

SHAC Meeting Minutes
Wylie High School PAC-Black box theatre
December 15, 2021

The School Health Advisory Council conducted their second meeting of the 2021-22 academic year. The meeting was held at Wylie High School in the black box theater of the Performing Arts Center. Meeting was posted 72 hours in advance.

Members present:

Terry Hagler - Assistant Superintendent/Chair
Corissa Parris - Parent/Co chair
Angela Haney - Parent
Josh Hardwick - Parent
Max Johnson - Parent
Lois Burleson - District Nurse

Members absent:

John Fanning - Parent

Guests present: Craig Bessent - Assistant Superintendent of School Operations

5 members present at the meeting. 1 member absent. 1 guest present.

Call to Order - Chairman, Mr. Hagler called the meeting to order at 1200pm. Corissa motioned and Josh seconded.

Introduction of the committee members and their role on the council was made by each individual and led by Terry Hagler. Mission statement was read and agreed upon by all members present. A reminder that SHAC guide was provided and an overview of the guidelines was given at the last meeting. Agenda was sent via email prior to the meeting.

Craig Bessent gave insight to mental health protocols within the district as required by state and federal guidelines. He informed the committee of Senate Bill 11 and how mental health is addressed in schools. Overall mental health of the students aides in the student performing and achieving better both academically and as a whole by providing a safe and secure school climate. There is a three tier system that consists of preventive, early, and intense intervention. Preventive programs such as character counts and bulldog bridge. Early intervention includes staff recognition of student behavior and needs. Programs such as Mentors in Care and Communities in school. Mentors in care is a one on one setting whereas Communities in school is a group setting. Intense intervention includes counseling and services provided by the campus licensed specialist in school psychology. The district provides four licensed specialists in school psychology. Max Johnson, parent, shared that he is in his second week with Mentors in Care. Josh Hardwick inquired about where trauma informed training comes from. Mr. Bessent noted training is from the Department of Family and Protective Services.

Lois Burleson enlightened the committee on school health services within the school district. School nurses are the medical professionals on campuses with 8 nurses employed in the district. 4 RNs and 4 LVNs identifying what campus each registered nurse and licensed vocational nurse practices. Differentiated between the credentials of nurses. Discussed what services the nurses provide on a daily basis for student care and requirements by state guidelines. Explained how the daily visits and requirements coordinate with the community and parents. Gave statistics of daily visits thus far district wide by students, listed top three reasons students visit the nurse, and daily medications. Concluded with the importance of care coordination between parents, students and school nurses. Max Johnson and Angela Haney inquired how topics of std and request for pregnancy tests are handled. Nurse Burleson explained the student is always encouraged to include parent/guardian in these types of questions and/or concerns. Also informed assistance by a school counselor if necessary.

Terry Hagler informed of future meeting dates as follows, February 16, 2022 and April 13, 2022. Meetings will be held in the performing arts center at the high school. Lunch will also be served. No objection by committee members for dates, all in agreement. The February meeting will have the physical education and health teachers present. Spring meetings will consist of evaluating health curriculum materials for the school district's human sexuality instruction and any updates from the Texas Association of School Boards.

With no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned at 100pm.