

Hayward High School Youth and Family Investment Project Parent/ Guardian Survey

Hayward High School would like to hear what parents and guardians think about health services. Your answers are completely confidential. There is no need to put your name anywhere on this form.

Please circle one:

- 1. Your gender:** Male Female
- 2. Your ethnicity:** African American Asian Caucasian/White Filipino Latino/Hispanic
 Pacific Islander Bi/Multi-Racial Other: _____

3. What language (s) is/are spoken in your home _____
Is this your primary language? Yes No

4. How many children do you have? _____ **How many attend or will Hayward High School?** _____

5. Your relationship to the students who attend Hayward High School.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/ Guardian | <input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elder Sibling | <input type="checkbox"/> Relative |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non – Relative | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

6. Where do you take your son/daughter(s) for health care? (Check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Kaiser | <input type="checkbox"/> Community clinic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other private doctor (not Kaiser) | <input type="checkbox"/> Home remedies/treatments |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency room | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

7. How do you currently pay for health services? (Check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Kaiser member | <input type="checkbox"/> No insurance/pay out-of-pocket |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other private insurance (i.e., Health Net) | <input type="checkbox"/> I don't know |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government assistance (Medi-Cal) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

8. In your community, do you feel it is easy to get: (Check yes or no)

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|--------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Health care | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Mental health care | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Social services | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Family support services | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Affordable housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Others: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Dental care | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |

9. Which of the following make it hard for you to get these services? (Check yes or no)

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| Transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Costs | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Health insurance | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Required documentation | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Language | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Knowledge about services | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Child care | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Others: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Some high schools have School Health Centers on campus for students to use during school hours. The following questions are an opportunity for you to share your thoughts on the idea of a School Health Center at Hayward High School.

9. How would you feel about the following free services being available to your son/daughter(s) at a School Health Center? (Check one answer for each. Please note, this is not a permission slip. Your answers to these questions will not affect your son/daughter's use of the health center services.)

School Health Center Services	I would support it	I would <u>not</u> support it	I'm not sure
Medical Services (physical exams for sports, regular health exams, pediatric services, immunizations, tests for vision and hearing)			
Counseling Services (individual and group counseling services that address stress, depression, alcohol/drug abuse, self-esteem and relationship issues)			
Health Education (prevention services for pregnancy, STD/HIV, violence, substance abuse)			
Support Groups (small groups of teens who discuss anger management, substance abuse, nutrition, self-esteem and other issues important to them)			
Reproductive Health (physical exams, health education about birth control options including abstinence, STD/pregnancy testing)			
Birth Control Pills (?)/Condoms (Or other methods of protection against pregnancy and STDs/HIV)			
Case Management (housing, health insurance, Medi-cal/ healthy families, food/clothing assistance)			
Dental Services (screenings, cleanings, fillings)			

10. What do you believe would be negative drawbacks of having a School Health Center?

(Check all that apply)

- Calls attention to controversial or sensitive issues
- Some students might go to the Health Center as an excuse to get out of class
- Some students might use services parents do not want them to use
- The Health Center uses space that could be used by other school programs
- The Health Center uses funds that could be used by other school programs
- None, I don't see any negative drawbacks to a School Health Center
- Other: _____

11. What do you believe would be positive benefits of a School Health Center? (Check all that apply)

- Provides students with a safe place to go
- Provides crisis intervention (i.e. suicide)
- Provides emergency/first-aid care
- Provides health education
- Provides referrals to other services for teens
- Enhances school safety
- Improves student health
- Allows teachers to focus on academics instead of health issues
- Improves student grades
- Reduces school absences
- No benefit
- Other: _____

12. Do you think students would be more or less likely to have sex if contraceptives (birth control and condoms) were available at a School Health Center? (Check one)

- Less likely to have sex
- No difference
- More likely to have sex

13. What services would you like to see a School Health Center offer parents? (Check all that apply)

- Immunizations
- Support groups for parents of teens
- Education on raising teens
- Information on health insurance
- None
- Other _____

Thank you for your help.