



Thank you for attending the Beach Cities Partnership for Youth Coalition Virtual Meeting!

We hosted more than 75 attendees including students, providers, parents, elected officials and superintendents from each of the three Beach Cities school districts. We appreciate your continued dedication to addressing youth mental health and substance use, perhaps even more vital amidst a global pandemic.

Missed the meeting? [View the recording here.](#) Check the description box for timestamps if you'd like to see a specific part of the meeting.

Review the Coalition Meeting presentation here.

Highlights of the Coalition meeting included:

- Welcome and Beach Cities Health District update from BCHD CEO, **Tom Bakaly**
- Hermosa Beach City School District Superintendent **Dr. Jason Johnson** shared the school district's plan to work toward better connections and build the social-emotional learning framework. The school district has two full-time counselors to provide additional mental health support.
- Manhattan Beach Unified School District Superintendent **Dr. Mike Matthews** shared how social-emotional learning is built into the curriculum at all grade levels. Dr. Matthews also discussed the school district's mission of strengthening and broadening the goals related to social justice issues and working with the Board to have formal policies and programs in place.
- Redondo Beach Unified School District Superintendent **Dr. Steven Keller** discussed the commitment to health and safety for both students and staff. The school district is also committed to 10 different ways to engage students that have been less connected to the virtual learning environment.
- **Rani Crosby**, RUHS '23 and **Camille Jorenby**, MCHS '23 provided an overview on the Youth Advisory Council Summer Engagement Workgroup's efforts on the COVID-19 Health & Safety Campaign. See below for their posters and videos.
- The **Impacts of COVID-19 on Youth** video was shared with meeting attendees.
- From *allcove* and the **Stanford Center for Youth Mental Health and Wellbeing**, **Dr. Steven Adelsheim**, **Cristiane Cunial** and **Neha Kumar** shared an overview of core and data evaluation components of their model for a youth drop-in center. The Beach Cities *allcove* location, along with other Mental Health Services Act grantees from across the state, will continue to receive technical assistance from the staff at *allcove*.
- Attendees of the Coalition meeting participated in a community conversation about underage alcohol and opioid use in the Beach Cities. They voted on five poll questions, and were placed into breakout groups for short discussions after voting on each questions. [View the poll results here.](#)

If you would like to participate in a focus group to continue the conversation about youth substance use, please complete [this form.](#)

COVID-19 Health & Safety Campaign created by students from BCHD's Youth Advisory Council

Posters:

Physical Distancing

- What does 6 feet physical distancing look like?
- Be smart. Have a Heart. Stay 6 feet apart.

Stay Home if You are Sick

- Stay Home if You Are Sick
- Stay Home: Text Message
- Feeling Sick? Stay Home

Handwashing

- How to Wash Your Hands
- A Few Times You May Want to Wash Your Hands
- 20 Second Lyrics
- STOP. Before you leave home, have you...

Cloth Face Coverings

- Guide to Face Coverings
- Note to Parents/Guardians on Face Coverings
- Guide to No-Sew Face Coverings
- How to Use Cloth Face Coverings

Videos:

- Handwashing
- Physical Distancing
- Tips on How to Wear a Cloth Face Covering
- Impact of COVID-19 on Beach Cities Students





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