



THERE'S A REASON

TO TALK TO YOUR TEEN ABOUT UNDERAGE DRINKING

DC youth say underage access to alcohol is easy.

- Among DC high school students, the age of first alcohol use is age 12.
- More than 20 percent of DC high school students drank alcohol in the past month.

Know where your kids are, who they are hanging out with, and start a dialogue about drinking. Reduce your kids' chances of underage drinking by talking to them early.

Talk. They Hear You.

For tips on talking to your kids about alcohol, visit www.theresareasondc.com

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