



## Rice County Alcohol Awareness Training

The Rice County Chemical Health Coalition is proud to partner with South Central College in supporting Alcohol Awareness Trainings. The Coalition’s goal is to **reduce youth alcohol, tobacco and other drug use in Rice County.** Alcohol Awareness Training is an integral part of that effort.



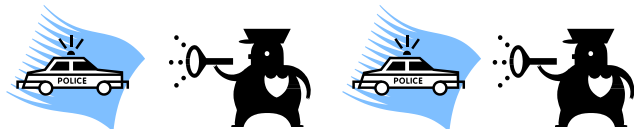
### Why is training important?

- Alcohol is the #1 drug of choice for youth.
- Almost 20% of all alcohol manufactured is consumed by underage drinkers.
- Underage alcohol use contributes to car crashes, crime, suicide and sexual activity.



### What are the penalties for providing alcohol to minors?

- Varies by local ordinance.
- Minnesota Statute provides for up to a \$2,000 fine per violation and up to 60 day license suspension or revocation of license.
- Interrupted business; negative publicity
- Contributing to dangerous behavior for youth



### Compliance Checks

- ✓ Designed to monitor and support legal serving of alcohol.
- ✓ Not designed to trick the vendor or server.
- ✓ To pass: **ALWAYS** check **ALL** ID’s carefully.



## Identification Issues

- ❖ Acceptable forms: Valid passport; Valid Military ID; Valid State issued Identification Card; Valid State Issued Driver's License; Valid Tribal Identification Card
- ❖ Fake ID's are easy to obtain
- ❖ New and Old Minnesota Driver's Licenses
- ❖ Out-of-state ID's can cause confusion



## Tools to Help You!

- Driver's License identification books
- Security Laminate Verifier
- Magnifying Device
- Magnetic strip scanner, black lights, etc.
- Best Tool: Your EYES!



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