



Sexual Health And Responsible Education



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A Planned Parenthood Arizona initiative to provide support for educators to positively impact the sexual health of young people.

With age-appropriate and medically accurate information, schools can create a brighter future for Arizona's youth.

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Arizona schools play a vital role in improving the sexual health of Arizona's youth; comprehensive sexuality education can protect their health and provide support for academic achievement.

And, public support for sex education in Arizona is well-established.

**50%**

less likely to become pregnant – teens who received comprehensive sexuality education compared with those who received abstinence-only education. *(Journal of Adolescent Health, 42 (4): 344-351).*

**76%**

of Arizonans believe the best way to reduce teen pregnancy is through medically accurate sex education, including birth control education.\*

**80%**

of Arizonans believe that parents and teachers who are trained in the subject should both play major roles in teaching sex education in the home and in schools.\*

*\*Planned Parenthood Arizona, public opinion poll, May 2008*



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