## Marijuana, Know the Facts!

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The Montgomery Rocky Hill Municipal Alliance recently hosted a virtual presentation, "Marijuana- Know the Facts!" which can be viewed on YouTube at this link (or search MontyTown for our YouTube channel):

Jerri Collevechio from Prevention Resources gives us the information we need to know when it comes to the risks of marijuana. She shares the most recent scientific data regarding cannabis use, and how cannabis use impacts our health and well-being. It is critically important that parents and young adults know the facts about marijuana and this presentation helps inform and prepare people to talk to their family members about the risks.

Marijuana use is at its highest level in 30 years. A recent study found that more than one in 10 (11%) **young adults aged 19-30** reported using marijuana on a daily basis in 2021 and more than two in five (43%) had used it in the past year. Rates of daily marijuana use nearly doubled over the past 10 years for this age group and past-year use jumped nearly 50%.

Montgomery Rocky Hill Municipal Alliance presents

## "Marijuana-Know The Facts!"

Please Join Us On Wednesday, October 26th 7:00 - 8:30 pm

For A Virtual Presentation By Jerri Collevechio from Prevention Resources

## Did You Know?



Teenage marijuana use is at its highest level in 30 years.



Studies have shown that regular marijuana use impacts learning and memory, and these results may be permanent.



Approximately 1 in 10 marijuana users will become addicted. For people who begin using younger than 18, that number rises to 1 in 6.



In the 1960's, the average amount of THC in the marijuana plant was 1-2%. Today, it averages at around 15%, and can be as high as nearly 30%.

Register for the webinar by scanning the QR code or clicking the link below:

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