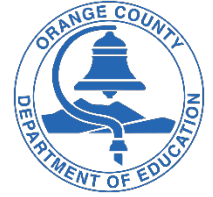




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ORANGE COUNTY FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE PARTNERSHIP

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

OUR MISSION

The Orange County Friday Night Live Partnership (OCFNLP) provides opportunities for positive and healthy youth development by engaging youth as active leaders and resources in their communities.

Youth involved in OCFNLP programs work on alcohol and other drug prevention and other issues of concern in their schools and communities. The programs provide young people with the skills, support, opportunities, and competencies they need to become healthy, productive adults.

PROGRAMS

OCFNLP consists of three programs which take the form of a club on school campuses and in community and faith-based organizations:

- Friday Night Live (FNL) for high school-age youth
- Club Live (CL) for middle school-age youth
- Friday Night Live Kids (FNL Kids) for upper elementary-age youth

PROGRAM HISTORY

In 1984, Friday Night Live began in Sacramento, California, as a response to the number of youth related injuries and deaths caused by alcohol-related automobile crashes. The name Friday Night Live came about because most youth alcohol-related crashes occur on Friday nights between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 2:00 a.m. Today, the program has evolved from an anti-drinking and driving program to one that engages youth in meaningful activities and opportunities to develop competencies and skills that prepare them for work and adult life. Friday Night Live programs are currently implemented throughout California.

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