

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

USING MIPHY SURVEY DATA TO PREVENT ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES (ACE)

Childhood experiences, both positive and negative, have an impact on future violence, lifelong health and opportunity. The purpose of **Preventing Adverse Childhood Experiences: Data to Action (PACE D2A)** is to build a statewide infrastructure that ensures the capacity to collect, analyze and use ACEs data to inform prevention strategies and focus activities in Michigan to promote safe, stable nurturing environments where children live, learn and play. The MiPHY survey is a statewide tool that is administered by the Michigan Department of Education (MDE). This data will be included in a PACE D2A dashboard that can be used by school districts, community organizations and leverage funding requests to develop appropriate interventions to reduce ACEs in Michigan!



HOW CAN WE USE THE DATA?

Evaluate drug and alcohol programs, guide after school activities, determine additional areas of focus in health curriculum and identify strengths and challenges to address with community partners. Data allows us to track trends, health outcomes and improvements over time.

BENEFITS OF MIPHY SURVEY PARTICIPATION

- NO COST FOR SURVEY ADMINISTRATION OR SUPPLIES
- ENDORSED BY MDE and MDHHS
- REDUCES BURDEN OF CONDUCTING MULTIPLE SURVEYS
- WEB BASED FORMAT ELIMINATES COST
- PRIVACY PROTECTED BY SECURED WEB SURVEY PORTAL
- MEETS NEEDS ASSESSMENT AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS AND ALIGNS WITH SCHOOL HEALTH IMPROVEMENT INITIATIVES



WHAT SCHOOLS SAY

"WE HAVE A RESPONSIBILITY TO OUR COMMUNITY AND TO MEET THE NEEDS OF OUR YOUTH."

"PROVIDES A POSITIVE OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUTH TO TELL US ABOUT THEMSELVES."

"RESULTS REFLECT THE ATTITUDES AND BEHAVIORS OF OUR YOUTH . IN OUR SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITITES."

SURVEY PROCESS

- 2021/2022 Survey opens in September, schools can opt-in at any time during the open cycle (Sept-June)
- Students in grades 7,9 & 11 participate. The MiPHY provides student health data, risk and protective factor data for school-based, data driven decision making.
- Survey is administered online, during one class period at school. Survey takes about 30-40 minutes to complete.
- MDE analyses the data and generates reports quickly so districts can access results 1-3 days after survey close.



WHAT CAN YOU DO?

- **Contact your School Board and/or Superintendent to see if your district participates in the survey.**
- **If not, urge your district to become involved.**

Need help? Contact MDE at : kramern@michigan.gov