SLCo Employee Wellness Tobacco Cessation Program



Dear Participant,

We understand that quitting can be a challenging journey, whether it's your first, third, or tenth attempt. We hope that our program will make this your final effort to quit. This program is crafted to be practical and applicable in everyday life, acknowledging that obstacles will appear. These challenges are meant to be navigated while quitting, rather than forcing you to restart from the beginning. With a comprehensive three-step featuring support built into each phase, we are confident that you can achieve success.

We know that once you choose to quit tobacco and stop using – in 20 minutes, your heart rate and blood pressure will drop, and in 12 hours the carbon monoxide levels in the bloodstream drop to normal. Quitting can help add years to your life, you will protect your loved ones from secondhand dangers and ultimately be setting a good example – showing those that you love and who love you that life without tobacco is possible.

We know you can do this!
The SLCo Employee Wellness Team

Frequently Asked Questions

Tobacco Cessation Program



How long does the program take to complete?

The Tobacco Cessation Program is divided into three phases, each allowing for time increments to accommodate potential setbacks. However, if completed consecutively, the entire program can be finished within a year.

How many coaching sessions do I have to complete throughout the course of this program?

In this program, Phase 1 and 2 requires five sessions with a cessation coach from the Way to Quit program. Phase 3 contains six sessions with an Employee Wellness Coach. If all three phases are completed consecutively, 11 coaching sessions will be finished in one year.

What is the total incentive amount of this program?

Once the program is fully completed, you will receive a total of \$300 distributed to the employee's paycheck. This amount is disbursed in three installments upon the completion of each phase:

Phase 1: \$50Phase 2: \$100Phase 3: \$150

What if I do not complete all the phases or have to restart a phase?

If participants experience a setback, they can pick up where they left off within the Phases. However, It is recommended to start from Phase 1, refine your action plan, and start anew. Please note participants can only be paid for each phase once

Can my spouse or adult designee participate in this program?

Absolutely! All participants in the Employee Wellness Program who wish to quit tobacco products are eligible to take part in the Tobacco Cessation Program.

What if I don't have a primary care physician?

No need to worry! As a county employee and adult designee, you have access to a health clinic exclusively for you. You can visit the HealthyMe Clinic located at the Government Center S2-500. Refer to Page 7 on instructions to schedule an appointment.

Any additional questions?

Please email myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov - where we can work through any questions you may have.

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Learn the three phases of the Tobacco Cessation Program and how to earn incentives for each completed phase.

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TOBACCO CESSATION PHASES

Action Plan, Meet with Your Doctor & Set-up Coaching

Phase

1 \$50

- 1. Sign up for the Tobacco Cessation Program by emailing myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov or calling 385-468-4062.
- 2. Complete the provided Action Plan on page 3.
 - Schedule and meet with your primary care physician to discuss quitting, share your completed action plan, and get your physician's signature on the Tobacco Referral Form.
 - Once you have met with your primary care physician, email your completed action plan and signed
 Tobacco Cessation Referral form to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov
- 3. Complete your *first* health coaching session with a <u>Way to Quit</u> coach and set up your next appointment.

Incentive: Earn \$50 when steps 1-3 of Phase I have been completed.

Estimated Time Frame: 30-60 days

Documents you have to email to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov: Completed Action Plan & Signed Tobacco Cessation Referral Form

Continue Coaching, Complete Phase 2 Tracker

Phase

2

\$100

1. Meet with a Way to Quit coach four times in phase two.

- Since you have completed 5 coaching sessions with Way to Quit, (1) in Phase 1 and (4) in Phase 2, ask your cessation coach for a completion certification to be emailed to you.
- Once you receive this certification, email it to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov
- 2. Explore additional Tobacco Cessation resources via <u>Utah's Way to Quit.</u>
- 3.Remain tobacco-free for 70 out of the 90 days using your action plan. Fill out the <u>Phase 2 Tracker</u> (located on page 6).
 - Tobacco-free is defined as refraining from the usage of all tobacco products including cigarettes, chewing, and vaping.
- 4. Submit your completed Phase 2 Tracker via email to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov

Incentive: Earn \$100 when Steps 1 - 4 of Phase 2 have been completed.

Estimated Time Frame: 90 days

Documents you have to email to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov: Way to Quit coaching completion certification & Completed Phase 2 Tracker

Tobacco Free for 6 Months, Meet with Employee Wellness Health Coach & Complete Phase 3 Tracker

Phase

3

- 1. Meet with an Employee Wellness Coach at least once every other month during phase three.
 - o Schedule an appointment by emailing myhealthyliferstyles@saltlakecounty.gov
- 2.Remain Tobacco free for six months and complete the Phase 3 Tracker (located on page 7).
- 3. Submit the completed Phase 3 Tracker via myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov

Incentive: Earn \$150 when Steps 1 - 3 of Phase 3 are completed.

Estimated Time Frame: 6 months

Documents you have to email to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov: Completed Phase 3 Tracker

TOBACCO CESSATION ACTION PLAN

Be **Specific,** make it **Memorable**, pair it with **Action Steps**, be **Resilient** when facing triggers and challenges, and **Think** before you act upon habit/impulse/want.

GOAL:	
WHY/MOTIVATION: What is your reason(s) for quitting?	
WHAT ARE YOUR TRIGGERS?	

MY QUIT START DAY:

PHASE 3
COMPLETION DATE:

INCENTIVES:

PHASE 1: \$50 PHASE 2: \$100 PHASE 3: \$150



TRIGGERS ACTION PLAN:

Example: I tend to smoke when I get into the car. To counter this, I will chew gum while driving to avoid smoking.

SUPPORTIVE FRIENDS & FAMILY

(List who they are)

Don't quit quitting.

Success requires a little persistence. Never stop quitting – it's a journey and we're here to help you along the way.

My Reasons for quitting

It is affecting my health.

For my family or friends.

My doctor recommended quitting.

To save money.

To set a good example.

To have a better future.

To take back control.

Baby on the way

For my pets.

It is hard to find places to smoke.

Know Your Triggers

- Being offered a cigarette
- Going to a party or social event
- Being around others who use tobacco
- Seeing someone else smoke
- Routine situations, emotions, withdrawal

SLCo Employee Wellness Tobacco Cessation Referral Form

Email addre <u>ss</u>						
	Birth Date//					
TOBACCO This sectio	n to be completed by Healthy Lifestyles participant					
In the last six months, which	☐ Vape or e-cigarettes (disposable or refillable)					
products have you smoked? (Check all that apply)	☐ Cigarettes					
	☐ Hookah					
	☐ Pipes					
	☐ Cigars					
Have you ever tried to quit	☐ Yes					
before?	□ No					
If yes, what steps did you	☐ Medications					
take? (check all that apply)	☐ Nicotine Gum or Patches					
	☐ Counseling/Coaching					
	☐ Cold Turkey					
	☐ Reducing Number of Smokes per day					
	d that the information listed on this form will only be shared with Healthy					
Lifestyles.	Date					
Employee Signature:	Date					

STEP 3 | Form submission to be completed by Healthy Lifestyles Participant Submit completed form by emailing to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov

PHASE 2 TRACKER

TOBACCO FREE A				t least <u>68 Days</u> out of 90 Tobacco Free					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
WAY TO QUIT CESSATION COACHING SESSIONS 1 2 3 4 5									
Participant Signature:									
Accountability Partner's Signature (other than a family member): Date:									



Once this tracker is complete, you will email it to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov along with the proof of completion for coaching sessions given to you by your Way To Quit coach.

PHASE 3 TRACKER

MONTH 1	MONTH 2	MONTH 3	MONTH 3 MONTH 4		MONTH 6	
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Participant Signature: SLCo Employee Wellness Coach Signature: Start Date to Completion Date:						

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Once this tracker is complete, which means you are complete with Phase 3, you will email it to myhealthylifestyles@saltlakecounty.gov

Tobacco Cessation **SUPPORTIVE RESOURCES**

way to quit,

Quit your way, with our help.
Way to Quit's resources are
proven to help you quit
nicotine more successfully than
trying to quit on your own. The
more tools you use, the more
likely you are to quit. Plus,
they're always free,
confidential, and easy to use.
Enroll today and quit for the
last time.

1-800-QUIT-NOW

https://waytoquit.org/get-help-quitting/

smokefree.gov

It's a great day to quit.
The first day can be difficult,
but we can help you get
through it. Join the
SmokefreeTXT program.

Preparation is the first step to being smokefree. Boost your chances of success by making a quit plan.

Feeling confident in your ability to stay smokefree may take time.

Speak to an expert whenever you need a boost.

https://smokefree.gov/tools-tips/textprograms/quit-for-good/smokefreetxt

Need a Primary Care Physician?

Salt Lake County has a employee and adult designee dedicated clinic located at the SLCo Government Center, South Building, serviced by Dr. Sheehan and mental health therapist, Deanna Weeks.

Please call 385-468-0555 to schedule an appointment.

Get Support &

DOUBLE YOUR ODDS OF QUITTING TOBACCO