



School-Community Mental Health Partnership Resources

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<p>Nine Elements of Effective School Community Partnerships to Address Student Mental Health, Physical Health, and Overall Wellness <i>Coalition for Community Schools and National Association of School Psychologists</i></p>	<p>Manual for effective school-community partnership. Elements include: “(1) a leadership team comprised of school and community stakeholders; (2) Assets and needs assessment to address student health and wellness, and a framework for results; (3) A designated person located at the school to lead the coordination of school-community partnerships; (4) Clear expectations and shared accountability for the school and community partners; (5) High-quality health and wellness services that leverage school and community resources; (6) Ongoing comprehensive professional development for all school leaders, staff, and community partners; (7) A detailed plan for long-term sustainability; (8) Regular evaluation of effectiveness through a variety of measures; and (9) Communication plan to share progress and challenges”</p>
<p>Effective School-Community Partnerships to Support School Mental Health <i>National Association of School Psychologists and National Center for School Mental Health</i></p>	<p>Factsheet document outlining “key elements and action steps to support effective school-community mental health partnerships” using a multi-tiered system of support. Elements include: (I) appropriate staffing of school and community mental health professionals; (II) clear roles and responsibilities and (III) funding to support school-community mental health partnerships”</p>
<p>School-Community Partnerships: A Guide <i>Center for Mental Health in Schools at UCLA</i></p>	<p>“This document was developed with three objectives in mind: to enhance understanding of the concept of school-community partnerships to convey a sense of the state of the art in a way that would underscore directions for advancing the field to provide some tools for those interested in developing and improving the ways schools and communities work together in the best interests of young people and their families.”</p>
<p>Pediatric Mental Health Care Access Programs and School-Based Health Centers: A Natural Partnership for Improving Access to Mental Health Care <i>School Based Health Alliance</i></p>	<p>Brief factsheet about the promise of collaboration among school-based health centers (SBHCs) and pediatric mental health care access (PMHCA) programs to bring mental health services to schools by leveraging assets including accessibility, integrated care, staffing, high-quality care, sustainability, technology, systems coordination, and a growing movement towards expanding the reach of SBHCs.</p>