



Midway ISD SHAC Agenda with Minutes

Meeting Date: February 23, 2022

Meeting Time: 11:30-1:00

Meeting Location: MISD Administration Building

Lunch was served by the Midway ISD Food Services Dept. The meeting began at 11:40 and ended at 1:03. Twenty three people were present for the meeting.

1. **Counseling, Psychological, and Social Services**

- a. Communities in Schools-Carol A. Jacob, MSW Site-Coordinator, Midway High School-Carol shared handouts with SHAC that explain the school-based services provided by CIS, the current number of students served at both the HS and the MS, and the partnership with Youth Workforce Development. Alison Smith, HS principal stated that CIS is a great support for the HS.
- b. CIS was added at the Middle School 2021-2022
- c. Potentially adding CIS to two Elementary campuses 2022-2023 Dr. Johnson and Anne-Marie Zellers will be meeting with the Director of CIS on March 2nd to discuss the growing partnership with CIS.

2. **Community Involvement**

- a. Human Trafficking Prevention and Awareness-Charlie Crockett-Outreach Coordinator at Unbound Waco Charlie shared with SHAC the ways in which Unbound can partner with Midway to provide human trafficking training to staff and students. They are a great resource in Waco that have presented to Midway students and staff in the past.
- b. All educators are trained annually on reporting suspicions of child abuse, neglect, and human trafficking.
- c. February VIP Night- Part 3: Trafficking Prevention with Det. Joseph Scaramucci Brooke Baker, District Social Worker, shared



information about the VIP night with Det. Scaramucci regarding human trafficking and Internet safety. Part 4 of the VIP night series will be March 24th. It will be a panel discussion with Dr. Soo Battle, Det. Scaramucci, and Dawn Wible.

- d. Alison Smith shared that the HS will be hosting a VIP night on March 16th at 6:30 to discuss vaping. They will be partnering with other staff to provide parents and students with resources to stop vaping and to learn more about the health, legal, and discipline consequences for vaping.

3. **Health Services**

- a. School health services update-Dee Ann Kleypas, Coordinator of Health Services, SHAC Co-Chair Dee Ann stated that COVID numbers across the district have drastically reduced since the surge in January. The drive thru clinic will no longer operate after Spring Break. Dr. Popejoy said the current COVID wave is down, but he has not read anything that states whether or not a future wave is predicted.
- b. Dr. Jeanie Johnson spoke with SHAC about opening campuses back up to visitors (mentors, volunteers, PTA, etc.)

4. **Health Education**

- a. Sex Education, Health TEKS and SHAC-Anne-Marie Zellers, Coordinator for Student Support Services, SHAC Co-Chair Anne-Marie shared with SHAC members and visitors the new state requirements for teaching sex education curriculum and for adopting sex education instructional materials. New Health TEKS for 2022-2023 were also discussed. The SHAC is reviewing two new curriculums, *Big Decisions and Choosing the Best*. Both curriculums align with the new TEKS and are abstinence-plus programs. The committee discussed the new state requirement to obtain parental consent through “opt-in” instead of the “opt-out” forms used in the past when teaching sex education instruction to students. Additionally, following adoption of HB 1525, parents must provide written provision to actively opt their



children into sex education classes, instruction on prevention of child abuse, dating and family violence, and sex trafficking.

5. Next Steps:

SHAC members have been asked to preview the *Big Decisions* and *Choosing the Best* curriculums with access codes provided by email. In the April SHAC meeting, we will discuss the pros and cons of each and make a decision about which curriculum we would like to recommend to the Board in May.

Resources:

[Sex Education in Texas](#)

[Health Education](#)

[Texas is Ready](#)

[Home - ichampss - CHPPR - The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston \(UTHealth\) School of Public Health](#)

[EDUCATION CODE CHAPTER 28. COURSES OF STUDY; ADVANCEMENT](#)

[Unbound Global](#)

[Communities In Schools of the Heart of Texas](#)

Sex Education Curriculum:

[Choosing the Best](#)

[Living WELL Aware, LLC](#)