

School Safety and Student Well-Being Advisory Committee

Meeting Notes

9:00 am–12:00 pm December 16, 2021 Location: Zoom

Legislative and OSPI Updates

OSPI Updates

- Welcome Lee Collyer, OSPIs new Director of School Safety and Student Well-Being
- With Nasue Nishida leaving OSPI, Jenny Plaja will be temporarily stepping into the Government Relations lead role

Children and Youth Behavioral Workgroup (CYBHWG) Updates

- CYBHWG Final Recommendations for 2022 Legislative Session
- CYBHWG School-Based Behavioral Health & Suicide Prevention Subcommittee Membership Recruitment
 - School-Based Behavioral Health & Suicide Prevention Subcommittee
 Application 2022-23
 - It is important for the subcommittee to represent all parts of the state and various roles involved in school-based behavioral health

Organizational Updates and Priorities

Washington State PTA 2022 Legislative Priorities

Meeting Focus

Summit Recommendation: Mental Health Curriculum

Expanding and clarifying on the recommendation

Student/Youth Mental Health Resource Library

Facilitated by Kelcey Schmitz, UW SMART Center and Todd Crooks and Jodie Buntain-Ricklefs, Chad's Legacy Project

- <u>The Student/Youth Mental Health Literacy Library</u> gives any teacher, school counselor or other staff member a comprehensive resource of professionally vetted curricula and school presentations to compare available programs easily and quickly at their fingertips
- In addition, the University of Washington SMART Center has prepared an <u>Implementation Guide and Toolkit</u> featured on the site that provides best



practices for program implementation and is intended as a tool to help implement Mental Health Literacy with ease

- Shared Resources:
 - US Department of Education: <u>Supporting Child and Student Social</u>, Emotional, Behavioral and Mental Health Needs Document
 - US Department of Education <u>letter to educators re: students at risk for</u> self-harm or suicide
- A copy of Kelcey, Todd, and Jodie's presentation will be included with these notes in the 12-16-21 SS-SWAC PPT

Washington State Health Standards and Learning Outcomes

Facilitated by Ken Turner, OSPI

- Ken provided an overview of standards, core ideas, and learning outcomes and showcased some learning outcomes in mental health.
- A copy of Ken's presentation will be included with these notes in the 12-16-21 SS-SWAC PPT

AESD Behavioral Health COVID Project

Facilitated by Erin Wick, ESD 113

- Erin provided an overview of who the AESD is, statewide initiatives & support structures, "future vision" behavioral health for children, behavioral health COVID response project, progress to date, and look at future work
- A copy of Erin's presentation will be included with these notes in the 12-16-21 SS-SWAC PPT
- Please reach out if you'd like to learn more about these statewide programs and who to connect with in your ESD region:
 - Jessica Vavrus, AESD/OSPI Network Executive Director <u>jvavrus@waesd.org</u>
 - Erin Wick, ESD Network Behavioral Health COVID Response Lead ewick@esd113.org

School Safety and Student Well-Being Advisory
Committee Youth Advisory Council (SS-SWAC-YAC)
Presentation: Mental Health and the Transition to In-



Person Learning

Facilitated by Katherine and Liam, SS-SWAC-YAC

- The SS-SWAC-YAC presentation on Mental Health and the Transition to In-Person Learning covered school transition, interaction, lack of experience, resources, tools, accommodations, and communication between staff and students
- A copy of the SS-SWAC-YAC's presentation will be included with these notes in the 12-16-21 SS-SWAC PPT

Revolving Breakout Learning Sessions

- Secondary Traumatic Stress Facilitated by Ella DeVerse, OSPI
 - o OSPI | Workforce Secondary Traumatic Stress Webpage
- Comprehensive School Safety Update Facilitated by Mike Donlin, OSPI
 - o OSPI | Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP) Webpage
- Data Collection Update
 Facilitated by Ross Boylan, OSPI

Closing Remarks/Adjournment

Upcoming Meetings

- SS-SWAC Meeting
 - o February 24, 2022; 9:00 am 12:00 pm