

Bristol's Promise: Youth Networking Alliance Accomplishments 1998 to 2006

1998	Out of IGNITE community wide visioning, formed as Youth Networking Alliance, for networking, collaborating
	King College becomes a college of promise
2001	Visit from Richard Wells, America's Promise, to become a Community of Promise
2002	Boys & Girls Club—first site of promise; Central Presbyterian, site of promise
2003	Apple Institute—site of promise Drug Free Communities Grant Bristol TN city Schools Mentoring program begun—America's Promise groups
2004	Search Institute Surveys: Bristol TN city schools—Drug Free Communities Grant Bristol VA city schools Thrivant Financial for Lutherans grant Weed & Seed Purdue Forma Grant for Communities That Care (CTC) surveys and planning process Mentoring program, America's Promise groups continue
2005	Anderson, Vance, Tennessee High school of promise Completion of CTC planning process Development of a community-wide plan Fall—Implementation of chosen programs—Guiding Good choices, Success in Stages, Positive Action, Reconnecting Youth (delayed due to HOUSE program terminating at THS) Fall—meeting of Bristol TN/VA systems analysis with Jan Sprow Mentoring program, America's Promise groups continue, funds end in June Fall—Bristol's Promise board formed
2006	Bristol Family YMCA site of promise SPF SIG opportunity—Strategic Planning Framework/State Initiative Grant Bristol's Promise incorporates, receives 501 c 3 designation Bristol's Promise joins the Chamber Bristol TN City Council presentation, City Council adopts National League of Cities resolution MOVE to a Healthier YOU! community health initiative begun Applied for 100 Best Communities Guiding Good Choices workshops Supporting School Success workshops Drug Free and Violence Prevention Coalition YNA meetings: Up and At 'Em, Terry Caldwell Transitions program, Week without Violence and more