



Discussion Item

Date: October 21, 2024

Division: Learning & Teaching, Student Services

Subject: School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) Annual Report

Background Information:

- Title 2, Chapter 26, § 28.004 of the Texas Education Code (TEC) requires school districts to establish a School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) to assist the district in ensuring that local community values are reflected in the district's health education instruction.
- The annual update provides a report on activities of the SHAC in the 2023-24 school year and plans for the 24-25 school year.
- Council membership includes community members throughout the five high school feeder patterns from the following professions: physicians, nurses, mental health, occupational therapy, chiropractors, marketing, sales, real estate, informational technology, college professor and parent volunteers. District members included representatives from Campus Leadership, Health and PE, Counseling and Social Work, Special Education, Health Services, Learning and Teaching and Child Nutrition. Courtney Houghton served as chairman with LISD co-chairs, Trish Cuckler and Melanie Vincelette.
- Below are the topics addressed by the Council in 2023-24 school year:
 - Increasing physical activity during the elementary school day
 - Review and approval of the districts Fentanyl poisoning awareness required by HB 3908

Administrative Consideration:

- SHAC Members for the 2024-25 school year will be presented as a Action Item on the October 21, 2024 agenda.