



SBIRT Colorado
An Update on Screening and Brief Intervention
Health Care Task Force
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- Introductions
- Review of substance abuse prevention needs in Colorado
- Invitation to Colorado Substance Abuse and Healthcare Policy Summit

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- Overview of SBIRT Colorado initiative
- Description of SBIRT efforts and implementation settings
- Discussion of patients reached and data collected to-date

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- Introduction to Colorado Clinical Guidelines Collaborative
- Review of Alcohol and Substance Use guideline
- Discussion of the need for integrating SBIRT into primary care

Motivating Coloradans
to make changes and
improve their health
and lives through universal
screening and early
substance use intervention.