



Healthy Communities Partnership Student Assistance Program

*Healthy Students and Families
Make Healthy Communities*

Healthy Communities Partnership's Student Assistance Program is a champion for the cause of healthy students and families because it creates healthy communities. To make healthier communities a reality HCP partners with:

- ✎ Educational institutions
- ✎ Families
- ✎ Community agencies
- ✎ Other organizations

SAP uses proven techniques and a professionally trained team at each school to mobilize school and community resources to help students and families. Our goal is to identify and overcome any barriers to learning and success that students may face. These barriers may include: bullying, drugs and alcohol, sadness, anxiety, relationships, and more.



The SAP Process: Four Phases

1. **Referral** – Anyone concerned about a student can refer a student to his/her school's SAP Team.
2. **Team Planning** – The team gathers more information, decides what resources would be most relevant, and forms an action plan.
3. **Intervention** – After permission is given, the plan is put into action – including school supports, a screening by the school's SAP liaison, recommendations, or more.
4. **Support & Follow-up** – The SAP team and/or liaison will communicate, continue support as needed, and connect student to additional resources or school support groups that may help.



SAP Liaison Services

Our liaisons strive to provide professional, courteous, and confidential support. They work to connect students and families to a variety of medical and mental health services, drug and alcohol services, school support groups, and more. Here is a list of liaisons serving Franklin and Fulton county schools:

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Southern Fulton

Other HCP Student Services

- ✎ Healthy U
- ✎ Too Good for Drugs & Violence
- ✎ Resiliency & Healthy Choices
- ✎ Alcohol: True Stories Groups
- ✎ Interrupted: Alcohol, Marijuana, or Tobacco
- ✎ Teen Intervene
- ✎ Grief & Loss Groups
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