District Wellness Policy Triennial Assessment Report 2025

Wellness Contact Name & E-mail:_ Describe Actions Taken for Fully Partially Not Implementation (include supports and **Data Source for Monitoring** Wellness Policy Components in Place in Place in Place challenges) District Wellness Committee/Coordinated District Health Advisory Council Policy Leadership 1. The designated officer for ensuring district compliance with the wellness policy and oversight 1 is identified. (PO-3) 1a. Each school has a designated wellness 1 leader * 1b. Each school wellness leader monitors 1 implementation of the wellness policy and reports compliance to the district wellness leader. * Public Involvement 2. Meets at least once per year to establish district wellness goals for, and to oversee, school health 1 and safety policies and programs including development, implementation, and periodic review and update of the wellness policy. 3. To the extent possible, committee includes representatives of: (PO-3) Parents/Legal Guardians • Students ٠ ٠ **District Nutrition Services** 1 Physical Education Teachers . School Health Professionals ٠ Local School Board ٠ School Administrators ٠ General Public/Community Members ٠ Food and Beverage Availability School Meals 4. Pre-K to fifth graders will be provided a 1 minimum of 20 minutes to consume lunch after they have received their food. (NS-11) Foods Sold Outside of School Meals Program (Competitive Foods and Beverages) 5. Foods and beverages sold outside of the school meal programs (e.g., "competitive" foods and V beverages) will meet the USDA Smart Snacks in School nutrition standards. (SS-1, SS-2)

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 5a. The following venues currently comply with Smart Snacks requirements during the school day: School Stores Vending Machines Concessions 	~				
5b. Although the State allows exempt fundraisers, the district does not allow exempt fundraisers. *					
 Standards established for foods provided but not sold (e.g., class parties, class snacks), during the school day on school campuses. (SS-4) 	✓				
Food and Beverage Marketing		-			
7. Any foods and beverages marketed or promoted to students on school campuses during the school day meet or exceed the USDA Smart Snacks in School nutrition standards. (PO-3)	✓				
District Goals for Health & Wellness					
Nutrition Education					
8. Schools will provide nutrition education and engage in nutrition promotion that fulfills the criteria identified in the district LWP. (NS-8, NS- 12, HPE-11)	✓				
8a. Nutrition education is integrated across the curriculum. *					
8b. Nutrition education in linked with the school food environment/cafeteria. *	✓				
Nutrition Promotion					
9. Nutrition promotion using evidence-based techniques, creating food environments that encourage healthy nutrition choices and participation in school meal programs using a comprehensive and multi-channel approach by school staff, teachers, parents/legal guardians, students, and the community. (NS-5, NS-8, NS-9)	✓				
9a. All schools in the district are Team Nutrition (TN) Schools. *					
9b. TN resources are used to promote nutrition throughout the district. *		~			

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10. Promote healthy food and beverage choices and participation in school meal programs through use of marketing and merchandising and through adherence to 100% of foods and beverages promoted to students meeting the USDA Smart Snacks in School nutrition standards. (NS-5, SS-3)	•				
Physical Activity					
11. Schools promote and ensure varied physical activity opportunities such as before, during, and after school; staff involvement; and family and community engagement, that are in addition to, and not a substitute for, quality physical education. (PO-8, PA-4, PA-3, PA-2)	✓				
12. Physical activity during the school day (including but not limited to recess, classroom physical activity breaks, or physical education) will not be withheld as punishment for any reason. (PA-6, PA-7 ES)	✓				
Physical Education					
13. District will provide students with physical education using an age-appropriate, sequential PE curriculum consistent with national and state standards for PE. (HPE-3)	✓				
13a. Fitness testing of students occurs, at a minimum, in grades 2 (height & weight only), 5, 8, and in high school PE course required for graduation. Individual student fitness reports are shared with parents/caregivers. * <i>Per SC Students Health and Fitness Act of 2005</i>	•				
13b. Student fitness data is used by the district and schools for instruction planning, fitness equipment, and professional development. *	✓				
14. All students will be provided equal opportunity to participate in physical education classes. Appropriate accommodations allow for equitable participation for all students and physical education classes and equipment are adapted as necessary.	•				
Update/Inform the Public					
15. Annually, the public is notified about the content and implementation of the wellness policy and any updates to the policy. The name and contact information of the designated officer is publicized with information on how the public can become involved with the wellness committee or obtain additional information on the wellness policy. (PO-3)	~				

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15a. The name and contact information of the designated officer is publicized.	~				
15b. Information is shared on how the public can become involved with the wellness committee or obtain additional information on the wellness policy.	~				
16. Every three years, the district develops a report that meets the following requirements: ** (PO-3)	✓				
16a. All schools' compliance with the district wellness policy.	✓				
16b. How the district policy compares with state and/or federal model wellness policies.	✓				
16c. A description of progress towards attaining wellness policy goals.	~				
16d. This report is made available to the public.	~				
17. Records will be maintained to document compliance with the requirements of the wellness policy including items 1, 2, 3, 15, and 16 above.	✓				
Other School Based Strategies for Wellness					
18. SFAs must include, at a minimum, one goal for Other School-Based Strategies for Wellness in the LWP. SFAs must explore the use of evidenced based strategies when identifying goals. (List and report below)	~				
Optional Goals- School Meals	ſ	1			
19. Schools will not use foods or beverages as rewards for academic performance or good behavior. Additionally, schools will not withhold foods or beverages for punishment. Teachers are provided with a list of alternative ideas for behavior management. (NS-10)	✓				
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19b. Teachers are provided with a list of alternative ideas for behavior management. *		~			

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Dptional Goals- Water							
20. Free, safe, unflavored, drinking water available throughout the school day, throughout every school campus.	✓						
Optional Goals- Staff Wellness							
21. Schools will offer staff wellness programs such as weight management, health assessments. (EW-1, EW-2, EW-3)		K					
Optional Goals- Community Involvement							
22. School will allow community members access to the district's outdoor physical activity facilities before and after school. (PA-8)			✓				
22a. District has adopted the SC School Boards Association's model Open Community Use of School Recreational Areas (KFA) policy. *			✓				
23. School partners with local community organizations, businesses, or local hospitals to engage students and their families in health promotion activities. (PO-9)		✓					
Other Optional Goals							
Success/Updates from the Past Three Years: –							