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DPI allocates \$10.9 million to support mental health resources, AODA programming in schools

Agency's SSPW team awards 219 grants to districts, consortiums, and charter schools

MADISON – The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction's Student Services/Prevention and Wellness team recently distributed \$10.9 million to support student mental health and Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse programs in schools.

"The mental health and wellness of our students and our school staff is paramount," State Superintendent Jill Underly said. "The pandemic exacerbated the existing challenges our schools and communities face when trying to address mental health needs. While these grants do not completely resolve that demand, they do provide help to schools attempting to offer additional support, resources, and services."

After completing an internal and external review process, the DPI awarded \$10,008,828 in School-Based Mental Health Services Grants to 153 applicants, representing 144 individual public school districts, eight consortiums, and three charter schools. Funding will be used to provide additional support and mental health resources to students, in collaboration with community health agencies. The program is a two-year grant aligned with Wisconsin's biennial budget. Applicants are eligible for up to \$75,000 per year over the two years with the amounts specified by the applicants. For more information on the School-Based Mental Health Services Grant Program, visit <https://dpi.wi.gov/sspw/mental-health/school-based-grant-program>. A list of program grantees follows this news release.

The DPI's AODA Program also awarded \$908,906 in competitive grants to districts for work toward prevention and intervention of alcohol, tobacco, and other drug abuse among students. Grants were awarded to 61 districts and five consortia to support 48 projects serving students. Grant funds support school programs to teach skills and supply information aimed at preventing alcohol and illegal drug use. For more information on the DPI's AODA program, visit <https://dpi.wi.gov/sspw/aoda>. A list of program grantees follows this news release.

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The DPI's SSPW team works to support Wisconsin schools by ensuring everyone is and feels healthy, safe, supported, engaged, and challenged. The team works to promote and support the development of equitable school communities through technical assistance, professional development, family engagement, and collaborations with national, state, and local resources. For more information on the SSPW team, visit <https://dpi.wi.gov/sspw>.

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NOTE: This news release is available electronically at <https://dpi.wi.gov/news/releases/2021/dpi-sspw-mental-health-aoda-grants>. A list of grant awards to LEAs follows this news release.

2021-22 School Based Mental Health Services Grants

Agency	Amount	Agency	Amount
Altoona School District	\$75,000	Hartland-Lakeside J3 School District	\$12,938
Amery School District	\$75,000	Hayward Community School District	\$75,000
Antigo Unified School District	\$72,745	Hilbert School District	\$70,383
Appleton Area School District	\$65,000	Howard-Suamico School District	\$75,000
Arcadia School District	\$75,000	Hudson School District	\$75,000
Ashland School District	\$75,000	Hurley School District	\$75,000
Ashwaubenon School District	\$75,000	Ithaca and Richland	\$75,000
Baldwin-Woodville School District	\$75,000	Janesville School District	\$75,000
Baraboo School District	\$75,000	Kenosha School District	\$75,000
Barron Area School District	\$75,000	Kettle Moraine School District	\$75,000
Bayfield School District	\$75,000	Kewaskum School District	\$51,069
Beaver Dam Unified School District	\$75,000	Kewaunee School District	\$30,891
Beloit Turner School District	\$22,686	Lomira School District School District	\$74,500
Beloit, School District	\$75,000	Luck School District	\$75,000
Berlin Area School District	\$74,896	Luxemburg-Casco School District	\$56,680
Big Foot UHS School District	\$75,000	Maple School District	\$75,000
Birchwood School District	\$55,000	Madison Metropolitan School District	\$75,000
Black River Falls School District	\$75,000	Marathon County Consortium	\$75,000
Blair-Taylor School District	\$75,000	➤ Rosholt, Abbotsford, Athens, Edgar, Marathon City and Spencer	
Brillion School District	\$75,000	Marinette School District	\$75,000
Cameron School District	\$75,000	Marshall School District	\$45,688
Campbellsport School District	\$70,500	Marshfield Unified School District	\$75,000
Cedar Grove-Belgium School District	\$69,019	McFarland School District	\$28,920
Chequamegon School District	\$36,465	Medford, Gilman and Rib Lake	\$75,000
Chilton School District	\$75,000	Mellen School District	\$75,000
Cornell School District	\$66,504	Menasha Joint School District	\$42,160
Cudahy School District	\$38,400	Menominee Indian School District	\$75,000
D C Everest Area School District	\$75,000	Menomonie Area School District	\$27,540
De Pere School District	\$75,000	Middleton-Cross Plains School District	\$75,000
Dodgeland School District	\$53,700	Milwaukee School District	\$75,000
Door County Consortium	\$75,000	Mineral Point Unified School District	\$74,310
➤ Sevastopol, Gibraltar, Southern Door, Sturgeon Bay, and Washington Island		Mosinee School District	\$75,000
East Troy Community School District	\$75,000	Mount Horeb Area School District	\$75,000
Eau Claire Area School District	\$75,000	Mukwonago School District	\$75,000
Elk Mound Area School District	\$75,000	Muskego-Norway School District	\$75,000
Elkhorn Area School District	\$75,000	Necedah Area School District	\$75,000
Ellsworth Community School District	\$75,000	Nekoosa School District	\$54,810
Elmbrook School District	\$66,150	New Berlin School District	\$75,000
Escuela Verde	\$74,982	New Holstein School District	\$72,911
Fond du Lac School District	\$75,000	New London School District	\$59,600
Fontana J8 School District	\$75,000	New Richmond School District	\$75,000
Fort Atkinson School District	\$75,000	Norris School District	\$75,000
Franklin Public School District	\$63,050	North Fond du Lac School District	\$75,000
Galesville-Ettrick-Trempealeau S.D.	\$52,310	Northwood School District	\$72,900
Genoa City J2 School District	\$24,430	Oakfield School District	\$75,000
Green Bay Area Public School District	\$75,000	Oconomowoc Area School District	\$16,000
Green Lake School District	\$56,941	Onalaska School District	\$75,000
		Oregon School District	\$75,000

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Osceola School District	\$73,966
Oshkosh Area School District	\$75,000
Palmyra-Eagle Area School District	\$49,280
Pardeeville Area School District	\$65,250
Pewaukee School District	\$62,300
Phillips School District	\$75,000
Pierce County Consortium	\$75,000
➤ Spring Valley, Elmwood and Plum City	
Pittsville School District	\$75,000
Plymouth Joint School District	\$74,993
Portage Community School District	\$64,200
Poynette School District	\$74,908
Prairie du Chien and Viroqua	\$75,000
Prairie Farm Public School District	\$14,111
Prescott School District	\$75,000
Pulaski Community School District	\$75,000
Racine Unified School District	\$75,000
Rice Lake Area School District	\$53,990
Rio Community School District	\$75,000
Ripon Area School District	\$75,000
Riverdale, Highland and North Crawford	\$75,000
Saint Croix Central School District	\$55,000
Saint Croix Falls School District	\$41,400
Seeds of Health Inc	\$75,000
Seymour Community School District	\$74,300
Shawano School District	\$66,250
Sheboygan Area School District	\$75,000
Shell Lake School District	\$60,000
Silver Lake J1 School District	\$30,630
Siren School District	\$71,450
Somerset School District	\$69,335
Southwestern Wisconsin School District	\$65,000
Sparta Area School District	\$75,000
Spooner Area School District	\$25,000
Stanley-Boyd Area School District	\$22,070
Stellar Collegiate	\$13,634
Stockbridge School District	\$75,000
Sun Prairie Area School District	\$75,000
Superior School District	\$64,960
Tomorrow River School District	\$74,948
Tri-County Area School District	\$75,000
Twin Lakes #4 School District	\$45,958
Two Rivers Public School District	\$75,000
Union Grove UHS School District	\$16,459
Unity School District	\$40,110
Verona Area School District	\$75,000
Waterloo School District	\$74,988
Watertown Unified School District	\$75,000
Waukesha School District	\$75,000
Waunakee Community School District	\$75,000
Waupaca School District	\$75,000
Waupun School District	\$60,000
Wauwatosa School District	\$12,500
Webster School District	\$74,733
West Allis-West Milwaukee S.D.	\$73,500
West De Pere School District	\$75,000
Weyauwega-Fremont School District	\$35,000

Agency	Amount
Wheatland J1 School District	\$29,996
Whitefish Bay School District	\$74,531
Wisconsin Rapids School District	\$75,000
Wrightstown Community School District	\$75,000

2021-22 Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Program Grants

Agency	Amount
Alma School District	\$16,000
Appleton Area School District	\$25,000
School District of Ashland	\$15,000
Ashwaubenon School District	\$17,499
School District of Athens	\$15,000
Beaver Dam Unified School District	\$25,000
School District of Beloit	\$25,000
School District of Beloit Turner	\$15,000
School District of Black River Falls	\$15,000
Cambridge/Deerfield Consortium	\$8,000
CESA 12	\$25,000
CESA 3	\$12,000
CESA 5	\$8,000
Clintonville School District	\$15,000
Cornell School District	\$15,000
D.C. Everest Area School District	\$25,000
Eau Claire Area School District	\$25,000
Ellsworth Community School District	\$15,000
Fond du Lac School District	\$25,000
Galesville-Ettrick-Trempealeau School District	\$5,000
Green Bay Area Public School District	\$25,000
Howard-Suamico School District	\$25,000
Hudson School District	\$25,000
Hustisford School District	\$15,000
Kenosha Unified School District	\$20,000
Lac du Flambeau #1 School District	\$15,000
School District of Lomira	\$15,000
Madison Metropolitan School District	\$25,000
School District of Maple	\$15,000
School District of Milton	\$25,000
Milwaukee Public Schools	\$45,000
School District of Monroe	\$9,860
Mount Horeb Area School District	\$15,000
Mukwonago Area School District	\$15,000
Muskego-Norway School District	\$25,000
Oconomowoc Area School District	\$25,000
Oregon School District	\$25,000
Osseo-Fairchild School District	\$15,000
Phillips School District	\$15,000
Racine Unified School District	\$20,000
Richland School District	\$15,000
Sheboygan Area School District	\$25,000
Siren School District	\$14,100
Sun Prairie Area School District	\$25,000
Two Rivers Public School District	\$15,000
School District of Waukesha	\$13,447
Waupun Area School District	\$15,000
West Allis-West Milwaukee School District	\$25,000