

School Health Advisory Council

The School Health Advisory Council (S.H.A.C.) began in 2005 here at Gladewater. Our purpose is to bring together individuals and groups from our community to address issues affecting the health and well being of our children, youth and families. The S.H.A.C. is to serve in an advisory capacity to GISD School Health Program in order to promote student performance by promoting healthy lifestyles.

Our vision is to integrate all components in promoting a safe and healthy environment conducive to learning and to produce happy productive citizens who are active throughout each phase of their lives.

These components make up a coordinated approach in the School Health Program:

Health Education	Family Community Involvement
Physical Education	Health Promotion for Staff
Health Services	Healthy School Environment
Nutrition Services	Social Services
Counseling	

The past efforts of the GISD S.H.A.C. have included Dental Screenings, Health Fairs and recommendations to the School Board.

To learn more about S.H.A.C. and what you can do to better your community, click on the website available under the contact information located on the GISD School Health Home Page right hand column.