

STUDENT HEALTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

11-6-17 Minutes

SHAC Co-chair – Allison Fetscher

Allison Fetscher will serve as the Co-Chair.

Health Services Update: Christine Beck, PISD Lead Nurse-West

Shared new forms/letters regarding: lice, scoliosis screening guidelines.

AED's from Pearland Rotary: Ruth Dinhobl, PISD Lead Nurse-East

Showed new AEDs purchased from the Pearland Rotary and modeled how to use AEDs.

CPR Training

Kim Orsak, Lead PE Teacher discussed CPR training for students; she shared that students in 7th grade PE are being trained in chest compressions using mannequins. This is the last year that all students are enrolled in PE—before PE alternatives are allowed. Some PE teachers and coaches review concepts throughout the year.

SPARK Curriculum Implementation

Kim Orsak, Lead PE Teacher—the SPARK program has been purchased as the district coordinated health curriculum. PE teachers were trained on integrating concepts by SPARK staff at the August and October staff development. This program will supplement PE instruction in a variety of grade appropriate topics that link concepts through the grades.

STD Curriculum

Kim Orsak, Lead PE Teacher said that she reviewed sexually transmitted diseases in the SPARK curriculum with PE coaches at the October staff development. Concepts begin in early grades with ideas like personal space, not touching, etc. and continue through high school. Coaches share SPARK information throughout the year as appropriate for their campus and grade levels.

Potential Meeting Change

Dr. Nyla Watson, Sr. Asst. Superintendent—the next SHAC meeting will be a breakfast meeting on Feb. 6 at 7:30 am at Turner High School. SHAC members will make breakfast choices from the menu served to students. District Food Service members share menu decisions, nutrition guidelines, etc.

Tobacco & E-Cigs

Christine Beck PISD Lead Nurse-West-gave a presentation on E-Cigarettes that discussed usage, dangers, etc. Dr. Watson shared input that she gathered from principals; students in possession of E-Cigs are assigned three days of in school suspension. Committee members including student members shared their knowledge

and concerns regarding student use. Dr. Watson will share the information with principals at an upcoming curriculum meeting.

FEBRURY: Concussion Protocol will be discussed at the Feb. 6 meeting.

Future SHAC Dates:

February 6, 2018 at 7:30 am at Turner College and Career High School.

April 9, 2018 at 4:00 pm at the ESC, 1928 Main