

# Midrand Community Works Together To Tackle Drug Abuse And Crime

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MIDRAND, GAUTENG, SOUTH AFRICA, May 4, 2023 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Recently, the Midrand Police Station, [Foundation for a Drug Free World](#), Izosukuma Indoda NPO and the Community Policing Forum all joined hands for all out awareness campaign about gender based violence, substance abuse and prevention of crime. This collaboration between community stakeholders is now a regular occurrence in the community of Midrand.



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Deeply worried by rising numbers of domestic cases, rampant drug abuse crime, the Midrand Police has been stepping up their efforts and working with the community successfully to bring awareness and cooperation.

The Police were very impressed with the support from community members and organizations. Constable Maluleke, who organized the campaign to bring awareness to these social issues said “There is so much positive

energy today and it is incredible. I am inspired to see all of us working together and doing good works tirelessly to safeguard and restore our community”.

They hit downtown Midrand and reached over 700 community members with the [‘Truth About Drugs’](#) message and more to create awareness about the dangers of substance abuse and how they lead to crimes in the community.

One of the local stores in downtown Midrand expressed gratitude and said, “Thank you so much

for what you are doing, drugs are a big problem in our communities and we are happy to support this great initiative.”

Alice Meiring of the Foundation For a Drug Free World described their program as an international drug awareness campaign that has educated over a billion kids on the dangers of Drugs. “It is a privilege to be working together with my community to tackle this issue head on. A lack of [knowledge](#) on something makes you vulnerable to it. If kids really hear the truth about drugs instead of the lies spread by dealers, then I know they will make the right choices. That is what we want”.

The chairman of a local non-profit organization called Izosukuma Indoda, dedicated to youth empowerment, was also present at the awareness event and actively promoting youth empowerment. Other contributive stakeholders included the Midrand SAPS, the local Community Policing Forum and others who were very keen on tackling these issues.

According to the Police, this is a regular occurrence and the support is greatly appreciated. They intend to continue with these awareness campaigns indefinitely.

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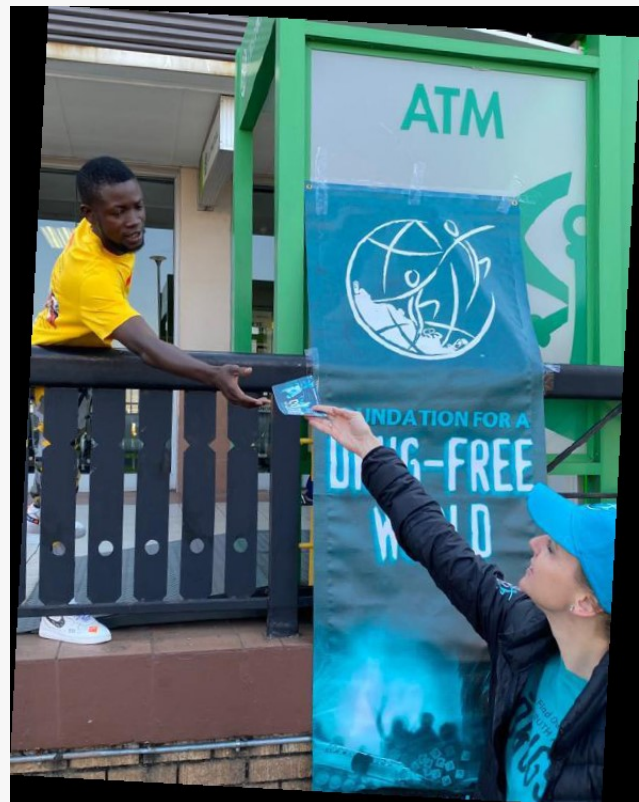
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