Floss and Gloss

CHW Integration
22/23 School Year
CHW Implementation

Identify your implementation team

Everyone on the team needs to understand what a CHW does.

- Advocates for the underserved
- Provide resources to address needs
- Collect data
  - the data collected and documented by CHW’s have the potential to improve access to health services and utilization of primary care supports.
- Finding the right staff member
Plan for integration

01. Define roles and expectations
02. Survey or questionnaire
03. Health department referrals and external referrals
04. Resource Guides
05. Data tracking system
Implementation

01. Press Release
02. Flyer
03. Basic Safety and education
04. Additional education and referrals
05. Data collection
Lessons Learned

Full-time position

Mentally challenging position

Expanded the reach of our Health Department
Current Issues

- Staffing
- Sustainability
- Access to dental care
Thank you

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