

San Mateo County Tobacco Prevention Program 2017 – 2021 Objectives

1) Increase the number of smoke-free multi-unit housing (MUH) policies

To reduce exposure to secondhand smoke in multi-unit housing complexes.

Successes | Current Smoke-free MUH Ordinances: Belmont, Brisbane, Burlingame, Daly City, Foster City, Half Moon Bay, Millbrae, Pacifica, Redwood City, San Bruno, San Carlos, San Mateo, South San Francisco, and Unincorporated San Mateo County
Current Efforts | Target Jurisdictions: East Palo Alto and Menlo Park



2) Assist with the implementation of adopted smoke-free multi-unit housing policies

To improve compliance of existing MUH policies and reduce instances of noncompliance.

Current Efforts | Target Jurisdictions: Brisbane, Half Moon Bay, Millbrae, Pacifica, San Bruno, San Carlos, San Mateo, and South San Francisco



3) Engage youth in tobacco-free education and policy

To increase youth involvement in activities that address negative health outcomes due to tobacco use.

Current Efforts | Target Jurisdictions: County-wide



4) Amend or adopt tobacco retailer licensing ordinances

To reduce availability of flavored tobacco products in the most diverse areas of the County.

Successes | Current Flavored Tobacco Regulations: Half Moon Bay, Menlo Park, Portola Valley, San Carlos, South San Francisco, and Unincorporated San Mateo County
Current Efforts | Target Jurisdictions: Belmont, East Palo Alto, Redwood City, and San Mateo



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