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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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## **Program on Teen Drinking and Substances Use Coming to Toms River Library**

**TOMS RIVER** – The Toms River Branch of the Ocean County Library will host "Truth & Consequences: A Real-World Discussion about Teen Substance Use & Underage Drinking" at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14.

Substance use and drinking are some of the biggest issues parents and caregivers of teens are likely to face. This informative program is suggested for parents, grandparents, teens, volunteers, and professionals.

Attendees will learn about what to look for to discover signs of substance abuse, vaping trends and marijuana use among youth, and parent legal liability in underage drinking and the Good Samaritan Law.

This program is cosponsored by the Municipal Coalition, a partnership between Toms River, Beachwood, and Pine Beach Municipal Alliances, with funding from the Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse.

Sandwiches and refreshments will be served. Doors open at 6 p.m.

The branch is located at 101 Washington Street.

Registration is required for this free event. To register, or for more information, call the branch at 732-349-6200 or visit theoceancountylibrary.org/events.

Free parking is available after 5 p.m. on the street or in the top level of the parking deck behind the library.