

Chicago Department of PUBLIC HEALTH



BUREAU OF MATERNAL, INFANT, CHILD, AND ADOLESCENT HEALTH *Office of School Health*

OUR MISSION

The mission of the Office of School Health is to promote health and well-being of children and youth in all Chicago schools, through delivery of services, and supporting access to care, policy, data, and education.



WHAT WE DO

- Provide vision and dental exams and follow up, such as prescription eyeglasses and eye health, and oral health and services at no cost to Chicago Public Schools (CPS) students
- Through [Condoms4Schools](#) provide condoms at no cost to CPS schools serving grades 5 and up, per CPS Sexual Health Education Policy. Provide condoms to non-CPS schools in Chicago, and all of Chicago's 34 school-based health centers
- Through [Chicago Healthy Adolescents and Teens](#), CHAT, provide comprehensive, medically accurate, age-appropriate sexual health education, optional testing for sexually transmitted infections, and linkage to care services for students in grades 9-12
- Coordinate with school-based health centers, provide public health education and resources to school communities, and share data about the health of school-age children to inform programs and policies

WHO WE SERVE

- Students who live in Chicago enrolled in Chicago Public Schools, City Colleges, and other schools

IMPACT

- CPS students received 1.3 million preventive dental exams and sealants since the program launch in 2000
- CPS students received nearly 130,000 comprehensive vision exams and 74,000 pairs of eyeglasses since the program launch in 2017
- 4,743 students at 11 high schools received comprehensive, medically accurate, age-appropriate virtual sexual health education and resources through CHAT in the 2021-22 school year
- 233,270 condoms were provided to 234 unique schools in the school year 2022-23 through Condoms4Schools

OUR PARTNERS

- Chicago Public Schools
- 28 to Brush
- Ageless Eyecare
- Citywide Smiles
- Dental Caravan
- Dentists R Us
- Elliot Schlang-Mobile Dentists
- Illinois College of Optometry
- Maria Sinis, DMB. Ltd.
- Miles of Smiles
- The Oral Health Forum/Heartland Alliance
- Planned Parenthood of Illinois
- Preferred Dentists Associates
- Preferred Dental Group
- Preferred Dental Partner
- School Health Access Collaborative
- Tiny Tooth
- Tropical Optical

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