

Tobacco-Use Prevention Education (TUPE)

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- ▶ The County Technical Assistance (TA) for Tobacco-Use Prevention Education (TUPE) grant provides funding to county offices of education to plan, develop, and implement capacity building, technical assistance and training, and program monitoring and improvement services for TUPE activities implemented by local educational agencies. A portion of TA funds are to be directed to identifying and reducing disparities among disparate youth populations.

What We Do?

General

- District Support
- Professional Development (TOT Model)
- Cross Collaboration
- Coaching and Mentoring
- Leadership Capacity Development

TUPE

- Presentations for students, parents, and staff.
- Trainer of Trainer for teachers
- Red Ribbon Week
- Coaching and Mentoring
- Technical Assistance

Collaboration

- ▶ Develop a network of services/resources between community coalitions
- ▶ Create open communication with community services
- ▶ Sustain TUPE activities