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CARE offers **FREE SUMMER CAMP** for youth who are concerned about a family member's use of alcohol or other drugs or have a family member in recovery

By attending this 8 morning camp, the children will see they are not alone. They will learn ways to reduce their anxiety, develop healthy coping skills, and learn about addiction. The camp is full of fun activities while using a skill-building approach.

Approximately one in four children in the United States are exposed to alcohol abuse or alcohol dependence in the family (National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, DHHS). Countless other children are living in families in which there is illicit drug abuse. These children are at a higher-than-average risk for problems in school and in social relationships.

Yet, children of substance abusing parents can and often do overcome the effects of living with these concerns. The comprehensive Children's Program Camp Curriculum written by the Department of Health and Human Services provides the core to the success of this camp entering its 11th year.

CARE will provide this 8 morning camp from July 9 – 12, 2007 and July 16 – 19, 2007 at Cornerstone Baptist Church located at 17017 12 Mile Rd. in Roseville, MI 48066.

Pre-registration is required—call CARE at 586.541.0033.

CARE is an agency that promotes the empowerment of individuals and families through relationships with schools, businesses, public services and other community based organizations. Solution-focused programs and activities are designed to strengthen individuals in their role as employees, students and as family members. Visit us online at www.careofmacomb.com or call 586.541.0033 to find out more.

CARE (Community Assessment Referral and Education) is dedicated to the prevention of alcohol, tobacco and other drug use. Federal, state, and local funding have been provided through Macomb County Community Mental Health/Office of Substance Abuse to support project costs.

Recipients of substance use services have rights protected by state and federal law and promulgated rules. For information, contact CARE Recipient Advisor, 31900 Utica Road, Fraser, MI 48026, (586) 541-0033ext. 116 or State Recipient Rights Coordinator, P.O. Box 30664, Lansing, Michigan 48909.