

10 Supports to Make School Health the Norm!

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Alignment to education accountability initiatives.

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The program has **communication strategies** to secure and maintain public support.

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Environmental support- champions exist who strongly support the program.

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Organizational systems are in place to support the various program needs.

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Partnership/community engagement- diverse community organizations are invested in the success of the program.

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Program allows **adaptability** for each school/district.

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Understanding of school and community **readiness** to support a school health initiative is vital to its success and sustainability.

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Resource stability- initiative exists in a supportive economic climate.

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Strategic planning- initiative plans for future resources needs and has a sustainability plan.

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The program has the capacity for quality program **evaluation**.