



June 1, 2026

Honorable Jeff Boyd
San Augustine County Judge
100 W. Columbia, Room 105
San Augustine, Texas 75972

Dear Judge Boyd,

The Alcohol & Drug Abuse Council of Deep East Texas (ADAC) provides life-saving services to individuals in San Augustine County devastated by substance use addiction. Individuals and families are forever changed to a life of recovery because of our virtual counseling and support services. Our programs save countless tax dollars for San Augustine County due to the reduced criminal activity & incarceration and the restoration of families as a result of counseling, strengthening families program, recovery support & prevention. Our services are at no charge to participants.

ADAC partners with local schools, churches, clubs, and agencies to educate leaders on the importance of prevention & to implement our prevention programs. Services to schools include 10 weeks of education in the classroom & education on specific topics such as the dangers of smoking, marijuana & vaping. ADAC works to get the message to our children in San Augustine County & protect them from the devastation of addiction. Prevention education is provided to both children & adults through a wide variety of activities to reach all ages.

Preventing Abuse by Reaching Today's Youth (PARTY) program provides the prevention message to churches, youth organizations, elder care, and any community program. ADAC partners with local schools, churches, clubs, and agencies to educate the community on the importance of educating youth & adults about the dangers that VAPING, K-2, ketamine and other dangerous & accessible drugs pose to their physical health as well as mental health. We provide presentations, interactive puppet shows and educational material to spread the alcohol, tobacco and other drug prevention messages.

The Alcohol & Drug Abuse Council of Deep East Texas provides screening, assessment & referral services to families & individuals lost in addiction. Screening & assessment determine the clients level of need so referral to outpatient or inpatient referral is completed. The nearest detox or residential services are in Beaumont or Houston for clients that have no insurance. ADAC provides

302 N. Raguet • Lufkin, Texas 75904 • (936) 634-5753 • Fax 639-2638 • E-Mail: info@adacdet.org

"Preventing Abuse • Providing Hope • Restoring Families"



case management & transportation to ensure referral is successful. Outpatient Counseling is provided virtually to those in need of counseling to learn to live chemical free through attending individual & group sessions with our counselors. Our services provide a guiding light to those lost in the darkness of addiction, directing individuals with case management on how to deal with the problems of dependency.

The Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council of Deep East Texas (ADAC) is requesting funding to help support intervention, counseling and prevention programs in San Augustine County. We are asking for support from the San Augustine County Commissioners of \$1,500.00 in the 2026-2027 budget. A yearly report of services ADAC provided is included with our request. Funding from the community is critical for our continuation of services and to our obtaining grants to broaden our services and serve more. All funds are utilized in San Augustine County to serve those living in the community.

The San Augustine County Commissioner support of ADAC's services help our agency continue to meet the ever growing need for services to help make our community safer, sober and productive.

We would like to share further information on our services or present our request before the San Augustine County Commissioners Court, please call 936-634-5753. Thank you for your consideration of our request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Phyllis Grandgeorge".

Phyllis Grandgeorge, M.Ed., LPC

Executive Director

Alcohol & Drug Abuse Council of Deep East Texas



Alcohol & Drug Awareness Council

Outreach, Screening & Counseling Services San Augustine County May 2025 to April 2026

The Alcohol and Drug Awareness Council provides substance abuse treatment referrals and placement to those in need of state funded detoxification, residential and/or outpatient services.

Outreach to the community, individual and families about intervention and treatment services.

Screening services for individuals in need of outpatient or residential treatment services.

Assessment to determine the needs of the individual and to make the most appropriate referral.

Referral services to direct those with substance abuse problems to services they need.

OSAR facilitate admissions to treatment services for Deep East Texas.

- | | |
|---|----|
| • Number of Screening | 33 |
| • Number of individuals identified to have substance abuse/dependence and in need of treatment services | 28 |
| • Number of individuals referred to treatment | 28 |

ADAC - Prevention

2025-2026 San Augustine County

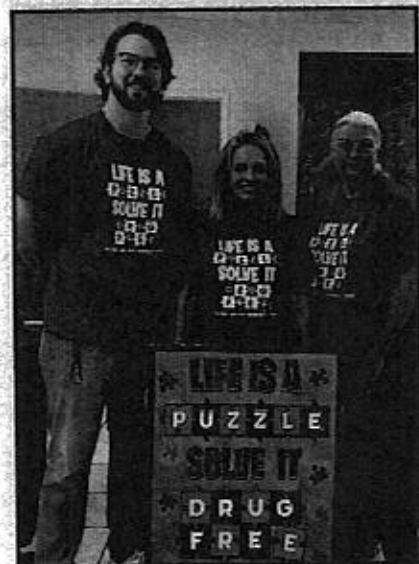
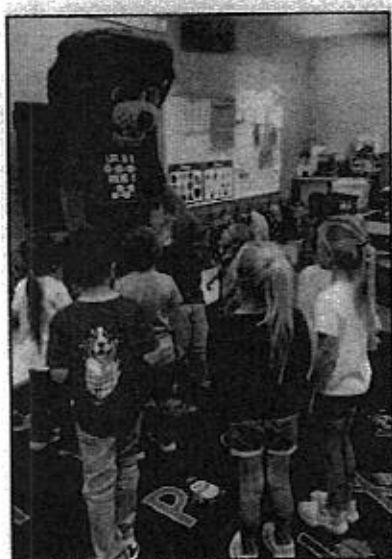
ADAC services are being provided in San Augustine County through prevention efforts at local schools. Leo the Drug Free Lion and staff educate youth in schools through classroom presentations and national campaigns. The Youth Prevention team also participates in community events and faith-based opportunities. This year our program participated in local schools with classroom presentations, Leo visits, red ribbon week activities, local and national campaigns Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, and Broaddus High School Career Fair

Tobacco compliance checks were provided throughout the county to ensure vendors are in compliance with state laws regarding underage sales and use of tobacco.

Youth Prevention 3,657 Adults 685

Educational presentations delivered 60

Tobacco compliance checks: 21



Our Facebook



Our Website