

Health Advisory Committee  
February 24, 2016  
7:30 a.m. – Special Services Conference Room

In attendance:

Vonnie Saucerman – Supervisor CKSD Health Services/ School Health Consultants  
Diane Reichel- Secretary, Health Services  
Sarah Lewis – CKSD District Nurse  
Sara Leshley – CKSD District Nurse  
Becky Ascencio - Environmental Resource Coordinator/ Maintenance  
Heather Carrell- Naval Base Kitsap, School Liaison Office  
Rachel Oathout – Learning Specialist, Silverdale Elementary  
Amy Dyer – CKSD District Nurse  
Soni Riley – CKSD District Nurse

#### Kindergarten Fair

Heather stated that they are considering only having 1 Kindergarten fair next year due to low turnout at the 2 fairs this year, at a site to be determined

#### HPV/Meningococcal information

It was suggested that the required HPV/Meningococcal information be put into Middle and High School newsletters or packets of information sent home to families at the beginning of the school year. It is required by law that all 6<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> graders receive the information which used to be put into the district newsletter that is not being created any more. Vonnie could meet with the secondary office managers before the end of the year to determine the best method of dissemination for each school.

#### BYS Update

Sara put posters with Be Your Self information up at CK High School before winter break and has had to replace them since the tear-offs with contact information were all taken. Anxiety levels at school are up and students are looking for any kind of support they can find. Heather said that there are Military Family Life Counselors that can be put into schools if requested. They are contractors who are able to attend different school events and connect with students. Mental health of students is not being addressed fully at schools due to time/money constraints. Is there a grant that could be found to fund Behavior Interventionists for schools?

Students are also not staying home when they are sick. They, or their parents, feel they cannot miss any class time.

#### Oral Health Screening

Vonnie hasn't heard back from Donald Chi about follow up from September. She will call him to get information.

#### Other Business

Flu is in the community with parents sending their children to school when they are sick. Becky suggested maybe the district could do a robo-call to all parents saying that the county is experiencing increased illness and to please keep their child home when they are sick, practice frequent handwashing and have a plan in place for alternate child care plans if children need to stay home from school and parents can't be home with them. The same information could also be put on the home page of the website.

Vonnie will contact David Beil about the possibility of the health robo-call, and will ask about the yearly distribution of the HPV/Meningococcal information and annual asbestos notification from Maintenance that are currently under Legal Notices on the district website.

Heather said that Bangor base is working with Transportation to put bus drivers into the base security system so busses are able to get children to and from school. Due to Homeland Security rules no one can get on base who is not either escorted or has a passport or enhanced driver's license.

There has been difficulty with Home Bound teachers being able to get on base. Sendi Wills is the point of contact for teacher base access, as there is a multiple step process that must be followed. We will pass the information on to the Special Services Home Bound instructor coordinator.

There will be no meeting in March.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30

The meeting dates for this year are :  
April 27, 2016; May 25, 2016