

## School Based Health Centers

# Healthy Kids. Healthy Communities.

During the 2014-15 school year, 1,597 students completed an anonymous and confidential patient satisfaction survey. Here's what they had to say about School Based Health Centers (SBHCs):

#### SBHCs provide quality care

- Students said that SBHCs staff discussed prevention on a variety of health topics during their visit.
- 65% reported their overall health was better for using the SBHC
- 87% of surveyed students were very satisfied with their health center

#### SBHCs help students access care

 SBHCs reduce barriers that prevent students from seeking health services such as inconvenience, cost and transportation.

#### SBHCs help keep kids in class

Located on school grounds, SBHCs help students get back to the classroom faster and ready to learn.

 60% of students reported missing no class time when they accessed care at a SBHC. Source: Oregon School-Based Health Centers 2016 Status Report. Students between the ages of 12 and 19 who visit the SBHC may be asked to complete an anonymous survey after their visit. Students can refuse to take the survey and this will not affect their ability to get care at the SBHC. If you have questions about the survey, please contact the SBHC State Program Office at sbhc.program @state.or.us



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### Open when kids are in school

Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.





The Oregon City SBHC provides comprehensive physical, mental, and preventative health services to students in the Oregon City School District.

#### No student is denied services

Insurance is billed whenever possible in order to sustain the SBHC. However, students receive care, regardless of their ability to pay. Students and families are not charged for services.



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#### Team approach to care

The nurse practitioner and mental health specialist are dedicated to creating a safe and inviting environment for youth.

#### Mental health counseling

The SBHC offers a range of care for children and youth, including individual and family therapy, group counseling, and crisis intervention.

#### **Prevention focused services**

Services at the Oregon City SBHC are targeted at preventing illnesses and promoting healthy behaviors and decisions. Services include:

- Diagnosing and treating injury & illness.
- Mental or emotional health services.
- Comprehensive physical exams.
- Sports physicals.
- Health education & wellness counseling.
- Immunizations.
- Laboratory tests.
- Referrals to specialty services as needed.

