

Memorandum

Date: May 10, 2016

To: Kerrville ISD Board of Trustees

From:

Re: School Health Advisory Council Activity Report for 2015-2016

Texas Education Code directs the local School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) to submit an annual report to the board of trustees as an explanation of the SHAC's activities during the school year. Below is a list of the major activities of the Kerrville ISD SHAC in 2015-2016.

1. **Suicide Prevention Training for Educators in Public Schools:** Wade Ivy, Assistant Superintendent for Kerrville ISD, explained House Bill 2186's requirement for suicide prevention training, demonstrated the program Kerrville staff would use, and explained the training timeline.
2. **Child Nutrition:** Scott Anglesey, Kerrville ISD Child Nutrition Director, gave a thorough overview of recent legislative changes in child nutrition—the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, new meal standards that took place in 2012, and the 2014 federal Smart Snacks rules—and the District's response to the legislation through Sodexo's food service plan. SHAC members had the opportunity to sample cafeteria food at each meeting.
3. **Wellness Plan:** The Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 also carries a requirement for districts to update their local wellness policy and wellness plan. Wade Ivy guided the SHAC through the process of brain-storming wellness plan input and drafting a wellness plan that meets the requirements of the legislation. The SHAC will evaluate the plan implementation in the spring of 2017.

The outcome of the School Health Advisory Council's work on the Wellness Plan will be presented to the board in the form of a recommended update to policy FFA (Local) with update 105.