

Agenda

Healthier Students Are Better Learners
Educator Effectiveness Webinar Series

June 2, 2016

3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET

Goals

- Learn what the research says about student health issues affecting education outcomes.
- Explain the five causal pathways of health problems.
- Investigate ways that schools can address these pathways and health issues and the role of student health in academic success.
- Explore how school leaders, communities, local stakeholders, and policy developers can promote better health and education outcomes in schools by developing feasible programs.

3:00 p.m. Welcome and introduction to the webinar platform by Dr. Elizabeth Greninger, Facilitator (edCount, LLC)

3:15 p.m. Presentation by Dr. Charles Basch, Richard March Hoe Professor of Health and Education at Teachers College, Columbia University

Setting the Stage

Dr. Basch will describe health disparities among urban youth and discuss the relationships between health attainment and economic/social conditions.

The Research Base

Dr. Basch will present research supporting the reduction of health disparities as a basic part of school reform.

Topic in Practice

Dr. Basch will describe how schools can address the prevalence of eight health issues and why it is important for school-based initiatives to focus on multiple problems simultaneously.

Action Steps

Dr. Basch will suggest action steps for local leaders and education stakeholders, policy developers, teachers and other school/district staff, professional development staff, and colleges of education.

Key Takeaways

Participants will be asked to share their key takeaways and planned actions.

4:30 p.m. Question and answer session, followed by wrap-up and adjournment

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