



LM RADAR is Building a Community Coalition
to Improve Awareness and
Proactively Address Drug & Alcohol Issues

Be a Part of the Solution!

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____ Tel: _____

School(s) Your Children Attend: _____

Areas of Interest for Participation in LM RADAR (See back for descriptions):

- ___ Community Outreach & Public Relations
- ___ Board Governance & Maintenance
- ___ Youth Development
- ___ Resource Development & Evaluation
- ___ Risk & Protector Factor Assessment
- ___ Fundraising & Volunteer Opportunities

LM RADAR's Mission

LM RADAR works as a community coalition committed to reducing the use of alcohol, drugs and other harmful substances by youth in our community. LM RADAR facilitates changing societal norms through the use of multiple research-based strategies to help local youth make healthy choices and avoid substance abuse.

Describe your experience or expertise that you feel would be helpful to LM RADAR:

___ **Check here to receive news and information from LM RADAR.**

For further information contact Janet Buchbinder at (914) 834-6041 or Email RADAR at Info@LMRADAR.org. You may fax your completed form to LM RADAR at 833-3917 or mail it to LM RADAR at PO Box 1089, Larchmont, NY 10538

RADAR Committees and Areas of Focus:

A. Community Outreach & Public Relations (COPR)

The Community Outreach & Public Relations Committee (COPR) will develop and help implement a communications plan to promote the goals of LM-RADAR.

Community Outreach & Public Relations Committee will be involved in:

- Engaging and maintaining key stakeholders in the process;
- Promoting LM-RADAR to the greater community;
- Educating stakeholders and the public about the work of the LM-RADAR.
- Collaborating with other Committees to prepare and disseminate all press releases, draft and other communications with the public.

B. Board Governance and Maintenance (BG)

The Board Governance and Maintenance Committee (BG) will assess the Community Board membership to help ensure a full and balanced range of participation by sectors of the community. Board Governance (BG) will work with the Executive Committee to:

- Establishing communication and reporting protocol.
- Compliance with Bylaws and operating procedures; suggesting modifications thereto to enhance effectiveness & efficiency.
- Developing a process for recruiting and educating new Community Board Members.
- Coordinating team-building and recognition activities.

C. Youth Development (YD)

The Youth Development Committee (YD) will:

- Reach out to the youth groups of faith communities, schools, youth organizations and youth within the community to promote LM-RADAR's mission
- Recruit and engage youth in all aspects of the LM-RADAR effort.
- Work with other Committees to identify diverse roles for young people and to identify necessary skills, training and appropriate recognition for youth.

D. Resource Assessment and Evaluation (RAE)

The Resource & Strengths Assessment Committee will be involved in:

- Inventorying and assessing existing resources addressing the community's identified priorities;
- Identifying gaps in the community response to risk and protective factor priorities;
- Reporting findings and accomplishments and make recommendations to the Community Board and the Board.

E. Risk & Protective Factor Assessment (RPFA)

The Risk & Protective Factor Assessment Committee (RPFA) will be involved in:

- Collecting risk and protective factor data for analysis;
- Analyzing the data to identify priorities;
- Facilitating the prioritization process with the Community Board, the Board and stakeholders;
- Collecting data and analyzing the data for prioritization; and
- Working with the Community Board and the Board to implement surveys.

F. Funding

The Funding Committee will be involved in:

- Developing a long-term funding plan,
- Identifying potential funders,
- Conducting grant writing as necessary, and communicate with funders.
- Submitting monthly minutes to the Community Board and the Board.