

Behavioral Health Solutions for Rural Schools Resources

Week 1: Trauma-Informed Care

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Mental Health Colorado

Adverse Childhood Experiences Study

Colorado's School Safety Resource Center

CBITS E-Book

National Child Traumatic Stress Network

Creating, Supporting, and Sustaining Trauma-

<u>Informed Schools: A System Framework</u>

Psychological First Aid for Schools

Child Trauma Toolkit for Educators

Secondary Traumatic Stress Resources

Trauma and Learning Policy Initiative

Resilient Futures

Treatment and Services Adaptation Center

Devereux Student Strengths Assessment (DESSA)

Advocates for Coloradans experiencing mental health or substance use disorder.

Assesses associations between childhood maltreatment and later-life health and well-being.

Provides resources and training to foster safe and secure learning environments.

Free Cognitive Behavioral Intervention for Trauma in Schools eBook.

Offers online training modules, handouts and videos specific to trauma-informed care in schools.

A system framework to help schools working towards being a trauma-informed school.

Free download manual guide with core actions and handouts.

Free download toolkit for educators from NCTSN.

NCTSN website link for secondary traumatic stress.

Online training video modules and a learning community.

Provide trainings for promoting trauma-informed schools.

Promotes trauma-informed school systems providing prevention and early intervention strategies.

Student strengths assessment.

Trauma-Sensitive Schools Handout	Packet to build trauma-sensitive schools.	
Trauma Committee Professional Development	Professional development training.	
Training		
School Crisis Guide	National Education Association school crisis guide.	
Guidance for Trauma Screening	Guidance for trauma screening in schools.	
Other Resources		
Trauma Informed Care Didactic PPT	PowerPoint of the didactic presentation.	
Behavior Intervention Monitoring Assessment	Link to buy the BIMAS.	
System (BIMAS)		

Week 2: Suicide

Evidence-based Resources		
MindWise Innovations	Equips schools with tools to help address mental health issues, substance use, and suicide risk.	
Rural School-Based Programming for Suicide	Provides resources and toolkits for preventing suicides for school-based programming.	
<u>Prevention</u>		
CDC's Youth Risk Behavior Survey Data	Gives data on Colorado data for youth risk behavior.	
Other Resources		
Suicide Prevention Didactic PPT	PowerPoint of the didactic presentation.	

Week 3: Self-Harm

Evidence-based Resources		
Rocky Mountain Crisis Center	Nonprofit organization providing crisis line, online, and text services to individuals in crisis.	
I Hurt Myself Today	Information on self-injury.	
HB19-1120 Youth Mental Health Education and	Summary of bill on youth mental health education and suicide prevention.	
Suicide Prevention		
After a Suicide: A Toolkit for Schools	Toolkit for schools.	
	Grief resources and trainings for grieving children and families, including school and community toolkit.	

The National Center for Grieving Children &		
<u>Families</u>	Free download for a school-based program helping children cope with violence and trauma.	
Helping Children Cope with Violence and Trauma:		
A School-Based Program that Works		
Other Resources		
Self-Harm Didactic PPT	PowerPoint of the didactic presentation.	
Suicide in Schools: A Practitioner's Guide to Multi-	Link to purchase guide.	
level Prevention, Assessment, Intervention, and		
Postvention (School-Based Practice in Action)		

Week 4: Depression and Anxiety

Evidence-based Resources		
Mental Health Screening Tools	Free mental health screening tools in English and some Spanish available.	
Appropriate and Inappropriate Activities for School	List of activities for school counselors.	
Counselors (ASCA)		
Recognized ASCA Model Program (RAMP)	American School Counselor Association model program.	
National Depression Screening Day	Link to provide online screenings through MindWise.	
Capturing Kids Hearts	An integrated solution for educators in need of tools and techniques to help students.	
<u>Life Skills Curriculum</u>	Free life skills curriculum for Overcoming Obstacles for schools.	
Second Step	SEL program to create supportive and successful learning environments in schools.	
Coping Cat	Cognitive-behavioral treatment program for children with anxiety ages 7-13.	
Mindful Schools	Offers mindfulness programs specifically for schools.	
<u>PESI</u>	Seminars, online learning, and educational products for behavioral health.	
Other Resources		
Depression & Anxiety Didactic PPT	PowerPoint of the didactic presentation.	

BASC-3 Behavioral and Emotional Screening	Link to purchase BASC-3.
<u>System</u>	
Dinosaur School (Incredible Years)	Link to purchase curriculum for preschool, kindergarten, and primary schools in English and Spanish.
Restorative Circles in Schools	Link to purchase a guide to build community and enhance learning.

Week 5: School-Community Partnerships

Evidence-based Resources		
Communities that Care	Youth substance abuse prevention program through CDPHE.	
Mountain Family Center	Provides services to Grand County.	
Mindsprings	Provides behavioral health services to Colorado's western slope.	
Grand County Rural Health Network	Advocates for the support of health in Grand County.	
Funding Resources		
School Health Professional Grants	CDE grant funds to eligible education providers to enhance presence of school health professionals.	
Daniel's Fund	Provides funding for K-12 education reform and early childhood education.	
The Kerr Foundation	Grant to support institutions that provide new/enhanced opportunities for youth.	
Caring for Colorado Foundation Grants	Grant to projects enhancing health equity, well-being, and opportunity for children and youth.	
Amplifying Health Advocacy	Grant to support health advocates across Colorado.	
Community Mental Health Solutions	Funding to support a range of programs/projects to address health challenges in low-income Colorado	
	communities.	
Other Resources		
Colorado Department of Education Regional	Contact information for regional CDE offices.	
<u>Offices</u>		
CDE Professional Development	Upcoming opportunities for professional development.	
Colorado School Safety Resource Center	Events and trainings to support safe and positive Colorado schools.	
Rural Training Staff	Colorado school safety training consultants.	

Week 6: Bullying

Evidence-based Resources		
Bullying Prevention PBIS	Schoolwide bully prevention and Positive Behavioral Interventions & Supports initiative.	
Second Step Bullying Prevention Unit	Schoolwide bullying prevention unit.	
Olweus Bullying Prevention Program	Schoolwide bullying prevention program.	
Other Resources		
Bullying Didactic PPT	PowerPoint of the didactic presentation.	
Colorado Department of Education	CDE contact for Bullying Prevention and Education Grant Coordinator.	

Week 7: School Disengagement and Resiliency

Evidence-based Resources		
Trends in High School Dropout and Completion Rates	Trends in high school dropout and completion rates report.	
Colorado Graduation Rate	Colorado graduation rate dashboard from CDE.	
Positive Youth Development	Promoting positive youth development mini-guide from CDE.	
Positive Youth Development: Assessments for Ages 10	Assessment for positive youth development.	
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Positive Youth Development Research 4-H	4-H positive youth development research.	
<u>Developmental Assets Framework</u>	Developmental Assets framework in English and Spanish for use with children, youth, and families.	
Free Assessments in English and Spanish	Free downloadable developmental assets in English, Spanish, and other languages.	
The Incredible Years	Variety of programs for working with students.	
Strengthening Families	Program to increase family strengths, enhance child development, and reduce likelihood of child	
	abuse.	
Other Resources		
School Disengagement & Resilience Didactic PPT	PowerPoint of the didactic presentation.	