

Student Health Advisory Committee Annual Board Report 2022-2023

Student Health Advisory Committee (SHAC) is a group of individuals representing segments of the community, appointed by the school district to serve at the district level, to provide advice to the school district on Coordinated School Health programming and its impact on student health and learning.

Coordinated School Health is based on an 8-Component Model recommended by TEA.

- Health Services
- Nutrition Services
- Healthy and Safe School Environment
- Counseling and Mental Health Services
- Staff Wellness Promotion
- Parent and Community Involvement
- Physical Education
- Health Education

QISD's SHAC meetings this year have had great attendance and input from all members. The committee has grown with each meeting and now has a total of 10 members.

- Stephanie Vance - Nurse/District Co-chair
- Deanna Henry - Co-Chair/Parent
- Brittany Eldred - Director of Federal Programs
- Renee Minter - Counselor
- Ashley Graves - Parent
- Jennifer Rock - Parent
- Caysi Marshall - Parent
- Lindsey Yeager - AgriLife/Parent
- Brook Rogers - Parent/Business Owner
- Heather Shirley - Sheriff Dept/Parent

The committee is continually growing with knowledge and focusing on specific needs for QISD's staff and students. One main focus this year is to revamp the SHAC. We would like to continue to grow and reflect local community values.

We will continue to make recommendations that speak to the *Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child* (WSCC) approach.

Meetings and Topics

12/14/2022 - General discussion about SHAC. Recruited new members. We reviewed the Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child model. SHAC started discussing the possibility of having unassigned emergency medications on campus. A motion was made to proceed in going forward and making sure we would be in compliance with policies and procedures. Motion passed 8-0.

03/09/2023 - Approved new member. Narcan/Epi put on hold until more research and data from Wood county are gathered. SHAC plans to do a skin cancer awareness program for the 23/24 school year with Tracey Whinery. Food Nutrition announced that summer feeding will happen for the month of June. Lindsey Yeager with Texas A&M AgriLife joined the SHAC.

04/26/2023-Approved new members. The data gathered since the last SHAC meeting was shared with the committee. Heather Shirley from the Sheriff's Department talked about the recent rise in opioid use in Wood County. SHAC discussed which schools already have unassigned emergency medications on campus and which schools plan to implement them soon. A motion was made to make a recommendation to the board that QISD obtain and store unassigned emergency medications on both campuses. Motion passed 10-0.

The School Health Advisory Committee would like to make the following recommendations:

1. QISD will adopt policy and procedure to obtain and store unassigned epinephrine auto injectors and unassigned opioid antagonists on both campuses.