

Sample Survey

District respondent (or school administrator if not a district):

- Is sun safety instruction or educational material provided to all personnel?
- Is sun safety pre-service and in-service training provided for teachers?
- Does policy strongly encourage or require personnel to follow sun safety precautions?
- Is there regular communication of sun safety policy, procedures, and recommendations to:
 - Schools
 - Parents
 - Personnel
- In general, does policy discourage, allow, encourage, strongly encourage, or require sun-safe behaviors?

Schoolsite respondent:

- Are hats sold at school?
- Are sun-protective garments, suitable for warm weather, sold at school?
- Has the P.E. uniform style been adjusted for improved sun protection?
- Is sunscreen sold at school?
- Is sunscreen provided at:
 - School?
 - School-based activities?
- Has progress been made toward increasing the amount of shade?
- Is the UV index tracked?
- How much sun safety instruction do the students receive? (Hours/grade level)
- Is there regular communication of sun safety policy, procedures, and recommendations to the student body?

The following questions pertain to the period from March through October:

- For outdoor activities, what percentage of students:
 - Wear a hat?
 - Cover up (long sleeves, long pants/dresses)?
 - Use sunscreen?
 - Wear sunglasses?
- For outdoor work, what percentage of teachers wears a hat?
- For outdoor work, what percentage of non-teacher personnel wears a hat?

- Has the schedule been adjusted to shift outdoor activities out of the 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. period?
- Have steps been taken to increase the use of existing shade or indoor facilities for physical activity?

Comments/Suggestions:

Compare measured outcomes to desired goals

Focus group

Identify goals for upcoming year

- Recommend actions for improvement
- Recommend new/amended policy