible Host, I pledge:**

1. I will not allow parties in my home when I am not present.
2. I will be an active chaperone when there are parties in my home.
3. I will not serve, nor willingly allow, minors to consume alcohol or illicit drugs in home or on my property.
4. I will welcome parents/guardians of youths attending a party at my home to call and check on party details, times, supervision, and/or any other concerns.
5. I will not hesitate to call a parent/guardian if a problem arises with their youth in my home.
6. I will encourage my son/daughter to only attend parties in homes where I may exercise the right to speak to the parents/guardians who live in the home to ensure there will be no alcohol or drugs available to youth.
7. I will monitor and control the number of people who attend parties at my home. I will call the police if the party gets out of hand or if uninvited guests refuse to leave.
8. I will discuss with my son or daughter the consequence of advertising or posting party information on the Internet or any other medium.

9. I will share the contents of this pledge with my entire family.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

