



## NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Date: June 9, 2025

Presenter: Tony Kaman, School Health  
Advisory Council Chairperson

Subject: School Health Advisory  
Council (SHAC)  
recommendations for edited  
HSAE instructional  
materials for 8th grade

Related Page(s): 8th grade HSAE edited  
instructional materials  
(Teacher Leader Guide,  
Student Note-Taking  
Guides, Digital Teacher  
Tool)

### ACTION ITEM

#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Following the May 8, 2023, adoption of the "Choosing the Best" curriculum for Human Sexuality and Abstinence Education (HSAE) and abuse/violence prevention, the School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) recommended, and the Board of Trustees approved, that all instructional material edits be reviewed by SHAC and presented to the Board for approval prior to implementation. Subsequently, all 8th-grade HSAE and abuse prevention curriculum materials—including NEISD Teacher Leader Guides, Teacher Tools, videos, and student note-taking guides—were thoroughly reviewed by the Classroom Health & Sex Ed (CHaSE) Standing Committee.

#### **CONSIDERATION**

The 8th-grade health TEKS instructional materials for HSAE and abuse/violence prevention were thoroughly reviewed and edited. This process included detailed discussions by the CHaSE Standing Committee and culminated in approval (23-0) from the full SHAC at its May 21, 2025, meeting.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

The 2024-2025 SHAC recommends that the Board of Trustees adopt the edited instructional materials for 8th-grade HSAE and abuse/violence prevention.

#### **BOARD ACTION REQUIRED**

Approval/Disapproval