Purpose of the NCCI Learning Café is: (2 minutes)

- To solicit feedback to help NCCI and the many partners provide effective, targeted training and technical assistance.
- To demonstrate a tool that can be used to obtain information and feedback from stakeholders and partners within the community.
- To have fun and get to know one another!

The NCCI Learning Café Experience: (30 minutes)

- There are three questions for discussion.
- Each table will discuss the same question simultaneously.
- Table hosts (wearing cute aprons) will assist by reiterating the question and encouraging open and honest discussion.
- Table hosts and participants can write their response on the paper on the table. (1 sheet per question)
- Participants will dialogue for 10 minutes per question.
- At the end of the 10 minutes (bell will sound), participants will rotate to another table while table host remains at table. The idea is for participants to mingle and sit with different people at each rotation.

NCCI Learning Café Questions:

1. What are your specific needs/interests for addressing your community substance abuse issues?
2. What is your understanding of community mobilization? How can you use community mobilization to meet your coalition’s community change goals?
3. What role can youth, faith community and parents play in your community mobilization efforts? What are ways to increase their role in reducing substance abuse?

Report Out (15 minutes)

- One person from each table will summarize the responses obtained.
- Participants will be asked if and how they will be able to use this "Learning Café" activity in their community.