

Month of December

OSHW Marketing Package - A Medical Home and School Vaccination Requirements

The CPS Office of Student Health and Wellness (OSHW) has partnered with the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) and HealthChoice Illinois to promote the full range of health care and social services they can access, including COVID-19 testing, vaccinations, health risk screenings, health check-ups, prescriptions, transportation to and from doctor visits, and therapy. We appreciate your help connecting your school community to these services using the attached materials, which we'll be updating monthly. This month, we are focusing on school vaccination requirements and the importance of a medical home for every student.

[CPS Student Health and Wellness Marketing Package - January 2023](#)

Chicago Public Library: The 81 Club

We are excited to share a powerful new educational program. In partnership with the Chicago Public Library (CPL), we are launching The 81 Club, a program that gives all CPS students and teachers access to the resources and tools of all 81 CPL branches. This partnership is an extension of the District's Skyline initiative, designed to ensure that teachers, students, and families have free access to high-quality, culturally-responsive educational resources. We need your help getting the word out about the benefits of The 81 Club. Attached you will find marketing materials designed to inform families about The 81 Club and encourage them to take advantage of this program.

[Chicago Public Library: The 81 Club](#)

Stakeholders Religious Practices Survey

The Office of Family and Community Engagement (FACE) and the Office of Equity are partnering to better understand and accommodate the religious practices of CPS students, families, and staff. We are writing with two opportunities to share in order to gather feedback about how we can best accommodate the unique needs and aspirations among the diverse religious traditions and cultural practices of our school community:

- **Community Survey**

Please complete by 5 p.m. on March 17, 2023

[Survey Link](#)

This is a 15-20 minute anonymous survey to help inform how we accommodate religious practices and learn about more opportunities for engagement.

- **Focus Groups**

February 13 - May 22, 2023

[Registration Link](#)

Community members will collaborate to review the drafts of the updated policies. Meetings will consist of a reflection, presentation, and small group discussions.

[CPS Stakeholders Religious Practices Survey Marketing Package](#)

Teacher Residency Program

Our teachers are what make our schools great. We're reaching out to ask for your help finding the next generation of great dance and theatre teachers by spreading the word about the new dance and theatre residencies offered through the Teacher Residency Program. CPS has a huge need to fill positions for both dance and theatre, and we are excited to bring in new and energetic talent to take on these roles. Thank you for your help in distributing information about these invaluable new programs.

[Teacher residency Program - Dance and Theatre Program](#)