



Florida Department of Education Update

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BUILDING *Resiliency*

RESILIENCY EDUCATION STANDARDS

- ✓ Character
- ✓ Personal Responsibility
- ✓ Mentorship and Citizenship
- ✓ Critical Thinking and Problem Solving

SCHOOL STAFF TRAINING

80% or more of school staff receive youth mental health awareness training.

MENTAL HEALTH ASSISTANCE ALLOCATION AND FLORIDA SAFE SCHOOLS ASSESSMENT TOOL

District funding and planning tools to strengthen school safety and support school staff training, services and resources.

RESILIENCY TOOLKIT

Dynamic resources for students, parents/caregivers, educators and community partners.

FLORIDA SPECIFIC YOUTH SURVEY

Results on students' resiliency and behaviors will inform student instruction, resources, supports, and staff training.

RESILIENCY EDUCATION, CIVIC AND CHARACTER EDUCATION AND LIFE SKILLS EDUCATION

School districts provide 5 hours of data-driven instruction annually to students in grades 6-12 related to resiliency, character development, and mental health.



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Required Instruction

Rule 6A-1.094124, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), Required Instruction

- School districts must annually provide a minimum of five (5) hours of data-driven instruction to students in grades 6-12 related to civic and character education and life skills education through resiliency education using the health education standards adopted in Rule 6A-1.09401, F.A.C., Student Performance Standards. The instruction will advance each year through developmentally appropriate instruction and skill building.

Rule 6A-1.094124, F.A.C., Required Instruction, Cont.

- **Areas to Address:**

- Strategies specific to demonstrating resiliency through adversity, including the benefits of service to the community through volunteerism;
- Strategies to develop healthy characteristics that reinforce positive core values and foster resiliency such as:
 - Empathy, perseverance, grit, gratitude and responsibility;
 - Critical thinking, problem solving and responsible decision-making;
 - Self-awareness and self-management;
 - Mentorship and citizenship; and
 - Honesty.



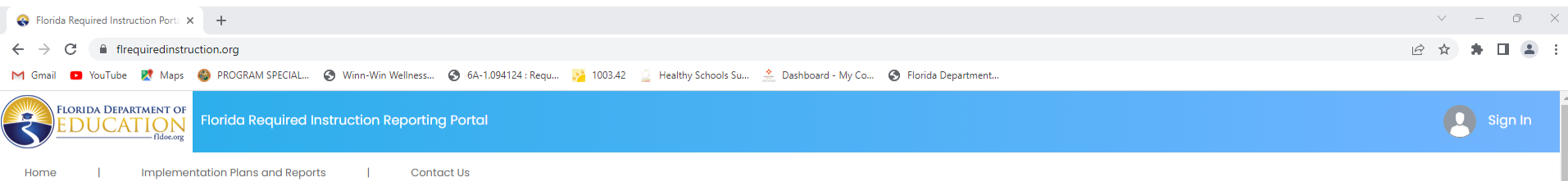
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Required Instruction Reporting Portal

Florida Required Instruction Portal

- December 1: Submit an implementation plan to the Commissioner of Education for Resiliency Education, Child Trafficking Prevention Education, and Substance Use and Abuse Education.
- July 1: Submit report to the Commissioner of Education that describes how instruction was provided for required instruction topics.
 - Report includes grade levels, courses, qualifications of instructors, instructional materials and rationale for instruction.

Florida Required Instruction Portal



Florida Required Instruction Portal

Welcome to the Required Instruction Reporting Portal. Every day the Florida Department of Education works hand in hand with parents, teachers, educators and community members to improve Florida's education system for students of all backgrounds and abilities. This portal supports the department's work by providing districts with an intuitive data entry tool and giving stakeholders an efficient method to access related information.

The Florida Department of Education requires certain annual reporting and planning from school districts on components of section [1003.42\(2\)](#), Florida Statutes. This portal is provided for districts to report to the department per [6A-1.094124](#) Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), Required Instruction Reporting.

LEA Dashboard Tutorial

Learn how to submit your LEA report, manage other LEA users, and other functions available for LEA authorized users.



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Implementation Plans and Reports

Required Instruction Implementation Plans and Reports

You can view all LEA implementation plans and reports for current and past cycles. To get started, use the filters below to narrow down the results.

By LEA

By Topic

By Instructional Material

Choose the Local Education Agency (LEA)

Search:

LEA Name	↑↓
Alachua	
Baker	
Bay	
Bradford	
Brevard	
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Training and Professional Learning

Youth Mental Health Awareness Training (YMHAT) Requirements

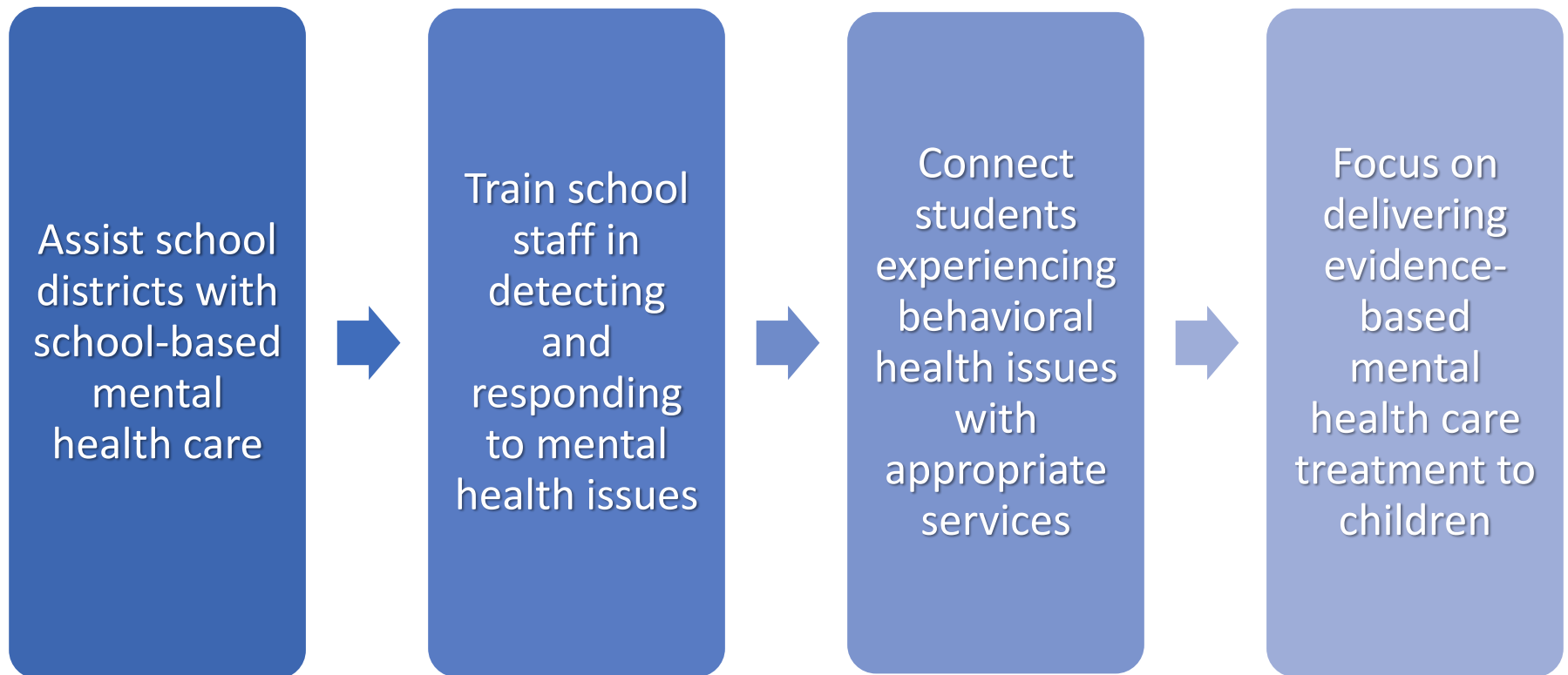
- Effective November 22, 2022, [Rule 6A-1.094120, Florida Administrative Code \(F.A.C.\)](#), requires annual certification that at least 80 percent of school personnel in a school district, including school personnel at charter schools, have completed the approved youth mental health awareness training.
- Districts are to use the [posted job codes](#) to determine that a minimum of 80 percent of school personnel are to be trained on Youth Mental Health First Aid by July 1, 2023.
- Job codes originate from a document entitled “Data Elements – Staff” incorporated in Rule 6A-1.0014, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), Comprehensive Management Information System.
- Certification forms to be received from each district by July 1, 2023
 - This form and instructions on submitting the form may be obtained at <https://www.fldoe.org/schools/k-12-public-schools/sss/ymhat.stml>.



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Mental Health Assistance Allocation

Purpose of the Mental Health Assistance Allocation (MHAA) Funding



Significant Investments in Mental Health

Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) funding
Mental Health Assistance Allocation

2019-2020:
\$75 million

2020-2021:
\$100 million

2021-2022:
\$120 million

2022-2023:
\$140 million

2023-2024:
\$160 million



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Resiliency Resources

Resiliency Resources

- Dedicated funding for resiliency resources aims to maximize the reach and impact of materials by getting them in the hands of parents and educators.
- This effort includes:
 - Production, promotion, and distribution of resiliency materials in schools, out-of-school time programs and other student-related community organizations;
 - Coordination of school and community-based events that centralize around parental involvement with student education, with a focus on resiliency and civic and character education; and
 - Training based on Resiliency Education and School Counseling Standards.

Establishing a Culture of Resiliency

- Currently in development are four pathways of student support and mentorship:
 - Resiliency Coach
 - Resiliency Endorsed Educator
 - School Counseling Apprentice
 - School Counseling Mentor
- [March 22, 2023, Press Release](#)

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