

Module 1 Handout

Protections & Risks

Protections		Increased Risk	
	Affectionate relationship with parents		Conflicted parent-child relationship
	Non-conflicted relationship with parents		Sensation-seeking, rebelliousness
	Close family bonds		Low school achievement
	Parents' clear expectations of responsible behavior		Parental alcohol and drug use
	School success		Neurocognitive conditions such as ADD, ADHD
	Peer group does not use alcohol/drugs		Mental illness
	Clear parental disapproval of alcohol/drug use		Feeling marginalized
	Parental involvement in child's life		Parental marital conflict
	Good social skills		Child abuse or neglect
			Alcohol & drug using peer group