



THE PHYSIOLOGY OF ADDICTION

WEDNESDAY APRIL 25, 2018

Presented by Dr. Ruth Potee

Medway T.H.R.I.V.E. will host a program, The Physiology of Addiction, with Dr. Ruth Potee, on Wednesday, April 25 at 7:00pm at Medway High School. Dr. Potee has received national recognition for her work with addiction and substance abuse disorders and is an expert in brain development and teen risk-taking. The presentation will be an overview of how substances and addictive behaviors impact the brain and how the brain is injured by prolonged exposure to these substances and behaviors.

The presentation will be 90 minutes with time for Q&A. A resource fair will be featured in the high school lobby with local resources available for information and questions before and after the program. **T.H.R.I.V.E.** (*Tools to foster Health, Resiliency, Inclusiveness, Vitality and Empowerment in Medway's youth*) is an organization that provides wellness-related programming and resources to families.

For information about T.H.R.I.V.E., follow them on Facebook at Medway T.H.R.I.V.E. and Twitter @MPS_Wellness.

NEW DATE:
Wednesday, April 25

7:00-8:30pm

Medway High School

The Physiology of Addiction

**Effects of
Drug-taking Behavior on
the Teenage Brain**

Dr. Ruth Potee

**Hosted by Medway
T.H.R.I.V.E.**

Presentation

Q & A

Resource Fair

**Medway High School
Auditorium**

88 Summer St., Medway