



CHRONIC ABSENTEEISM

- CA = missing 10% (or 18 days) in a school year **for any reason**
- 22-23 school year 26.6% of Ohio students were CA
- Know your district's data
- Analyze your district's data; put a name and story to the numbers
- Examine your policies and data input practices for self inflicted wounds

- Best chance to reduce CA is at the building level through family engagement
- Research the academic impact of CA then tell that story
- CA can be reduced if made a focus
- Build this work into existing teams
- If CA becomes a normed behavior it will be very difficult to change, time is of the essence