

TIPS® Training



For Grocery, Convenience, Liquor Store
Retailers, Restaurants and Bars
Who Sell or Serve Alcohol

Ionia County Substance Abuse Initiative (ICSAI) is scheduling TIPS (Training for Intervention Procedures).
This course is \$25 per participant to cover required training materials.

This is a state-approved training for Off Premise (grocery/convenience store and liquor retailers),
On-Premise (restaurants/bars) consumption and
Concessions (festivals, stadiums, arenas) consumption.

After training and successfully passing a written test, you will be TIPS-Certified, valid for three years.

Please contact Deb Thalison at 616-527-5341 or dthalison@ioniacounty.org for scheduling or questions.

MSHN
Mid-State Health Network



Currently Scheduling

On-Premise Training (restaurants and bars)

Off-Premise Training (Grocery, Convenience, Liquor Store Retailers)

Concessions Training (festivals, stadiums, arenas)

Ionia County Health Department
175 East Adams Street Ionia, Michigan 48846

To register or for more information
Call 616-527-5341 x 453
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Limited scholarship opportunities available annually

Training Benefits

- Many insurance companies provide discounts to establishments whose employees are TIPS certified.
- Training results in added professionalism and improved customer service.
- In liquor lawsuits, TIPS provides a "reasonable efforts defense"
- TIPS is proved to be a practical and effective method of reducing drunk driving and underage drinking.
- Prevent property damage
- Improve customer service and satisfaction

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