2018 Statewide School-Based Health Conference
Request for Proposals

The California School-Based Health Alliance (CSHA) will host its **2018 Statewide School-Based Health Conference: Leading the Movement for a Healthy California**, at the Sheraton Grand Hotel in Sacramento, May 17-18, 2018. We are looking for school health professionals to deliver **workshops**. With 500 anticipated participants, the conference is an excellent opportunity to highlight your innovative program model, share your research, and get feedback from your colleagues.

If you are selected to present a workshop, up to two presenters will receive a discounted conference registration rate. Additional presenters are welcome but normal registration rates will apply. (Note that the presenter discount applies only to the main conference on May 18 and not to the pre-conference workshops on May 17, for which an additional registration fee will be charged.)

➔ *Proposal Deadline: Friday, November 17th, 2017.*

2018 Conference Tentative Schedule

The conference will be held at Sheraton Grand Hotel:
- Thursday, May 17:
  - 9:30am – 12:30pm: Pre-conference workshops and lunch
  - 2pm – 5pm: Legislative Advocacy Day
  - 5pm – 6:30pm: Reception and poster presentations
- Friday, May 18:
  - 9 am – 5 pm: Plenary, workshops, and exhibits

There will be **3 workshop sessions**, each lasting 75 minutes, with approximately 6 concurrent workshops. Each workshop is expected to draw between 20 and 60 participants.

We are open to proposals on any school health topic but are particularly interested in the following:

Access to health services:
Workshops that give attention to bringing health care directly to where students and families are and conducting active school-based outreach to connect students with care. Topics can include innovative outreach strategies, youth-friendly services and environments, and strategies to support students that have experienced major obstacles to health care associated with social and economic disadvantages and historical and contemporary injustices.

Prevention and population health:
Workshops that strengthening prevention and population health by connecting clinical care with public health approaches. Topics can include group or classroom health education, school wide screenings and interventions (e.g., PBIS, restorative discipline, trauma-informed practices), creation of healthier environments, partnership models, or efforts to address the social determinants of health.

Intensive support for the highest need students:
Workshops that give attention to supporting the highest need students manage chronic disease, address behavioral health issues, deal with crises, and access necessary resources and services. Topics include innovative programs or services for students with the highest needs, case

management models, care team models, behavioral health programs, psychosocial case management for students with emotional, social or mental health issues, teacher trainings and consultations.

Academic achievement and school-based health initiatives:
Workshops on improving academic achievement of students through school-based health initiatives, programs, and services to address absenteeism, school climate, classroom behavior, and performance. Topics can include: school and school-based health partnerships to improve academic achievement, school climate models, innovative practices, and/or data collection and sharing.

Integration into health care delivery system:
Workshops on health care and delivery systems, such as new payment models, investment in population health, and coordination with other health care organizations. Topics can include how school-based health models have worked with health plans to fund school-based programs, coordinated patient care with other health care providers, sustainable funding for school mental health services, or implemented information sharing and data systems with other health organizations.

Other school-based health:
Workshops on a variety of education and health topics, including: recent research in children's health and learning, youth engagement and development, policy issues impacting health and schools, or strategies for integrating with education initiatives (common core, local control accountability plans, etc.).

The audience: Approximately 500 participants are expected at the conference including:
- School-based health center staff and administrators
- School district support and health services personnel
- Community medical, mental health, and oral health providers
- School administrators and student services leaders
- Local, regional, and state officials and policymakers
- School health program funders

Workshop Application

Lead Presenter (eligible for discounted registration)	Name: Credentials: Job Title: Organization: Phone Number: Email Address:
Lead Presenter Biography (200 word max)	
Co-Presenter (optional; eligible for discounted registration)	Name: Credentials: Job Title: Organization: Phone Number: Email Address:
Co-Presenter Biography (200 word max)	
Additional Presenter (optional; not eligible for discounted registration)	Name: Credentials: Job Title: Organization: Phone Number: Email Address:
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Workshop Title **(for conference program)** (10 word max) Please note that titles may be edited by CSHA staff.	
Brief Workshop Description **(for conference program)** (100 word max) Please note that descriptions may be edited by CSHA staff.	
Workshop Objectives Please list 3 learning objectives for the workshop that describe the	After this workshop, participants will be able to… 1.

intended change in participant knowledge, attitudes or skills. See list of sample learning objective verbs here.	2.
	3.
Detailed Workshop Description (500 word max) Please describe: • The workshop content that will be delivered to address each of the objectives listed above. • How your workshop will be pertinent to those working in the school health field.	
Participant Engagement Please select the participant engagement strategies that will be used during the workshop. Select all that apply.	☐ Panel Discussion ☐ Large group discussion ☐ Small group discussion ☐ Lecture/mini-presentation ☐ Brainstorming ☐ Case study ☐ Role play ☐ Creative work (art, movement, etc.) ☐ Other: _____
Conference Tracks Please select the most appropriate conference track(s) for your workshop. If your workshop applies to more than one track, you may select a secondary track (optional).	☐ Prevention and population health ☐ Intensive support for the highest need students ☐ Academic achievement and school-based health initiative ☐ Integration into health care delivery system ☐ Other school-based health
Resources and Tools (100 word max) Please describe any materials, resources or tools that will be shared with participants.	
Poster Presentation We receive a large number of proposals for a small number of workshop slots. Would you consider a poster presentation if your proposal is not selected as a workshop? (Poster Presentations are Thursday, May 17, 5:30-6:00pm, during the reception)	☐ Yes, I would consider a poster presentation ☐ No, I am not interested in a poster presentation ☐ Maybe, I would like to learn more (please email Molly Baldridge at mbaldridge@schoolhealthcenters.org with questions regarding poster presentation)

➔ **Due: November 17, 2017**
➔ **Thank you for your submission! We will notify presenters by the end of January 2018.**
➔ **For questions or concerns, please email Molly Baldridge (mbaldridge@schoolhealthcenters.org). Subject line: 2018 Conference RFP.** Faxed forms will *not* be accepted. Please email any questions to Molly.