

Applicant: 07 4110 Pine Hill Borough -
Camden

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Application Cycle: ARP Safe Return Plan - 00-
Amendment 3

Project Period: 9/1/2021 -
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SAFE RETURN TO IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION

(1) IN GENERAL - A local educational agency receiving funds under this section shall develop and make publicly available on the local educational agency's website, not later than 30 days after receiving the allocation of funds described in paragraph (d) (1), a plan for the safe return to in-person instruction and continuity of services.

2) COMMENT PERIOD.—Before making the plan described in paragraph (1) publicly available, the local educational agency shall seek public comment on the plan and take such comments into account in the development of the plan.

Support for Schools: Describe how the LEA will support its schools in safely returning to in-person instruction and sustaining safe operation. This description must include:

For each mitigation strategy listed below, please describe how the LEA will maintain the health and safety of students, educators, and other staff and the extent to which it has adopted policies, and a description of any such policies, on each of the following safety recommendations established by the CDC.

LEA Response Table

1) Universal and correct wearing of masks

([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

Face coverings are no longer required unless returning after 5 days from COVID.

2) Physical distancing (e.g., including use of cohorts/podding)

([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

Physical distancing is no longer required.

3) Handwashing and respiratory etiquette

([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

The district still encourages handwashing and respiratory etiquette. Handwashing stations are available throughout facilities in various locations including cafeterias, classrooms, and lavatories. Hand sanitizer stations are located at each building entrance, in each classroom and will be maintained by custodial services. Signage throughout all facilities about the importance of hand hygiene during the day is present. Staff will remind and monitor the students in the appropriate use of hand

sanitizer throughout the day. Information on good hygiene practices is provided to all families. Topics covered included hand washing, covering coughs and sneezes, staying home when ill, wearing masks, social distancing and proper mask use. Signage for healthy habits prevention is present throughout facilities.

4) Cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities, including improving ventilation
([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

All facilities HVAC systems have been updated and daily cleaning occurs according to required practices. The HVAC systems will be set to the recommended circulation of outdoor air.

5) Contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine, in collaboration with the State, local, territorial, or Tribal health departments
([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

Contact tracing is no longer required.

6) Diagnostic and screening testing
([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

Screening no longer occurs. Building Health Offices and School Nurses continue to follow health guidelines around illness and disease for students and staff who present with illness for further assessment and safe dismissal from facilities.

7) Efforts to provide vaccinations to educators, other staff, and students, if eligible
([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

The district offered a flu vaccination clinic to staff in the fall.

8) Appropriate accommodations for children with disabilities with respect to health and safety policies
([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

Instruction and services are provided for children with disabilities according to district policies.

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Safe Return Plan text and assurances must be agreed to every six months.

Date Plan Updated

Describe how the LEA will ensure continuity of services, including but not limited to services to address students' academic needs and students' and staff social, emotional, mental health, and other needs, which may include student health and food services. ([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

The district will continue to provide for students' academic needs. We continue to be fully back to school for regular instruction. The district offers after school and summer programming aimed at helping students academically. The district hired mental health counselor,s BCBA's, and RBT's to assist with students and staff social, emotional, behavioral and mental health needs. The district continues to offer breakfast and lunch.

Describe how the LEA sought public comment on its plan, and how it took those public comment into account in the development of its plan. ([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

Each school in the district has site councils that provide feedback, recommendations, and revisions. The district completed their strategic plan with stakeholders to continue to inform future planning.

Describe how the LEA ensured that the plan is in an understandable and uniform format; is to the extent practicable written in a language that parents can understand or, if not practicable to provide written translations to a parent with limited English proficiency, will be orally translated for such a parent; and upon request by a parent who is an individual with a disability as defined by the ADA, will be provided in an alternative format accessible to that parent. ([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

The plan is accessible through the district website. Through the individual schools' bilingual teachers and our student support staff, parents needing written translations or alternative formats are able to gain access.

Briefly describe any guidance, professional learning, and technical assistance opportunities the LEA will make available to its schools. ([count] of 1000 maximum characters used)

The district student support staff continue to hold various professional learning and technical assistance opportunities throughout the school year. The CST department has held SEPAG meetings, the guidance departments have held sessions around using our student information system and website, and our bilingual staff have held ESL parent nights specific to connecting our LEP families with community and school-based resources.

Provide current link to the district's website where the plan is posted.

By checking this box and saving the page, the applicant hereby certifies that they will assure that the information contained in the Safe Return to School plans will be updated within this system every 6 months during this grant project period.

Assurances Fully Agreed to By:

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Consistency Check was run on: 12/14/2023
Authorized Representative submitted the application to NJDOE on: 12/14/2023
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