

# School Health Advisory Council (SHAC)

**January 26, 2023** 

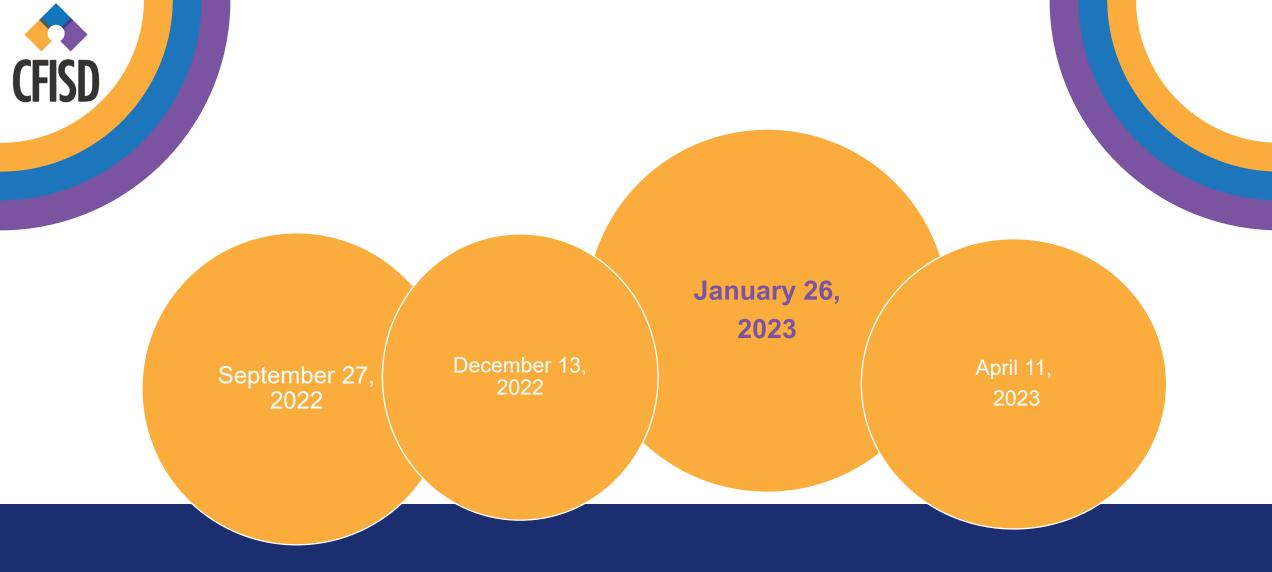


#### School Health Advisory Council

1/26/2023 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Food Production Center

	Agenda topics	Presenter
10:00-10:10	Welcome and Meeting Norms	Roy Garcia Chief Officer for School Leadership
10:10-10:40	High School Health Textbook Resource Recommendation  High School Human Sexuality Resource Recommendation	Dr. Linda Macias Chief Academic Officer Wendy Johnson High School Health and Human Sexuality Subcommittee Chair
10:40-11:10	Q & A  Elementary School Health Program Resource Recommendation  Elementary School Human Growth and Development Video Recommended Changes  Q & A	Dr. Linda Macias Chief Academic Officer Jennifer Moya Elementary School Health and Human Growth and Development Subcommittee Chair
11:10-11:40	Elementary/Secondary Curriculum for Anti- Victimization - WHO We Help Ourselves Secondary Curriculum for Human Trafficking- Crime Stoppers of Houston Q & A	Franklin Sampson Director Guidance & Counseling Bethany Scanlon Elementary/Secondary Anti- Victimization and Secondary Human Trafficking Subcommittees Chair
12:00-1:00	Physical Activity and Fitness Planning Subcommittee Meeting	Elaine Waier Coordinator Elementary Music & Physical Education
Special notes:	Next meeting: 04/11/23 from 10:00 a.m12:00 p.m. at the CFISD Food Production Center	





### 2022-23 Meetings

Food Production Center, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

### **CFISD**

### School Health Advisory Council

### Subcommittees

#### Resolution of Board to Convene the District's School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) to Recommend Curriculum Materials for Human Sexuality Instruction and Instruction on Prevention of Child Abuse, Family Violence, Dating Violence, and Sex Trafficking

WHEREAS, Sections 28.004(e-1) (1) and 28.004(q-1)of the Texas Education Code require the Board of Trustees to adopt a resolution convening the local school health advisory council (SHAC) for the purpose of making recommendations regarding curriculum materials for the school District's instruction on human sexuality and the prevention of child abuse, family violence, dating violence and sex trafficking;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of the Cypress-Fairbanks School District hereby calls for the convening of the District SHAC to:

- Hold at least two public meetings on the curriculum materials before adopting recommendations to present to the Board.
- Recommend curriculum materials for the 4th and 5th grade Human Growth Development lessons, the High School Health Course Human Sexuality Unit, and the Instruction on Prevention of Child Abuse, Family Violence, Dating Violence and Sex Trafficking.
- 3. Present the SHAC's recommendations to the Board at a public meeting by January 2023.

#### **SHAC Sub-Committees**

- High School Health and Human Sexuality Instruction
- Elementary Health and Human Growth and Development
- Membership Chairperson/parent
- Recommendation to SHAC
- Resources to write curriculum and lessons
- Class sets

### **Format for Presentations**

High School Health and Human Sexuality Curriculum 20 minutes – Presentation 10 minutes - Questions

Elementary Health and Human Growth and Development

**20 minutes – Presentation** 

**10 minutes - Questions** 

**Human Trafficking and Anti-Victimization Curriculum** 

20 minutes - Presentation

**10 minutes – Questions** 

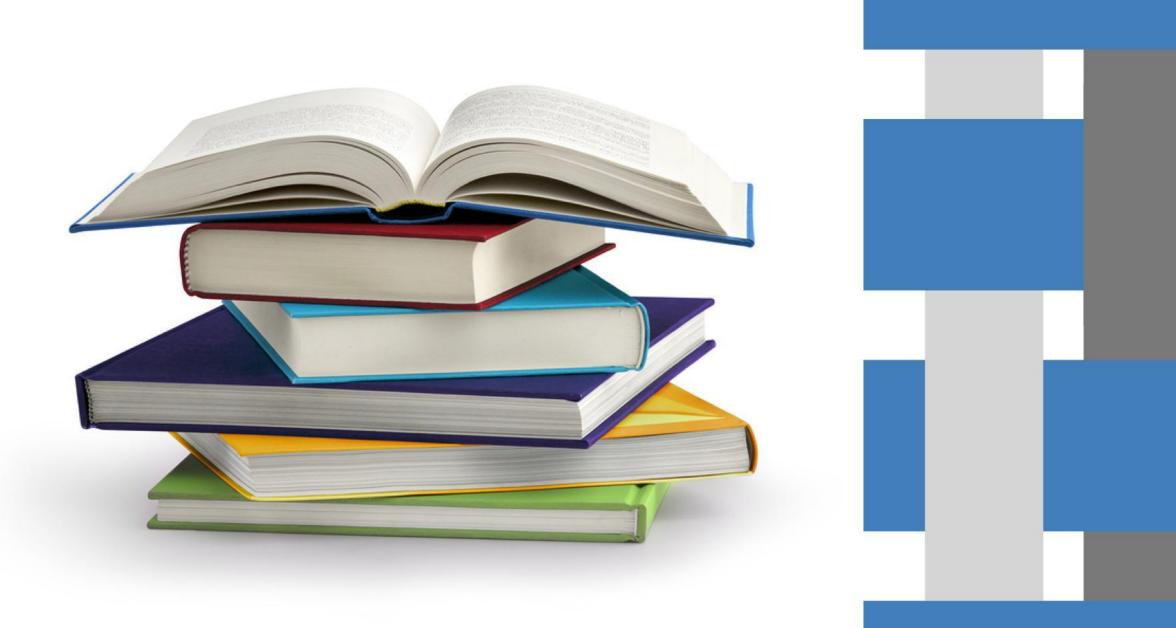
**Additional Questions** 

## High School

### Health Curriculum &

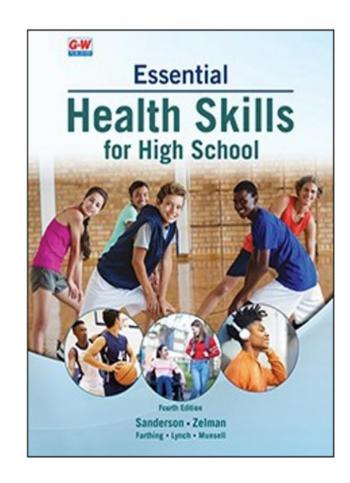
## Human Sexuality Instruction

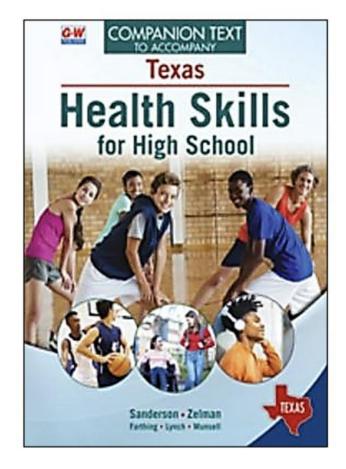
CFISD SHAC Subcommittee Recommendation January 2023



### Our Recommendation:

To be used as the Main Resource for the District Curriculum Team to customize a curriculum







### Units in Health Textbook

- Unit 1: Promoting a Lifetime of Health and Wellness
- Unit 2: Being Mentally and Emotionally Healthy
- Unit 3: Developing a Healthy Lifestyle
- Unit 4: Avoiding Hazardous Substances
- Unit 5: Establishing Healthy Relationships
- Unit 6: Protecting Your Health
- Unit 7: Understanding Disease and Disorders
- Unit 8: Human Development

### Goodheart-Willcox Health I Textbook

- State Board of Education adopted
- Well-written for the intended audience
- Straight-forward
- Scientific
- Contemporary and Relatable
- Encouragement to seek a trusted adult
- Age-Appropriate
- Covers more than 90% of the state standards

# Recommendation for Addressing Sensitive Topics

- Included in the TEKS State Standards
- Make Adjustments
- Notify Parents / Guardians of Required
   Content

### Recommended Adjustments for Sensitive Topics in the Textbook

- Vaping
- Adjust some of the language used
- Role Play Activities
- Up to date and accurate data
- Balanced vaccine information

# Identified Sensitive Topics in the Textbook

- Suicide / Guns
- Climate Change

# Human Sexuality Instruction

# Chapters for the G-W Human Sexuality Companion Text

Chapter 20: The Beginning of Life

Chapter 21: Relationships and Sexual Abstinence

Chapter 22: Violence Prevention and Response

Chapter 23: Sexually Transmitted Infections and HIV/AIDS

### Goodheart-Willcox Companion Text

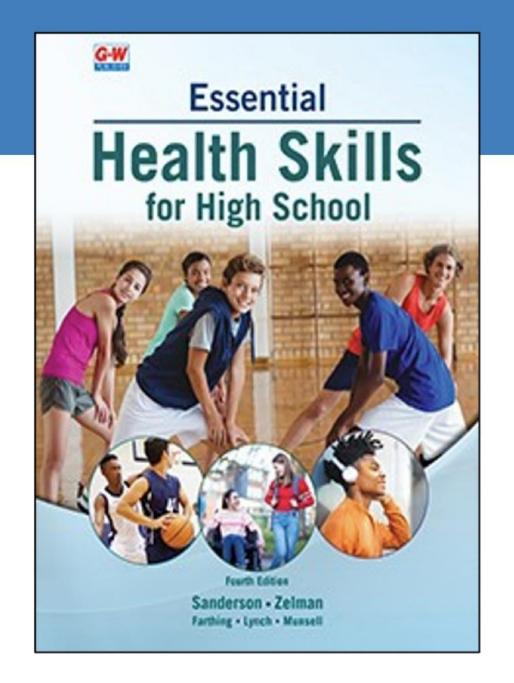
- Human Sexuality Instruction in Separate
   Manual
- Abstinence-Based
- Covers 11 of the 15 new TEKS
- Compliments the Health Textbook

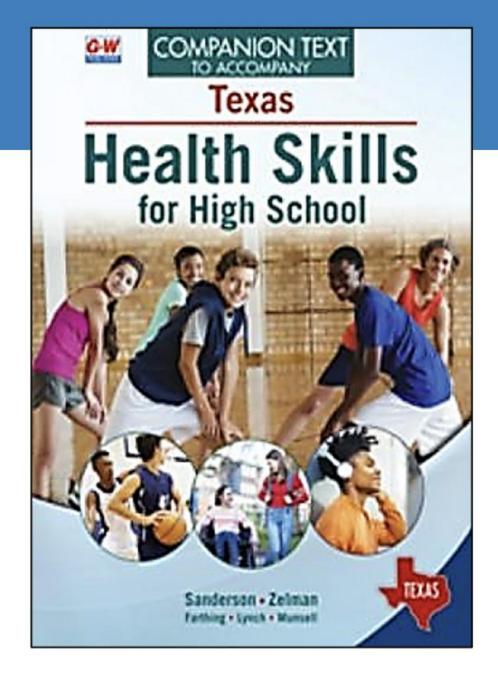
### Recommended Adjustments for Sensitive Topics in the Companion Text

- Marriage and child development
- Pregnancy terminology
- Contraception data

# Identified Sensitive Topics in the Companion Text

- Contraception
- Sexual assault / harassment
- Orgasm
- Definitions and descriptions of sexual intercourse / fertilization





### Elementary

### Health Curriculum &

### Human Growth and Development

CFISD SHAC Subcommittee Recommendation January 2023

### Our Recommendation:

- Meets required state standards
- Engaging for students
- Ease of implementation for teachers
- We can turn off opt-in topics in this resource





#### Teacher Dashboard































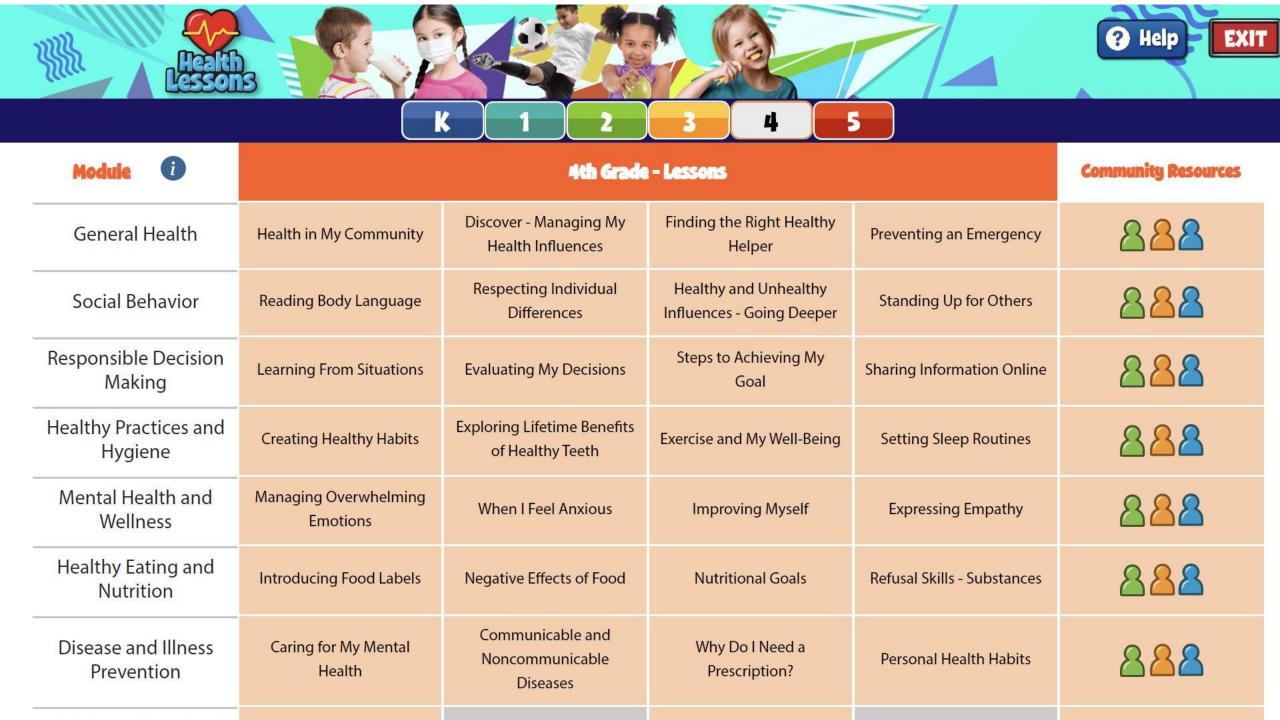


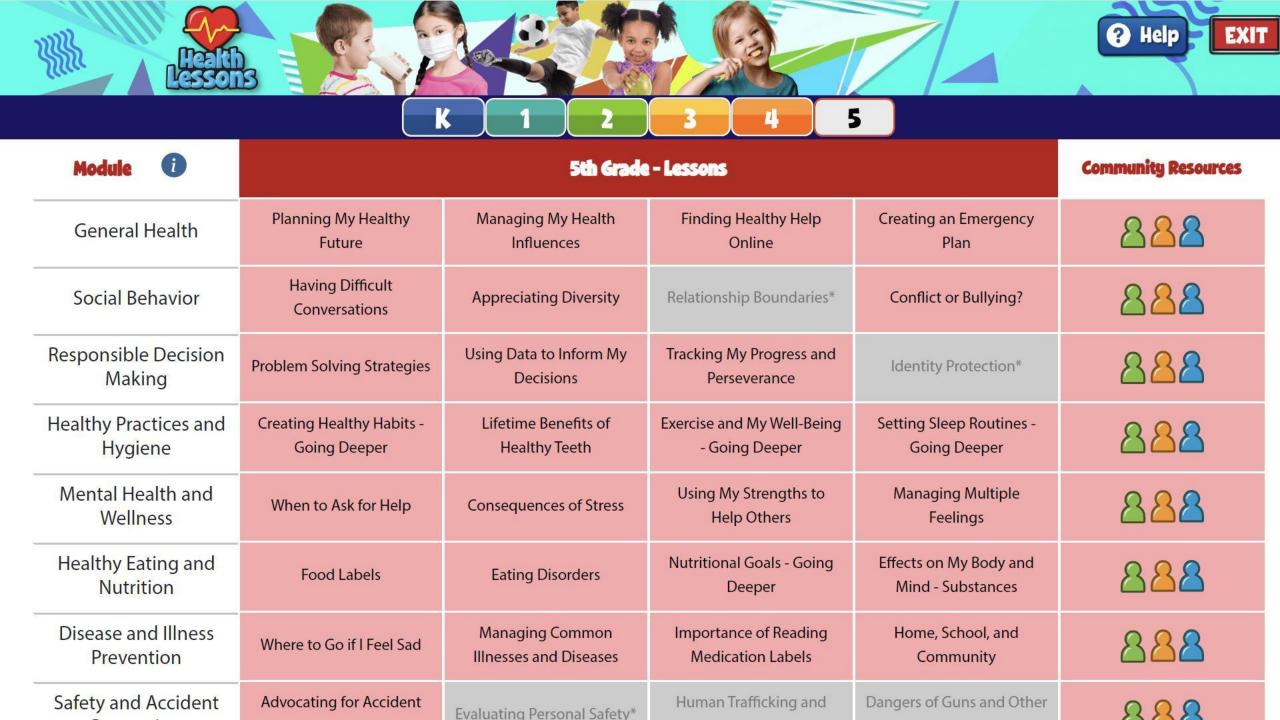




















### Recommended Adjustments

- O Curriculum department will provide a scope and sequence which will address state standards for each grade level. This includes:
  - Details on specific modules
  - Lessons
  - O Videos



# Human **Growth &** Development

# Human Growth and Development Video Lesson

- Consistent resource for the district to meet state standards
- Standardized curriculum across all elementary campuses for 4th- and 5th-grade students
- Addresses (delicate or sensitive) topics in a respectful way that represents the values of the community

# Recommended Adjustments

- O The videos need to be updated in the following ways to meet the new state standards:
  - Boys: include definition of menstrual cycle
  - Boys: include definition of fertilization and reproduction
  - Girls: Remove repetitive hygiene scene
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"If sperm comes into contact with the female's egg, fertilization can occur and result in pregnancy."

## **Sensitive Content**

- O Human Growth and Development video continues to:
  - Address this content in a respectful manner
  - Reflect the values of the community
  - Deliver instruction separately for boys and girls











# Welcome

Crime Stoppers-Safe School Institute

# **WAYS TO REPORT**



CALL

713-222-TIPS



DOWNLOAD

**OUR MOBILE APP** 



GO TO

CRIME-STOPPERS.ORG



The Tip Line is available 24/7

#### **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

# WE DO NOT

record phone calls or have caller ID.

#### NO ONE WILL KNOW YOU CALLED US

unless you tell them yourself.





#### **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

# WE WILL GIVE YOU A DATE



to call back & check the status of



#### YOUR CASE









# **HUMAN TRAFFICKING - TEENS**



#### **LESSONS OF THE DAY**

What is it?

Where is it?

Who is affected by it?

Who engages in it?

How are youth lured in?

What's the strategy to end it?



#### WHAT IS IT?



Human Trafficking involves exploiting a person through force, fraud, or coercion for the purpose of forced labor, commercial sex, or both.



It is a human rights issue!

#### WHERE IS IT?

Victims have been identified in all 50 states

Traffickers
victimize an
estimated 25
million people
worldwide

76% of transactions for sex with underage children and adolescents are conducted online.

**Every** where



#### WHERE IS IT?



Texas ranks #2 in reported cases of Human Trafficking



Texas has 313,000 victims

- 79,000 youth sex trafficking victims
- 234,000 workers trafficked for labor



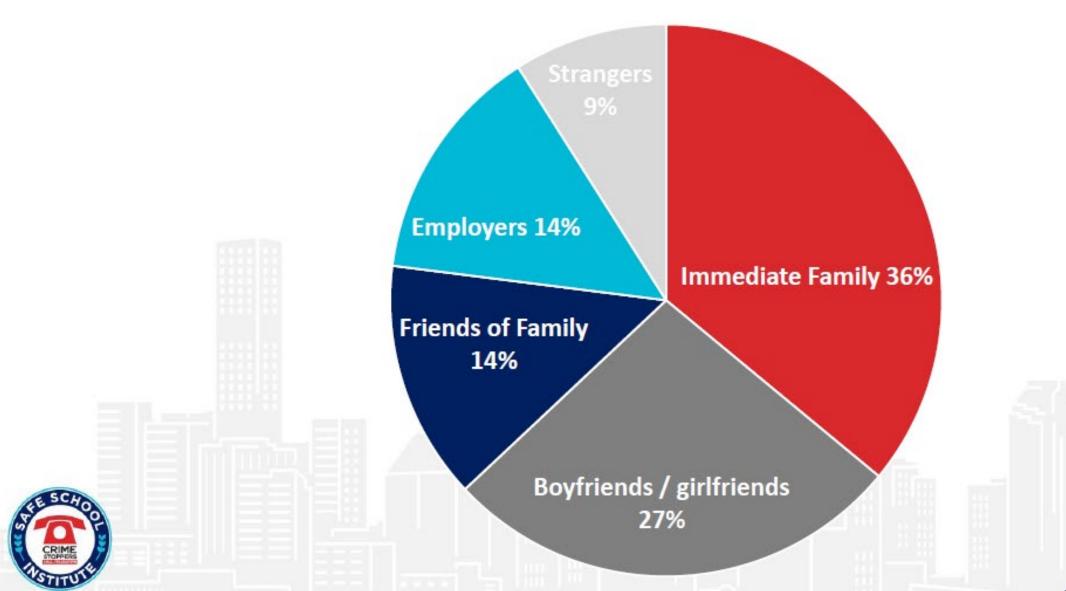
More brothels than Starbucks (148 stores)



# WHO IS IT - TRAFFICKER



# WHO IS IT - PERPETRATOR



#### **HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE**



Who are strangers?

**Impersonation** 





How are groomers using the internet to exploit kids?



#### **HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE**

Grooming Process

Romantic interest

Friend

Mentor

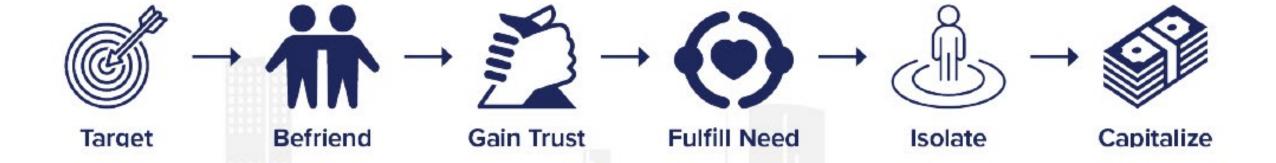
When a person goes out of their way to establish a relationship with you

Can happen face to face or online



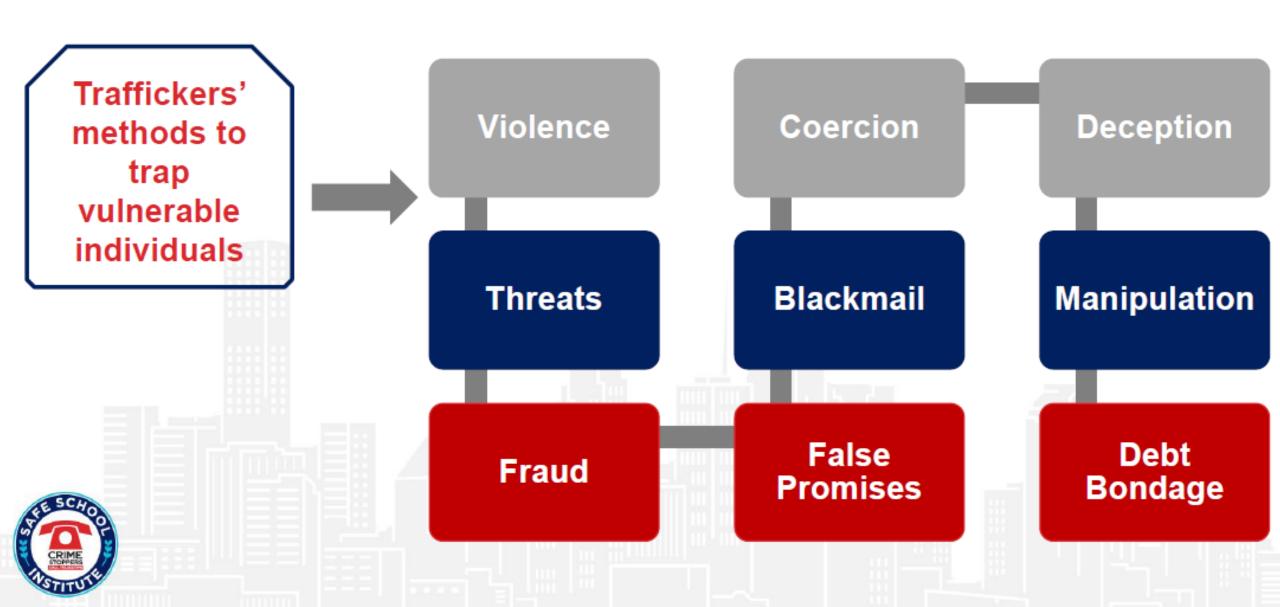
Groomers are manipulative, deceitful, and can initially be hard to spot

# STAGES OF GROOMING





#### **HOW-TRAFFICKERS**



# HOW?



#### INDICATORS OF TRAFFICKING - BEHAVORIAL



#### **Sex Trafficking**

- Victim has an older boyfriend or girlfriend likely appears fearful
- Uses advanced sexual terms
- Victim has low self esteem
- Young age with high number of partners
- Distrustful of law enforcement, disrespectful or indifferent towards authority



#### **Labor or Sex Trafficking**

- Victim avoids eye contact
- Fear of social interaction, signs of anxiety, depression or nervousness
- Truancy, runaway, homelessness
- Frequent travel
- Scripted answers of inconsistent stories of work, injuries, whereabouts, home life



#### **INDICATORS OF TRAFFICKING - PHYSICAL**



#### **Sex Trafficking**

- Branding tattoos, barcode designs, or any symbol representing the pimp
- Gifts from unknown sources
- Motel keys/cards in the victim's possession
- Large amounts of cash (Venmo, cashapp)
- New or pre-paid cell phones



#### **Labor or Sex Trafficking**

- Malnourishment
- Lacerations, carvings, bruising from beatings, injuries in less visible places, burns
- STD/STI
- Pregnancy or history
- Bald spots, rotting teeth, indicators of poor health



#### **MISCONCEPTIONS**

Sex trafficking and prostitution are the same thing



They are <u>not</u> the same. Although all child prostitution is human trafficking



#### **PREVENTION**

**Awareness** 



Keep your social media and game accounts private

Turn off location on social media, games and camera

Do not post your troubles/frustrations online

Do not ask for help online

Trust your gut instincts



#### **TAKEAWAYS**

Never stop advocating for yourself.



If you suspect someone else is in danger, tell a trusted adult.

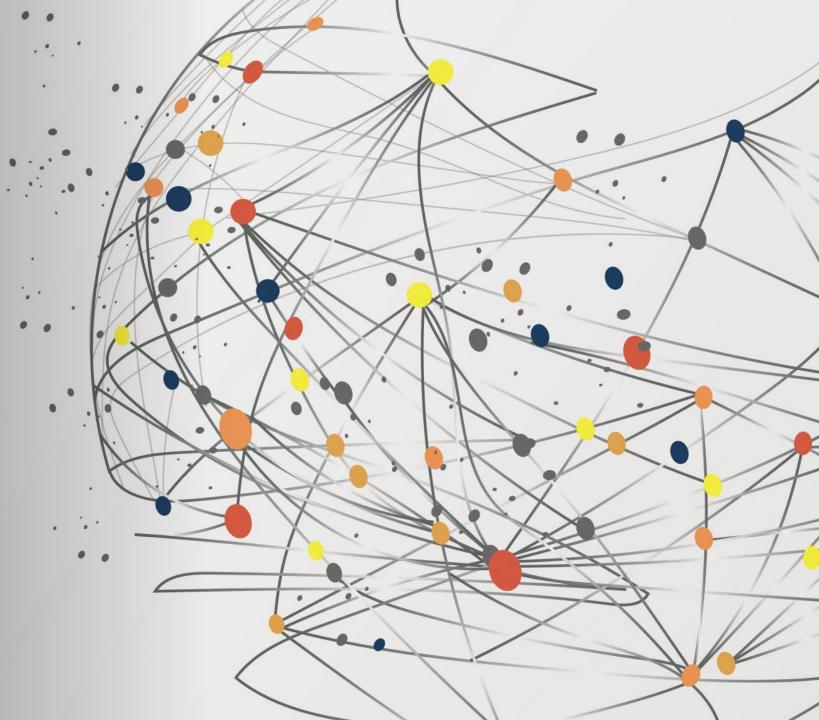
Lookout for people you care about.





Report to the appropriate authorities/agencies.

# Thank you!







WHO® was designed to prevent the likelihood of child victimization. It is presented using videos to children and youth (ages 4-18) by school counselors who have been trained. Students learn

- To develop appropriate decision-making and communication skills
- To see themselves as capable, worthy human beings who do not deserve abuse of any kind
- To understand they are not to blame, should they be victimized



- There are three ways in which WHO® teaches children how We Help Ourselves:
  - Know—Know the rules you and your family have decided on for safety.
  - Do—Have a plan for assertive, positive action
  - Tell—Ask someone you trust for help—it's important to tell someone about situations that are uncomfortable.



### WHO® Curriculum

#### **Elementary K-5 Curriculum**

- K-2: Strangers, Hurts, Secrets, Touches
- 3-4: Materialism, Emotional Resilience, Trauma & Coping, Family Violence, Sexual Abuse
- 5: Mindfulness, Substance Use, Conflict Resolution, Internet Safety, Harassment, Self-Destruction

Now including
K-5 SCOOTER
SKUNK AntiBullying & Internet
Safety!



#### Middle School 6-8 Curriculum

- · Anti-Bullying, Cyberbullying
- · Sexual Abuse & Harassment
- · Physical & Emotional Abuse
- · Responsible Decision Making
- · Human Trafficking
- Trauma

#### High School 9-12 Curriculum

- Managing Emotions & Positive Relationships
- Societal & Peer Pressure
- Mental Health: Depression & Substance Use

- Mental Health: Anxiety
- Relationships: Physical, Sexual, & Emotional Abuse
- Suicide

#### **Strangers** (myths and stereotypes)

- Learn the definition of "strangers."
- Learn the reasons behind our rules.
- Learn that physical appearance, gender, or knowing the person are not criteria for judging potentially threatening (or nonthreatening) situations.
- Learn that it is the behavior not the person, which is the signal to do something.



**Hurts** (physical and emotional abuse)

- Learn the signs of being physically hurt.
- Learn that hurting inside (emotional abuse) can be dealt with as well as hurting outside (physical abuse).
- Learn that feeling trapped or defenseless in abusive situations happens because:
  - The victim cares for the person who is abusive.
  - The victim feels responsible for what is happening (deserves it).
  - The victim does not want to get the abuser in trouble.



#### Secrets (not telling)

 Learn that often a student's best defense is telling someone if something has happened, if something is happening, or if there are reasons to suspect something will happen.



- Touches (sexual abuse).
  - Learn to define good, bad, and confusing touches.
  - Learn the parts of the body associated with sexual abuse. Presented as "parts covered by a bathing suit."
  - Learn to define inappropriate touching.
  - Learn that it is ok to say "no" to inappropriate touching no matter who it is.
  - Learn that if the person they choose to tell does not believe them, they should tell someone else and keep telling until someone listens.
  - Learn that it is never their fault.

#### Third to Fourth Grade

#### Family Violence

- Discuss the different forms of abuse.
- Remind students it is not their fault.
- Highlight hurts that happen on purpose versus accidental hurts and the difference between the two.
- Discuss the difference between discipline and abuse.
- Identify ways to stay safe.
- o Identify trusted adults they can tell.



#### Third to Fourth Grade

- Sexual Abuse
  - Learn that no one should be touching us in ways that we do not like or give permission.
  - Learn that if someone is touching us in bad/confusing ways, we should always tell someone.
  - Discuss if the first person they tell does not listen, tell someone else and keep telling until someone listens.



#### Fifth Grade

Media Violence and Internet Safety

- Discuss games or TV shows that are inappropriate.
- Discuss ways to stay safe when playing videogames, using social networks, and other live interaction apps.
- Discuss what to do when they see something posted that could be harmful to someone else.



### Fifth Grade

#### Harassment

- Learn the definition of harassment.
- Learn that "No" is a complete sentence.



# Sixth to Eighth Grade

#### Sexual Abuse and Harassment

- Learn the definition of harassment.
- Learn that "No" is a complete sentence.
- Recognize different forms of harassment.



# Sixth to Eighth Grade

#### Physical and Emotional Abuse

- Discuss different forms of abuse.
- Remind students it is not their fault.
- Discuss differences between discipline and abuse.
- Discuss some things they can do to stay safe.
- Discuss trusted adults they can tell.



# Sixth to Eighth Grade

#### Running Away and Trafficking

- Discuss reasons some kids run away.
- Ask if there has ever been a time when a student felt like running away was their only option.
- Discuss what could happen to a runaway. Question how a teen would earn money if they were to run away.
- Define human/sex trafficking.



#### Ninth to Twelfth Grade

Relationship Abuse: Physical, Sexual, and Emotional Abuse

- Learn what consent means. "No" is a complete sentence.
- Discuss blame, fault, and guilt. Students should understand if something like this happens to them, it is not their fault.
- Recognize the difference between healthy and unhealthy relationships.
- Learn how to recognize "red flags" in unhealthy relationships.





WHO® teaches children and youth (ages 4-18) how to avoid all kinds of victimizations through videos (all levels) and puppets (K-2).

- Developed by Mental Health America of Greater Dallas in 1981 and revised in 2018.
- Is researched-based curriculum based on sensitive, nonthreatening content and methodology.
- Delivered by school counselors who have been trained.



Questions?

Thank you!