



School Health Advisory Council Meeting Minutes
Meeting start time – 6:03 p.m.

Opening Statements:

- Meeting called to order by Araceli, SHAC Coordinator
- Prior meeting minutes were presented and approved:
 - All prior meeting minutes approved at 6:26

Welcome-What is SHAC:

- SHAC roles were described:
 - Rossana Farrish was voted in as SHAC Chair
 - All SHAC roles are held for two terms; or two consecutive years.
 - During next SHAC's meeting we will be nominating/voting on the remainder SHAC roles in preparation for next school year.
 - Co-Chair
 - Secretary

Senate Bill 9 Requirements/ Health TEKS Curriculum Recommendations:

- For 2022-2023, SHAC must continue to recommend curriculum material to the District Board that aligned with the new Health TEKS, and legislation changes per the State of Texas.
- Senate Bill 9: Requires schools to provide education on prevention related to child abuse, family violence, dating violence, and human trafficking. The focus is on a prevention program and identification/recognition of potential indicators of the above subjects.
- Nurse Araceli submitted a Board resolution that was approved on October 27th that allows SHAC to convene and discuss materials for instruction relating to the Prevention of Child Abuse, Family Violence, Dating Violence, and Sex Trafficking.
 - SHAC will be holding at least two public meetings before presenting a curriculum recommendation to the Board.
- KISD already has curriculum programs that contain the above materials and would be compliant with Senate Bill 9 if chosen:
 - Play it Safe and Second Step are programs that are already used for other curriculum materials, that could also be used for the instructions of child abuse, family violence, dating violence, and education regarding human trafficking.
 - The SHAC Coordinator is proposing that KISD continue to utilize the current curriculum materials that align with the required Health TEKS.



- There will be an in person, open meeting next month to discuss the current programs and to provide parents and community members with the opportunity to recommend alternative curriculum programs.
 - If no other curriculum programs are recommended, SHAC will move forward with voting to keep the current programs in place.
- Regardless of the program, parents will be notified of the chosen curriculum prior to content being shown, and parents must opt in or opt their child out.

Unassigned Medication for the Kennedale ISD:

- KISD has officially been prescribed two different emergency medications that will be included in the emergency kits. Accessible location to be discussed with each campus.
- The emergency medications kits are classified as “unassigned medication”; meaning that any one could utilize the medication in the event of an emergency.
- The two types of medications are Epi-Pens and Narcan.
 - KISD has taken the proactive and preventative initiative to have these medications available on all campuses.
 - Epi- Pens can be utilized in the event of an anaphylactic (allergic) reaction.
 - The elementary campuses will have two different doses that can used based on weight.
 - The secondary campuses will only have one type of Epi-Pen based on weight.
 - Narcan spray is an opioid antagonist that can be used as a life saving measure.
 - Narcan will only be kept at the secondary campuses.

General Updates

- During prior SHAC meetings, parents and students discussed the current school lunches.
 - Parents and students were wondering if the vending machines could be open other than passing periods, but due to Federal Guidelines, the vending machines can't be open during lunch time.
 - SHAC members offering suggestions on alternative food options.
 - Araceli to sit with the Director of Nutrition to discuss the suggestions.

Closing Remarks/Q&A:

- Next SHAC meeting will be held in person in order to vote on multiple pending items.
- Parents invited to attend the Fentanyl Parent Awareness Class next week at the Jr. High

Meeting end time – 6:56 p.m. Meeting adjourned per Araceli