

D-SHAC Agenda April 21, 2021



Agenda

Welcome: Alise Neff

Call to Order 9:03

Minutes – Please read the attached <u>March SHAC minutes</u>. Please check for accuracy, spelling, grammar, dates, etc. Please suggest any changes. We will need one person to make a motion to approve the minutes and another person to second the motion.

Minutes accepted by: Airon Holliday, Mary Harryman

Minutes approved on Sep 7, 2021 by Robin Harold, Mary Harryman

Committee Updates, Information and Celebrations

- a) PE/PA/Health-Amber Macneish
- b) Nutrition-Mary Harryman & Jodie Defrancesco
- c) Family and Community-Krishna Shah & Tiffany Davis
- d) School Behavioral Health and Counseling-Amany Khalil & Karen McCarley & Robin Harold
- e) Health Services-April Weisedel & Shannon Rogers

Summer Programming

- Child Nutrition-Mary Harryman
- Texas Hunger Initiative-Kerstie Nichols

HB3089: https://capitol.texas.gov/BillLookup/History.aspx?LegSess=87R&Bill=HB3089
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House Public Education Committee Members: https://capitol.texas.gov/Committees/Membership.aspx

Questions or Concerns

Note: This meeting was held virtually on Zoom due to COVID-19

Next Year's Dates: September 7, 2021, November 2, 2021, February 1, 2022, April 5, 2022

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Physical Education and Physical Activity Committee

Celebrations/Completed Items

- Through a Sun Safety grant from MD Anderson we have
 - o Trained HPE teachers and crossing guards on importance of sun safety and will distribute sun safety packs including a UV protective shirt and sunscreen/chapstick (Virtually Trained)
 - o Red Bluff Elementary received a shade structure for their playground
- Employee Wellness Newsletter started in January and is going strong- we have shared about healthy eating, healthy heart month, stressing less and sleeping more.
- PE, Recess and co-curricular PE special events are still occuring on campuses with Covid safety measures in place! Elementary and Middle School students are participating in Get Fit Jog and track and field days across the district this spring.

Items in Progress/Continuing

Continuing from last meeting:

- Recess Guidelines were included in the 2019-2020 Student Handbook. We are now working to promote the use of the guidelines on all elementary campuses along with COVID PE/Recess Recommendations.
- Elementary and Middle School P.E. curriculum is being revised to include more skills based activities while increasing MVPA (Fitnessgram scores).
- Int/High School P.E. curriculum is being revised to include more fitness-based workouts. The recommended structure is for a cardio day, 2 fitness days and 2 activity days.
- HPE Guidelines were developed for all Health and PE Classes including safety recommendations, weather guidelines, Health and PE law, school board policy etc.

New Items

- New PE standards 2022-23: Instructional materials will be reviewed next school year by our Health and PE teachers and the SHAC.
- Updates to all PE Special Events-Track and Field-field trips can resume. Most ES/MS are planning campus based events.
- The Virtual Olympiad was a success!

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• TEA is requiring Fitnessgram this year for all students in PE 3-12th grade. Teachers will be submitted through a form in Skyward. Parents will be enlisted to help remote learners complete the assessments. A sample unit and resources was provided to PE teachers to help with assessing remote learners.

Health Education Committee

Celebrations/Completed Items

Pasadena ISD is thriving with virtual education through COVID 19

Items in Progress/Continuing

- Everfi, a web based, interactive curriculum to support alcohol education, character development and mental health education will be used as a resource in the Health curriculum this year.
- We are still reviewing resources to address Senate Bill 435 to teach about opioid antagonists
- Human sexuality lessons will be offered to both remote and face to face learners.
- Teachers/administrators are also requesting that the parent permission slips be opt-out. Meaning if a parent does not want their child to receive the Basic/Wait training, then they would need to return the permission slip marked "no". Parents are informed of the human sexuality curriculum via parent letter, on the website and in the student handbook. This was shared with teachers and admin on October 12, 2020.
- Catch My Breath, a vaping prevention student-centered curriculum will be included in the Health curriculum for 2020-2021 school year. Teachers will be trained on the curriculum in January. (Information shared)
- Basic/Wait curriculum materials were created for remote learners and to post on the LMS and HPE team is offering support as needed
- CPR Instruction plan has been put in place REQUIRED to graduate and plan is being implemented (Not just CPR, calling for help recognizing what help needed looks like)
- Big Decisions high school offered both semesters
- Parenting and Paternity Awareness- opt out letter in use in HS Health

New Items

- New PE and Health standards 2022-23: Instructional materials will be reviewed next school year by our Health and PE teachers and the SHAC.
- Dose of Knowledge is being reviewed for substance abuse curriculum resources

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Nutrition

Celebrations/Completed Items

- Our CACFP audit concluded with no findings, perfect audit. Our Procurement audit concluded with minimal findings, near perfect.
- Ranked #1 in the Houston area large districts, and #2 in the state of Texas for reaching our students with nutritious meals (at school or at home).
- We were highlighted by School Nutrition Magazine for our recipe development and staff culinary competitions. Students and Employees are
 involved in the making of recipes. They give employees items from pantry and they make recipes during a cooking competition.
 Thanksgiving meals recognized for in person and virtual students.

Items in Progress/Continuing

- We are continuing to look at ways to increase meal participation/distribution to our face to face students as well as our virtual students.
 - We are continuing to encourage our face to face students who bring a sack lunch from home to complete that lunch with a Pick 3 Free initiative students can bring a sandwich or other entrée then go through the lunch line to pick 3 of any combination of foods to complete their meal, one item must be a fruit or vegetable. Can be claimed as a reimbursable meal.
 - We are working to expand our weekend bundle distribution to more elementary campuses for the remainder of the year.
 - We are currently holding student taste testing to determine what products will be on the menu next year.
- Still having manufacturing & food supply issues.

New Items

- We will be offering traditional summer meal service this summer. Where we have students on campus we will have meal service on site. We will have at least one curbside location, possibly more. We are waiting on clarification by the Texas Department of Agriculture as some of their rules and procedures are changing. Curbside site TBD once TEA has clarified new rules. id Serving at different summer locations that are NOT already summer school sites. USDA, continuing free meal programs, depending on Texas (TDA) rules. Serving once a week, 7 days of meals (breakfast, lunch and dinners). Strawberry milk is no longer pink, bordan made a decision. They try and reduce artificial flavors and colors.
- Waste: Healthy Hunger food initiative mandates a fruit or veg on the plate. Trying to bag things, so they can take them to eat later. Trying to educate students on what is good to eat the veg/fruit on plate. Share carts preCOVID was a huge help on waste. Putting Tajin helps students eat veg/fruit.

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- Adding MSGs, to the app can be a possibility. SHAC can help with that. Highlight
- Water, coolers are not used due to COVID. Students can request water and use water fountains/cupfiller. No bottled water available unless
 purchased for .50. Milk allergies, sory milk, lactate options are available, has to go to nurse and get proper documentation. Juices are not
 options because of rules.

Family and Community Engagement

Celebrations/Completed Items

- In collaboration with Brighter Bites- Ten PISD Elementary campuses has distributed 9,028 produce boxes to our families throughout this year.
- ACE has served over 3,000 boxes this school year to our families through DZ market.
- ACE and San Jacinto College have partnered up to provide ongoing mentoring virtually for ACE students at Burnett, Pomeroy, Williams, Kruse, and South Houston Elementary. This mentoring partnership will continue through the summer programs.
- All of our parent and ACE coordinators for our district have been hosting drive throughs, drive ins, virtual meetings, making personal phone
 calls, all in effort to keep our families connecting to the school. We celebrate the connections and support they have made with families
 during this time.

Items in Progress

- In collaboration with our local churches, Barbara Bush Foundation, CIS, ACE and other various PISD departments, every First Grade Student will be receiving 3 books to take home to read with their families. Each book has a lesson that the families can do together. April 30th is the day of the celebration-Children's Book Day! See Attached Flyer
- ACE will continue hosting the DeZavala market throughout June. Remaining April dates include: April 22nd. May dates include: May 6th and 20th. June dates include: June 3rd, 10th, and 17th. See Attached Flyer

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- Ready Rosie information will be shared with families, to help support learning for our Pre K- 2nd grade students during the summer. These short videos will give parents specific strategies to help their kids learn in basic, fun, and real life ways. Each video is aligned to our district and campus goals and are divided up by grade level. See Attached Flyer to sign up.
- Hosting a College Information Zoom meeting for parents of 7th and 8th grade students- April 21st 2021 from 5:00-6:00 pm. Contact your Intermediate parent coordinator if interested. See Attached Flyer

New Items

- Parent Coordinators will be receiving training from a National Family Engagement Leader-Steven Constantino.
- Parent Surveys will open first week of May. This survey will be shared via, text, social media and campus educational platforms. This information is valuable to help address the needs of our families for the upcoming year. Please encourage all families to complete the survey.

School Behavioral Services and Counseling

Celebrations/Completed Items

- Threat Specialist from STOP School Violence Grant is in her role in Pasadena ISD Welcome Gabi Herrera!
- School Counselors in PISD are doing a great job connecting students to mental health services. Our partners appreciate the great referrals for our students in need!
- May is Mental Health Awareness Month!
- PISD Staff will have an opportunity to attend professional development this summer focused on social emotional learning, safety and connection!

Items in Progress

- Employee Assistance Program has started, information has been shared regularly with staff. Districts way of taking care of employees that are taking care of students. Legal help, Financial planning, counseling, plus tax help and more!
- CREST Award recognition given to 17 PISD campuses: (Elem) Burnett, Fisher, Freeman, Gardens, Jensen, Meador, Pearl Hall, Red Bluff,
 Teague, Young (Middle) Keller, Lomax, Roberts, Schneider, Shaw (Intermediate) Jackson, Miller Counseling excellence in the state of texas
 award (big deal)

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- TCHATT is up and running counselors are submitting referrals, collaboration. Available to all students no insurance needed, they will refer you or help you connect with the appropriate persons or resources. Prevention and Intervention is the number one priority. TCHATT is ongoing, schools are finding it to be helpful and PISD is top referral source
- PISD increased social service support by expanding from 1 to 4 district social workers to assist all PISD campuses. Contact your campus if you need help with social services
- Strategic Plan has been board approved and includes a focus on social and emotional learning, safety, and teacher training, and targeted multi-tiered support.

New Items

• All mental health services will be available during the summer. Please email your campus counselor or contact the district Counselor Coordinator (Robin Harold) or Behavior Coordinator (Amany Khalil) if services are needed.

Health Services

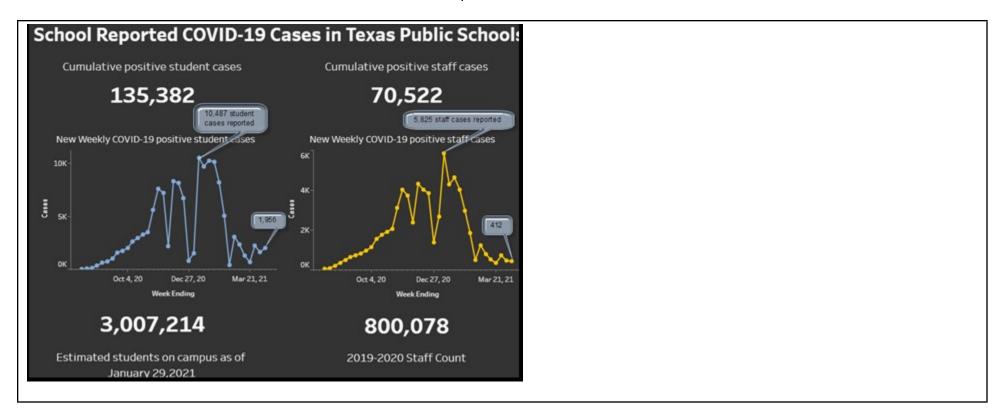
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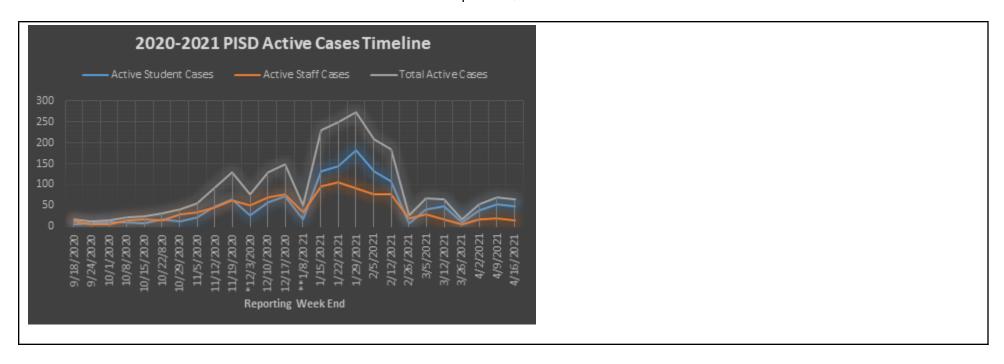
• We are seeing a huge decline in positive student and staff cases in public schools across our state. At our peak this school year, Texas schools reported more than 10,000 positive student cases and almost 6,000 staff IN ONE WEEK. And as you can see we are steadily on the decline with under 2,000 positive student cases and a little over 400 staff in one week. This is very promising for us as it shows the mitigating strategies we are using in our schools are doing what they should.

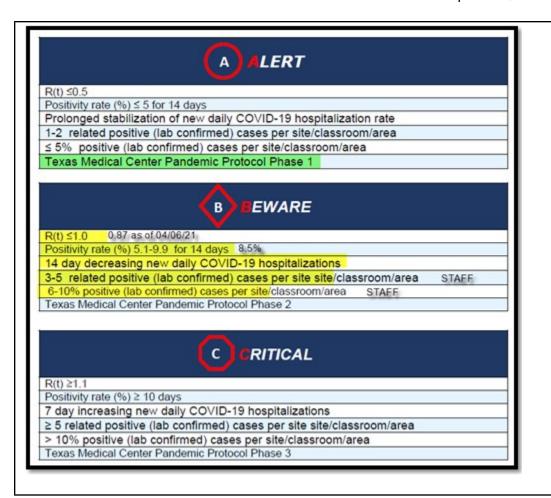
Items in Progress

• In Pasadena ISD we are seeing a drastic and steady downward trend in our total reported active cases since January 29th. Our school nurses are still performing rapid testing on campuses and we continue to hold strong with decreasing positive cases throughout the district. This is very exciting to see.

- Looking at our own metrics, we remain on Level B for Beware as the majority of our indicators fall in this area. We currently only have one incidence of three related staff cases that occurred in a non-campus department. This incidence was strictly due to a lapse in mitigation practices. As the majority of our indicators remain in level B, we must hold the line and continue our mitigation strategies of social distancing, washing our hands and wearing our masks. Being within 3-6 feet of anyone while not wearing a mask still remains the number one cause of related positive cases on a campus or in a department. Specifically, eating lunch together.
- Face coverings are still recommended and encouraged as a major mitigating strategy in fighting this virus. And because we see related spread in our district is directly correlated to a lapse in mask use, we as a district will continue to require face coverings for all at least through the end of this school year.
- Vaccinations are booming! 45% of those 16 and older in Harris County have received at least one dose of a vaccine. PISD has been partnering with CVS, Walgreens, Pasadena Health Center and other agencies to bring vaccination clinics onsite for our staff at multiple locations. With the Moderna vaccine available to 18 years and older and the Pfizer vaccine available for those 16 years old and older, we can begin the next phase in crushing this little bug that shook our world. There are a few vaccine trials happening for children under the age of 16 and so far results are promising. There is hope on the horizon for vaccinations to be made available to all children 12 and older!
- So some key takeaways here are our decreasing COVID-19 cases across Pasadena ISD and our community. We will continue wearing face masks as well as practicing social distancing through May. Vaccines are open to all eligible persons and we are looking forward to getting back to a more normal way of life very soon.









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Presentations/Questions/Concerns

- Kerstie Nicole, Texas Hunger Initiative: Help on promoting curbside meals, developed Free Meal Houston.com Goal increasing the number of children getting curbside meals. Continuing through Summer. Grant Money given to PISD for curbside carts!
- Three Bills, that are in the House right now that Could affect SHAC
 - o HB3089: https://capitol.texas.gov/BillLookup/History.aspx?LegSess=87R&Bill=HB3089
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Attendance:

Cara Pruett
Laura Canif (Ren)
Delena Down Lay
Lisa Prado
Cynthia Blanco
Brenda Hernandez
Liz Reyes
Rosa Tapia
Tincy Varghese
Nancy Melgar
Emely Barajona
Ana Valenzuela
Christina Herwald
Airon Holliday

Doris Vasquez
Latisha Ogbunamiri
Katy Oestman
Yomaira Banks
John Sweitzer
Jodie Defranchesca
Karen McCarley
Mayve Rodriguez
Amber Macneish
Alise Neff
Marsha Jones