

Copper Valley Region Alcoholism

Stewart Nicholai, Alcoholism Counselor in Copper Center, RurAL CAP, met with Sheldon Sprecker, the District Magistrate of Glenallen and State Trooper Hollen to discuss coordinating with each respective office concerning the problems the area has with alcohol abuse in the Copper Valley region.

Ann Bowen, Alcoholism Coordinator for the Borough Health Department, and Peter Kunnuk, of RurAL CAP, also met with them to offer technical assistance to Mr. Stewart.

Plans are underway to work

with the above agencies along with the Superintendent of Glenallen High School and one of the local churches:

Not only with the various organizations in Copper Valley be utilized but correspondence will also go out to those in Anchorage.

Once these contacts are established Mr. Stewart will be communicating with each of the village councils to encourage the communities participation in working towards resolving the problem of alcoholism.

The alcoholism counselor will talk to individuals, use educational materials to create an interest; and assist in organizing groups and committees who want to help combat the problem.