Ferris State University's Tobacco Free Campus Initiative

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Why bother?

Ferris is one of the few colleges left in Michigan that does not have either a smoke-free or tobacco-free campus policy.

Who does?

- Baker College
- Calvin College
- Central Michigan University
- Hope College
- University of Michigan
- Michigan State University
- Northern Michigan University
- Western Michigan University
- Eastern Michigan University
- Saginaw Valley State University
- Wayne State University
- Many others

Tobacco Free Campus Initiative

Grant for \$20,000 received from the American Cancer Society

Special thanks to Aman Chahal

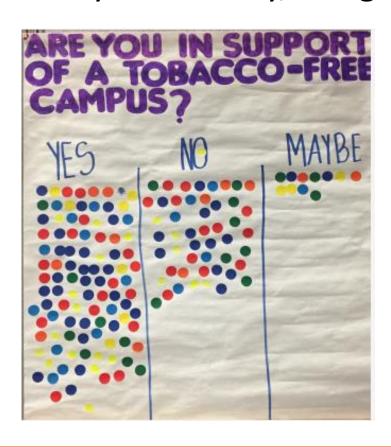
Faculty member: Dr. Fathima Wakeel

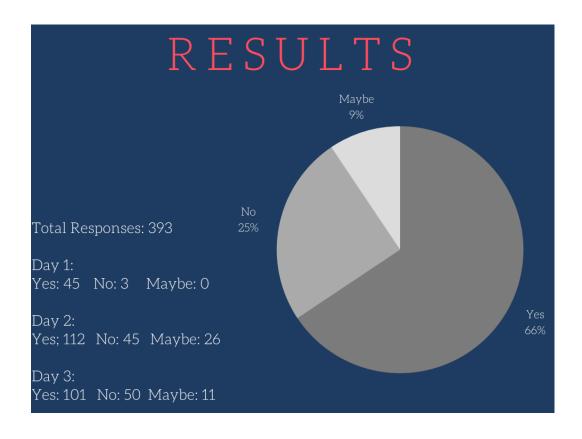
Student workers: Alyson Hill, Ali Quilitzsch

- Student Health 101 article
- Press Release regarding the Great American Smokeout

Previous work

Sticky Dot Survey, designed by Aman Chahal





Moving Forward: Great American Smokeout

What is it?

24 hour long challenge to encourage current smokers to quit, even if just for a day

When: November 16th

Main Location: University Center, Ferris State University

Cigarette Cleanup

On Halloween day, the Public Health Student Association (PHSA) will be hosting a campus-wide cigarette clean up.

- Open to all volunteers
- Collaboration with the faculty from College of Health Professions
- Other RSOs partnering with PHSA:
 - Colleges Against Cancer
 - Michigan College of Optometry's Public Health RSO
 - Active Minds
 - Others are invited

Cigarette litter will be compiled and put on display at our table during GASO

Survey

We are interested in surveying the students at Ferris pre and post-GASO activities.

Survey is planned to be delivered before the cigarette cleanup and after GASO

 Will assess students' attitudes, beliefs, knowledge, and history with regards to smoking behaviors and acceptance of a university-wide tobacco ban

Currently seeking IRB approval

Thank You!