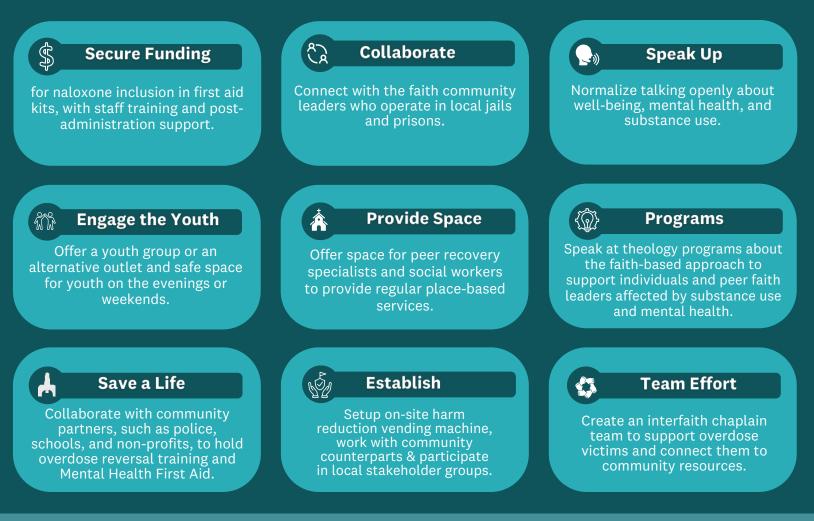


# THE ROLE OF THE FAITH COMMUNITY

Faith-based institutions play a crucial role in every community, often providing services beyond their primary mission.



Faith-based communities contribute to improving access to essential services. Furthermore, they can leverage their convening power to unite diverse stakeholders, reduce conflict, build trust, and enhance communication across various sectors, like government, non-profit organizations, academia, and the private sector.



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### SAFE PROJECT RECOMMENDED BOOKS

• The Urge: Our History of Addiction by Carl Erik Fisher

# In Pain: A Broethicist's Personal Struggle with Opioids by Travis Rieder Never Enough: The Neuroscience and Experience of Addiction by Judith Grisel

and Gabor Mate

Szalavitz

**PARENTS** 

ADULTS

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• Drug Use for Grown-Ups: Chasing Liberty in the Land of Fear by Dr. Carl L. Hart

• Chasing the Scream: The First and Last Days of the War on Drugs by Johann Hari

• Unbroken Brain: A Revolutionary New Way of Understanding Addiction by Maia

• Myth of Normal: Trauma, Illness, and Healing in a Toxic Culture by Daniel Mate

Undoing Drugs: How Harm Reduction is Changing the Future of Drugs and

### MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH AGE: 12-17

• A Better High by Matt Bellace

Addiction by Maia Szalavitz

- Life is Disappointing and Other Inspiring Thoughts by Matt Bellace
- Talk Ugly and Other Poems by Joseph Green

### > YOUNG CHILDREN

- Lambi Learns About Addiction by Trish Luna
- Timbi Talks About Addiction by Trish Luna
- My Brother Is Not a Monster by Lee Varon
- Someone I Love Died from a Drug Overdose by Melody Ray

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# The Addiction Inoculation by Jessica Lahey