IAEM-USA K-12 Education Caucus



Pertinent Information Purpose of the Caucus Collaborate across sectors to address current IAEM-USA's newest caucus established and emerging issues specific to K-12 schools January 2021 All IAEM members invited and districts All sectors welcome Proactive role in preparing for responding to, Check us out at recovering from and mitigating against all https://www.iaem.org/groups/usthreats and hazards caucuses/K12-Education (we are a work in Foster school (and community) resilience progress and MUCH more to come)! Whole community approach - Ensure needs are addressed by government and public and private sector officials **Leadership of the Caucus Meeting Information** Scott Hudson (TX), Chair scott.hudson@cfisd.net Meetings are held on the last Wednesday of

each month at 1:30 p.m. EST.

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Work Plan Priorities

- Increase caucus membership by inviting non-IAEM school district emergency managers to seek IAEM membership and join the caucus.
- Establish effective communications by conducting monthly meetings and developing a comprehensive website to share best practices, vendor lists and experience, and opportunities for professional development
- Establish working groups as focus areas or emerging issues are identified and based on tasks received from the IAEM Board, Committees, or Caucuses.
- Identify school-based emerging issues and focus areas, including:
 - Mental health services for students (and staff)
 - Trauma-informed practices
 - Social-emotional learning
 - Restorative practices