

Healthy Schools Collective Impact Purpose Statement

The Healthy Schools Collective Impact effort is about partners working together to align efforts and resources to support schools in making their environments, staff and students healthier so that students can reach their full potential in school and life.







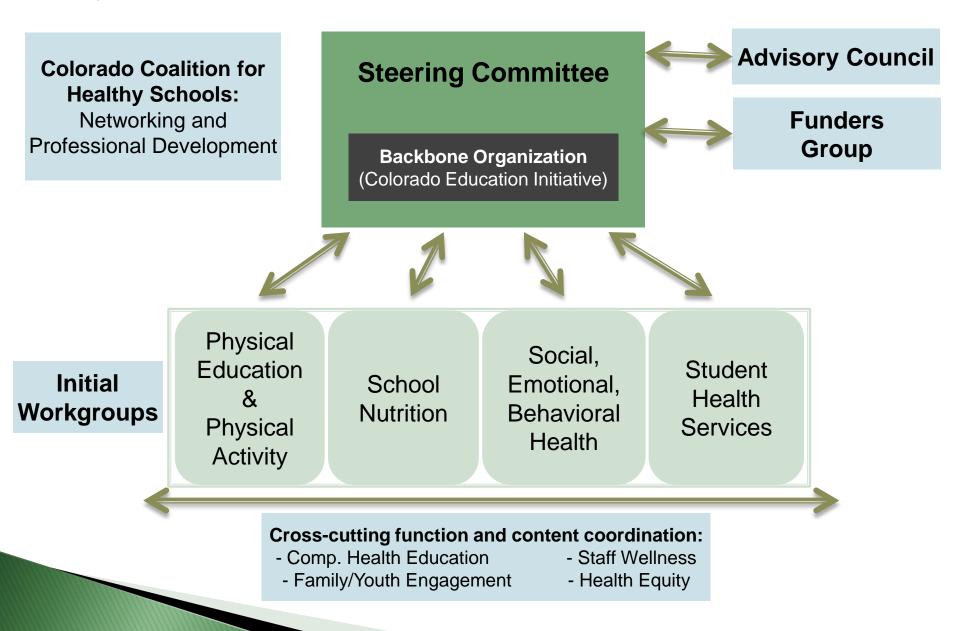


"What's in it for me?"

- Play an instrumental role in shaping a common, statewide direction for healthy schools in Colorado
- Provide leadership and expertise to:
 - Eliminate disjointed services to schools
 - Better leverage resources and funding for healthy schools
- Connect with and learn from your peers
- Champion school health and wellness efforts in Colorado
- Increase your own reach and impact



Healthy Schools Collective Impact:



Steering Committee Members

Colorado Department of Education

Colorado Association of School Boards

Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

Colorado Education Initiative

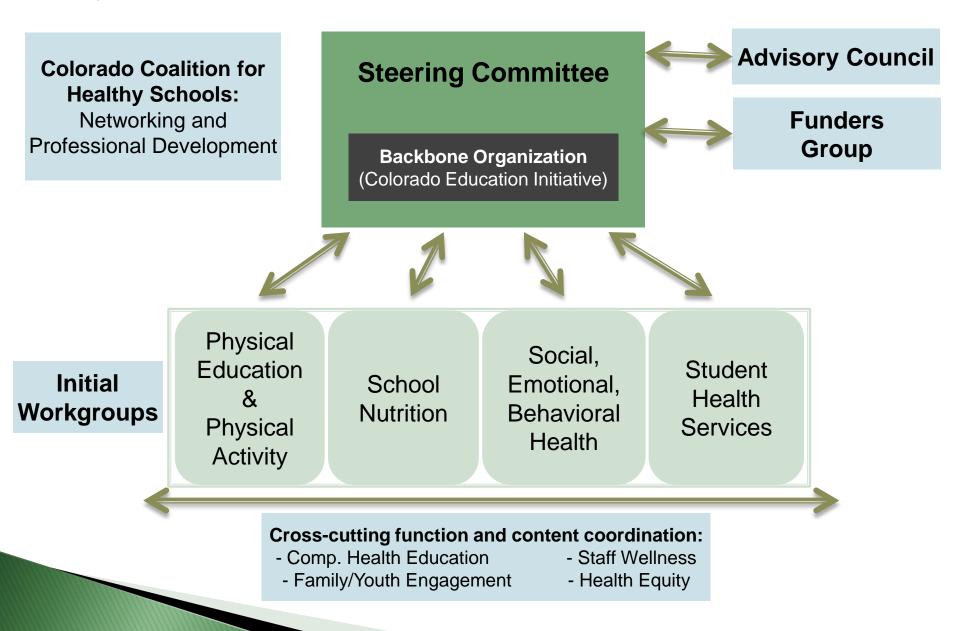
LiveWell Colorado

RMC Health

The Colorado Health Foundation



Healthy Schools Collective Impact:



As part of this initiative we will:

Coordinate efforts

Engage those impacted by the work

Use consistent and agreed upon student and school data

Support core capacity for schools and districts

Develop shared policy priorities

Support consistent communication



What are the ways to be involved?

Tier I	Actively participate in one of the four work groups committed to prioritizing this effort
Tier II	Provide occasional content expertise, input, and guidance to work groups as needed
Tier III	Receive periodic updates (no further commitment at this time)



Tier I Commitments:

- Attend up to two meetings monthly (1-2 hours each) for nine to 12 months, beginning in October
- Review selected materials prior to meetings
- Arrive prepared for engaged discussion, active listening, and respectful dialogue
- Develop a common definition for healthy schools in Colorado
- Propose strategies to align resources, increase efficiency, decrease duplication, scale what works and lessen burden on schools to ensure their needs are met and gaps are filled
- Identify common measures for each work group



Next Steps

- Survey will be sent on Monday, 9/8, for you to select your "Tier".
- First Work Group meeting October 8th at Adams 12 Conference Center.



Small Group Activity

- At your table, identify a writer and use the handout to discuss the following questions:
 - What additional information do you need to decide how you or your organization can participate with Healthy Schools Collective Impact?------
 - 2. What excites you about Healthy Schools Collective Impact?
 - 3. What makes you nervous about Healthy Schools Collective Impact?
 - 4. What would Healthy Schools Collective Impact look like a year from now? (How would we know we were successful?)



QUESTIONS?

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