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Introducing Camp Cope CARES: A New Program Offering Support for Those Who Have Lost a Loved One to Opioid Misuse

Adam's Place, a local non-profit organization dedicated to providing support to children, teens, and families who are experiencing grief and loss, proudly announces the launch of: Camp Cope CARES (Children's Activities, Resources, Education, Support). This new program aims to provide comprehensive services to children and families who have lost a loved one to opioid misuse.

"The Camp Cope CARES Program will provide enhanced support services," shares Jacquie MacLeod Chief Program Officer and certified Child Life Specialist for Adam's Place. Services include: Assessments and mental health screenings for children and teens, case management services to connect families with additional community resources, individual and family action plans, access to grief support services for your child/family with a Certified Child Life Specialist, participation in Camp Cope and Third Thursday peer support groups for children, teens, and adults, participation in Camp Cope family fun activities. "Creating connections, building healthy coping skills and helping families identify new tools to deal with change and loss is our goal", adds Ms. Macleod.

The Camp Cope CARES Program is enrolling families now and will be introducing new services over the next several months. If your family is interested in participating, please register on the website at adamsplacelv.org.

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Adam's Place, a 501(c)(3) established in 2009, is a children's bereavement resource for our community and nationally. Our signature social and emotional peer support program, Camp Cope, offers education for children, teens, and families coping with grief and loss. The Camp Cope Program provides grief support groups with trained volunteer facilitators that lead and encourage group members to express the many feelings that are a part of the grieving process. Group members discuss and share activities with others who share similar life changing

experiences. The goal of Camp Cope is to make connections, build resiliency, and healthy coping skills. Monthly virtual adult support groups are also offered with topics commonly encountered in the path of ongoing reinvestment in daily life while grieving. The meetings will be held on the third Thursday of each month, beginning at 6 p.m.

In 2022, Adam's Place was awarded at the Annual State Conference for the Nevada School Counselor Association as the Outstanding Community Organization of the year. This honor is given out every year to a nonprofit or community group from Nevada recognized for providing superior partnership and support to school counselors in their community.

ABOUT ADAM'S PLACE

Adam's Place was established in memory of Adam Gregory Thomas. He was a 21-year-old college senior at the University of Nevada, Reno, at the time of his death.

Adam's Place is a nonprofit organization with 501(c)(3) status. Donations are tax deductible. EIN: 27-3388238. For more information, visit adamsplacelv.org

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