



Behavioral Health Services Department (BHSD) and Santa Clara County Office of Education (SCCOE)

School-Based Behavioral Health Resources for Youth

Stakeholder’s Meeting Q&A

June 29, 2020

Question	Answer
How can we also have private office space to be able to provide therapy in the schools?	Exploration of space will be part of this project and incorporated in the feasibility plan.
Is County Behavioral Health/SCCOE considering offering increased training and resources in anticipation of return to school?	BHSD and SCCOE are collaborating on identifying school district training and support needs as identified in the SCCOE Recovery and Reopening Action Planning Document.
Will there be alignment with Katie A referral with the providers at school?	It is expected that providers will follow best practices for those youth receiving or eligible for Katie A/Pathways to Wellbeing coordinated services.
Will your model provide and incorporate expressive arts group work for children and teens as part of interventions?	BHSD, SCCOE, and RDA will explore expressive art interventions.
How will teachers, staff, and SLS, and other programs incorporate holistic integrative models as well as part of their trainings?	BHSD and SCCOE will explore models that meet the needs of the students including holistic integrative models.
Will the stakeholder's group collaborate with other counties to support all children in all school districts?	Currently, RDA is researching other county school-based behavioral health models.
In terms of direct services for students how do we foresee this aligning with Fall Instructional Models that districts will be implementing?	This will be determined during the strategic and implementation planning process.
Are there any discussion on differences between what private insurance can or want to provide to what the school programs provide to children, how would the two systems intersect (communication, diagnosis, difference in service)?	The exploration of this project includes identifying and reviewing financial resources which includes commercial insurance.