



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Meeting Date: October 16, 2025

Agenda Item: Health Instructional Materials Adoption Postponement

Item Type: Information/Discussion/ Action

Administrator: Megan Young, Director of Curriculum

Objective: Postpone Health Instructional Materials for a Year

Background: According to the Oregon instructional materials adoption schedule, the Medford School District needed to review Health instructional materials in 2024-2025 for classroom implementation by the Fall of 2025.

However, as we have discussed with the Board, we first needed to develop and launch our written math curriculum and instructional materials. Now that we have launched math, a team of Health teachers will begin the process of reviewing state approved instructional materials. We are requesting to postpone the adoption recommendation of materials for Health to the Spring of 2026 (for use in classrooms in the fall of 2026.)

We will continue to utilize our adopted programs, The Great Body Shop (K-8), Health for Life, and Reproductive and Sexual Health by Human Kinetics (9-12) during the adoption this school year.

The postponement will not affect our future ability to purchase the new instructional materials once we have completed our adoption selection process. ODE requires the Board's approval for this postponement.

Additional Materials: None

Recommendation: The administration recommends postponing the Health Instructional Materials Adoption for one year.

Suggested Motion: *“I move to approve postponing the adoption of Health Instructional Materials from spring of 2025 to spring of 2026.”*