
Buckeye Healthy Schools Alliance





Who we are...

A statewide alliance of:

- Educators
- Government agencies
- Public health & health-related organizations
- Universities
- Voluntary health organizations
- Professional associations, &
- Others dedicated to the health and wellness of Ohio's students and educators.

Our Vision

*Healthy Youth, Successful Schools, and
Thriving Communities*

Our Mission

On behalf of Ohio's students, promote a coordinated approach to school health that supports education achievement for lifelong success.

Our Goals

- **To provide programs & services** to school personnel, public officials and community leaders to implement and enhance effective CSH programs.
 - **To advocate with decision makers and the public** for policies, funding and programs which benefit the health of individuals and communities.
 - **To serve as a forum for state-wide organizations** which share our vision by supporting synergistic collaboration.
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BHSA Sponsored Activities

- Professional development opportunities, continuing education, regional workshops, & an annual school health conference
 - Advocacy for health policy, funding, & programs
 - Technical assistance to schools & community coalitions
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Upcoming Events

- December 8th – BHSA Quarterly Meeting (Columbus)
- December 9th – Health Education: A Skills Based Approach (Cleveland)
- December 14th – Physical Education Standards Based Curriculum Design (Cincinnati)

Check Our Website Calendar for more additions at: www.BHSAlliance.org

Advocacy

- We have an advocacy agenda based on our member priorities.
 - Currently we are focusing on Health Education Standards.
 - We recommend that Ohio adopt the National Health Education Standards as a framework for health instruction in schools.
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Ohio is 1 of only 2 states without... Health Education Standards

- A campaign is being started.
- Will you considering supporting it?
- Can you reach out to others & ask for their support?
- Visit the campaign website for an on-line endorsement form, resources & tools:

<http://setthestandards.wordpress.com/>

Our first Lobby Day – November 16th at the Statehouse

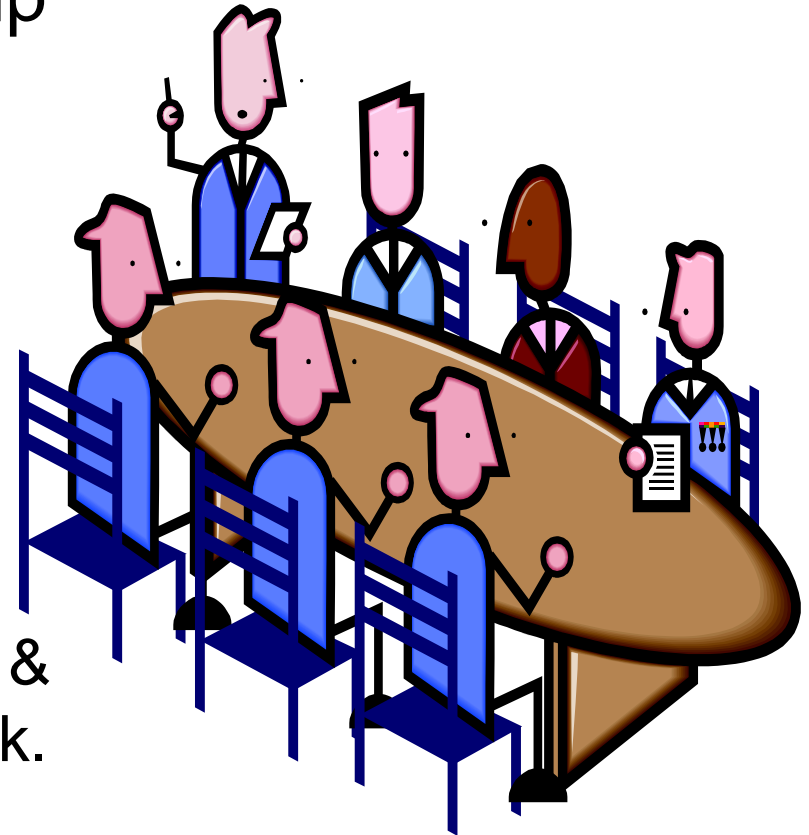


New Members Welcome

3 Categories of Membership

- Organizational
- Professional
- Individual

Great opportunity to connect and network with others in the state that have similar interests & that are engaging in similar work.



Member applications can be downloaded from our website.

There are lots of ways to get involved!

- CSH Conference Committee
- Advocacy Committee
- Professional Development Committee
- Membership Committee
- Public Relations Committee
- Fundraising

Leadership Opportunities are available too.

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