

## School Health Advisory Committee

Minutes for August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017

SHAC members present were Melissa Burden, Dee Ann Mills, Elizabeth Popeck, Ward Hudson, Rick Howell, Andy Hudson, Ingia Saxton, Karla Swearingen, Mary Kay Davis and Co- Chairs of SHAC Melissa Teperra and Stephanie McCullough.

SHAC committee gathered to review Suicide Programs and bullying prevention programs for our School. The committee discussed Brock ISD's Best Practice Resources for Mental Health. The Texas Department of State Health Services has links to Crisis Hotlines in English and Spanish. Dee Ann will proceed with the development of our Policy and members will look for more programs on bullying prevention.

Mrs. Saxton from Brock Jr. High talked about implementing her own programs on Trafficking. We talked about Grace House and their programs to our Jr. High and High School. Mr. Howell and Mrs. Saxton will discuss what programs they want from Grace House for the Jr. High and High School.

We discussed inviting Brock ISD students to come to SHAC meetings to help us determine what student's feel is important for us to cover, what problems in schools that need to be addressed.

Staff meeting ended with members assigned to looking for programs to review suicide programs and prevention of bullying in schools and after school.