What is ICEP?

As ASIA’s oldest program, the International Community Empowerment Project (ICEP) has been in existence since 1995. ICEP is a prevention program funded by the Summit County ADM Board, the GAR Foundation, and the United Way of Summit County. It aims to prevent the onset of violence, alcohol, tobacco, and other drug (VATOD) use in at-risk immigrant youth and their families (many of whom have limited English proficiency) in Northeast Ohio. The program also aims to impact environmental risk factors that influence VATOD in these communities.

Youth and families from emerging communities in Northeast Ohio enrolled in ICEP will make healthy life choices by abstaining from violence, alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use.

Asian Services in Action (ASIA)

Mission: To empower and advocate for Asian Americans & Pacific Islanders (AAPIs); and to provide AAPIs and other communities access to quality, culturally, and linguistically appropriate information, health and social services.

Vision: AAPI individuals, families and communities will:
- progress further along the path towards self sufficiency;
- be deeply engaged in civic life;
- have equal access to opportunities;
- be well understood by the vast availability of community data and information; and
- achieve optimal health and well-being.

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If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information, please contact Associate Manager Kelly Le at 330-535-3263 or kle@asiaohio.org
A skill is a learned ability to do something well. Life skills are abilities individuals can learn that will help them be successful in living a productive and satisfying life.

The goal of ICEP to provide developmentally appropriate opportunities for young people to experience life skills, to practice them until they are learned, and to be able to use them as necessary throughout a lifetime.

ICEP is funded through the Summit County ADM Board, GAR Foundation, and United Way.

**Activities:**
- Homework assistance by bilingual and bi-cultural educators and youth leaders
- Prevention activities, skits, plays, community projects, life skills development
- Leadership training
- Summer camps

**Increase school attendance, improve grades**

**What are Life Skills?**

**Enhance problem-solving and decision-making skills**

**Locations**
- **Findley CLC**
  65 West
  Tallmadge Ave.
  Akron, OH 44310

- **Forest Hill CLC**
  850 Damon Street
  Akron, OH 44310

- **Jennings CLC**
  227 E Tallmadge Ave.
  Akron, OH 44310

- **North High School**
  985 Gorge Blvd.
  Akron, Ohio 44310

In Cleveland? Check out our sister program: West-CAM!

**Thank you to our collaborators:**
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- Boy Scouts of America
- Children and Books (CAB)
- Crown Point Ecology Center
- Girl Scouts of Northeast Ohio
- Summit County Public Library
- Summit County Public Health
- Summit Education Initiative
- The Exchange House of North Hill
- United States Tennis Association (USTA)
- University of Akron
  - College of Sports Science
  - College of Education