# Can We Talk?

#### A Community Event to Discuss Substance Abuse Prevention

Somers Comes Together (SCT) would like to extend an invitation to the community to learn how to handle difficult conversations around the topic of substance abuse prevention and treatment.

### **Tuesday, May 15, 2018**

#### Somers Town Hall, 600 Main Street, Somers

Should a second budget referendum be required and the Somers Town Hall be unavailable due to voting, this event will be moved to the Somers Senior Center at 19 Battle Street.

## 5:30 pm refreshments & resource fair 6:00 pm presentation & discussion begin







Somers Comes Together is the Local Prevention Council for the Town of Somers. More information on Somers Comes Together and how you can become involved will be available at this event.

#### **Speakers**

- Colleen Sullivan, MSW, CPS
  Town of Enfield Youth Services
  Prevention Coordinator
- **Kelly Fisher**The Alex Fisher Foundation
- Ashley Beard, LPC
- Susana Grados, LMSW
- Nicole Tedone, MS
   Community Health Resources

#### **Resource Fair**

- ERASE East of the River Action for Substance Abuse Elimination
- CHR- Community Health Resources
- SMART Recovery
- Learn to Cope
- Today I Matter

#### Hidden in Plain Sight

Kelly Fisher will present "Hidden in Plain Sight", a demonstration which creates a mock bedroom modeled after a teenager's room. The mock bedroom provides insight into where drugs could potentially be hidden, often in plain sight.

#### \*Drug Take Back Station\*

Somers Police will be on site to accept all unused or unwanted prescriptions. Safely disposing of medications is just one of the many ways we can work together to combat substance use.

#### **Complimentary Childcare**

The Somers Recreation Department will provide pizza and supervised activities free of charge for children of parents/caregivers who wish to attend this event. To register a child, please email Chris Boucher at CBoucher@somersct.gov or call 860.265.3840.