

AGENDA ITEM

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Workshop

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Regular

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Report Only

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Recognition

Presenter(s): John Cox, Deputy Superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction

Briefly describe the subject of the report or recognition presentation.

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Action Items

Presenters(s): John Cox, Deputy Superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction

Briefly describe the action required.

Consider and take appropriate action on the approval of a cooperative working agreement between Eagle Pass ISD and the Serving Children and Adults in Need (SCAN), Inc. Family & Youth Success (FAYS) Program.
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Funding source: Identify the source of funds if any are required.

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Clarification: Explain any question or issues that might be raised regarding this item.

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COOPERATIVE WORKING AGREEMENT

This *Cooperative Working Agreement is entered between **Eagle Pass ISD** and the **Serving Children and Adults In Need (SCAN), Inc. Family and Youth Success (FAYS) Program** for the purpose of networking, service coordination, and referrals of drug prevention and intervention activities/ services for students during FY 2022-23. This CWA also serves to maximize resources by preventing the duplication of services.

SCAN, Inc agrees to provide services to the students at **Eagle Pass ISD**:

The Family and Youth Success (FAYS) Program addresses family conflict and everyday struggles while promoting strong families and youth resilience. FAYS offers one-on-one coaching or counseling with a trained professional and group-based learning for youth and parents. FAYS program also operates a 24-hour hotline for families having urgent needs.

Eagle Pass ISD agrees to:

1. Refer students between the ages of 6-17 to participate in the FAYS Program activities.
2. Provide an appropriate location for **FAYS program** staff to provide services at the school if needed.
3. Work in conjunction with SCAN to ensure that program participants receive comprehensive prevention and intervention services.

Furthermore, **Eagle Pass ISD**,

(1) Acknowledges that in receiving, storing, processing, or otherwise dealing with any information from SCAN, Inc. about the participants in the program, it is fully bound by the provisions of the federal regulations governing Confidentiality of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Patient Records, 42 CFR Part 2, and (2) undertakes to resist in judicial proceedings any effort to obtain access to information pertaining to participants otherwise than as expressly provided for in the federal confidentiality regulations, 42 CFR Part 2.

Terms and Termination:

The terms of this cooperative working agreement shall begin September 1, 2023 and will end on August 31, 2024.

Amendment and Modification:

This agreement may be amended by agreement of the parties above mentioned. Said amendment or modification will become a part of this agreement. In witness thereof, this cooperative working agreement has been executed by each agency's authorized representative on the dates listed below:

Samuel Mijares
Superintendent/Eagle Pass ISD

Date

Michelle Saldana
Program Director
FAYS Program

9/1/23
Date

*A Cooperative Working Agreement is not a contract



ABOUT FAYS

What does the program do?

The Family and Youth Success (FAYS) program helps families deal with everyday struggles. Local FAYS programs work to make families stronger. They help youth learn to overcome challenges and develop and succeed in healthy ways.

Every FAYS program offers one-on-one coaching or counseling with a trained professional as well as group learning for youth and parents. Some FAYS programs may offer other services, too.

How does it help?

- ★ Develops family communication skills to help you talk more as a family to build positive family dynamics.
- ★ Encourages youth to care more about school and make better grades.
- ★ Increases happiness and social and emotional health.
- ★ Develops skills to build positive relationships with friends.
- ★ Encourages responsible youth through promoting positive behavior changes.
- ★ Builds confidence in both youth and parents.



MORE INFO

Who do we serve?

The Family and Youth Success program serves families with children who are 6–17 years of age.



"It works. And they know how to work with people in different situations and can help find out the best way to help your family."

– FAYS program participant



HELPLINE

24-Hour helpline

Each local FAYS program offers a 24-hour helpline for families that need help right away. Phone numbers are listed on the back of this brochure.



What else can FAYS help with?

- ★ Family conflict
- ★ Cyberbullying
- ★ Bullying at school
- ★ Grief
- ★ Anger
- ★ School attendance
- ★ Coping with divorce
- ★ Issues of independence and identity
- ★ Online safety



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Can I get FAYS services for free?

Yes! The State of Texas provides funding and other resources to local organizations so that they can offer services and support to families in their communities free of charge.

Help is confidential.



LOCAL PROGRAMS

Find FAYS in a county (city) near you

- ★ **Angelina** (Lufkin) 800-256-6848
- ★ **Bexar** (San Antonio) 210-283-5183
- ★ **Brazoria** (Angleton) 979-849-7751
- ★ **Brazos** (Bryan) 800-865-9921
- ★ **Cameron** (Harlingen) 888-599-0759
- ★ **Cherokee** (Rusk) 903-586-3175
- ★ **Colorado** (Columbus) 979-732-8355
- ★ **Comal** (New Braunfels) 800-532-8192
- ★ **Denton and Dallas** 888-837-0666
- ★ **El Paso** 915-565-5021
- ★ **Galveston** 409-762-8636
- ★ **Gregg** (Longview) 866-782-7031
- ★ **Harris** (Houston) 713-664-3459
- ★ **Hays** (San Marcos) 512-754-0500
- ★ **Hidalgo** (McAllen) 866-480-0772
- ★ **Jefferson** (Beaumont) 409-861-0582
- ★ **Kerr** (Kerrville) 830-896-5404
- ★ **Lubbock** (Lubbock) 806-765-8475
- ★ **Midland and Odessa** 800-922-7829
- ★ **Montgomery** (Conroe) 888-756-8682
- ★ **Nueces** (Corpus Christi) 361-852-3812
- ★ **Potter** (Amarillo) 806-359-2005
- ★ **Smith** (Tyler) 903-581-2835
- ★ **Tarrant** 888-296-8099
- ★ **Taylor** (Abilene) 325-437-1852
- ★ **Tom Green** (San Angelo) 325-947-7233
- ★ **Travis** (Austin) 512-735-2400
- ★ **Victoria** (Victoria) 361-575-7842
- ★ **Webb** (Laredo) 956-568-7105
- ★ **Williamson, Erath, Collin, and Wichita Falls** 512-388-8290

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