

SASH

School Action for Safety and Health Program

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LOHP Mission

LOHP promotes **safe, healthy, and just** workplaces and builds the capacity of workers and worker organizations to take **action for improved working conditions.**

Our Work



Training for Action



Policy Analysis



Educational Materials and Campaigns



Community- engaged Research



The SASH Mission

The SASH program is a statewide initiative to help school districts to

- reduce injuries and illnesses among school-based workers
- comply with Cal/OSHA's Injury and Illness Prevention (IIPP) standard



SASH Partners



Administered by the Commission on Health and Safety and Workers' Compensation in the Department of Industrial Relations



Program implementation by the Labor Occupational Health Program at UC Berkeley



And the Labor Occupational Safety and Health Program at the University of California, Los Angeles



Why focus on schools?

The education industry has very low levels of fatalities but *higher levels of injuries and illnesses* than workers in other industries.

SASH Offers

- Training
- Webinars and other materials for awareness
- Newsletters
- Resource center



SASH IIPP class

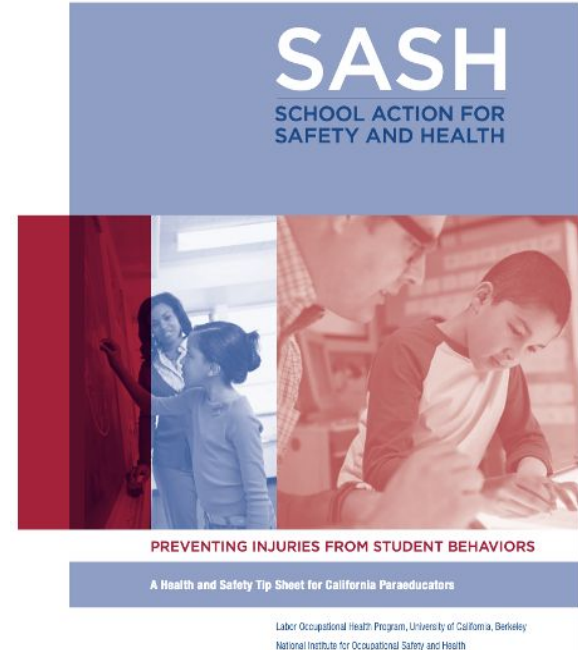
For school districts, risk managers, HR, department heads, union representatives and other workers.

Helps schools develop an effective comprehensive health and safety plan



Workshops for Paraeducators

A 1.5 hour in-person workshop for paraeducators and others affected by potentially harmful student behaviors, based on the tipsheet ***Preventing Injuries from Student Behaviors***



Webinars



Keeping Cool at School:addressing indoor and outdoor heat standards to protect workers

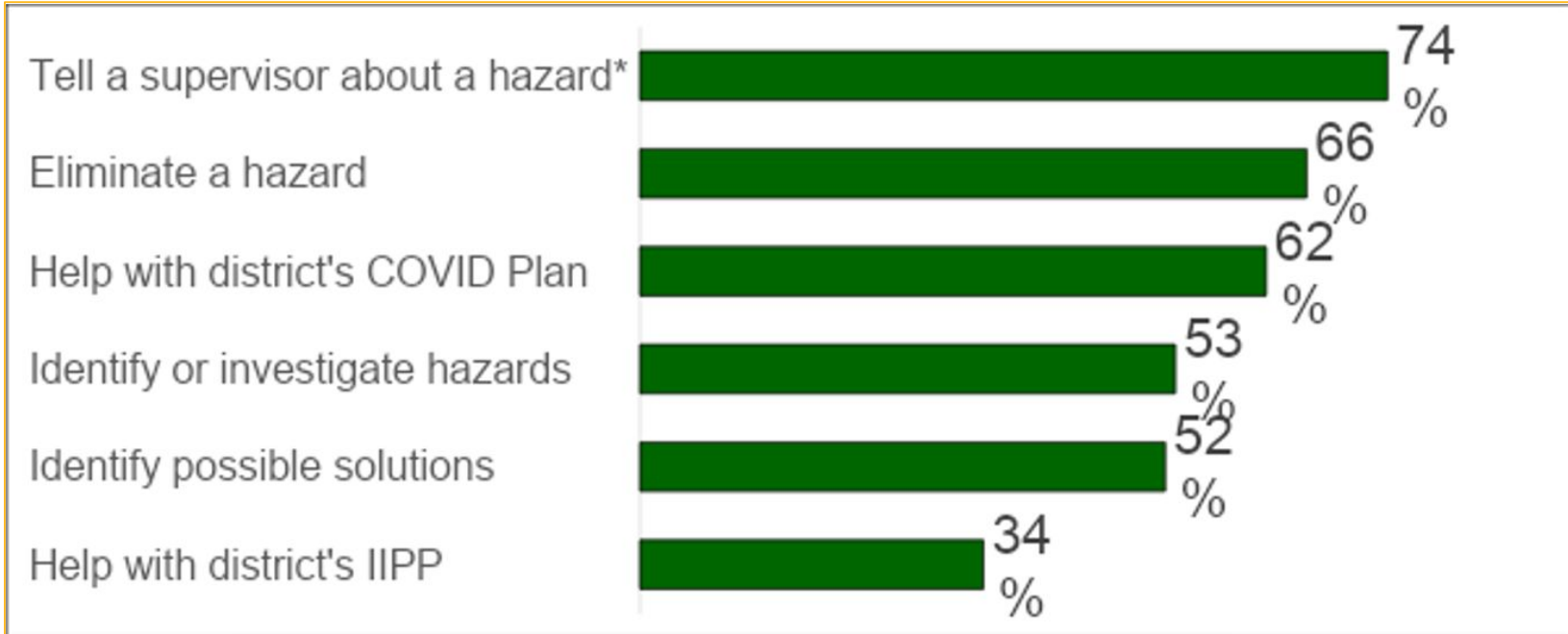
Webinars



An Occupational Safety & Health Approach to Injuries Caused
by Student Behaviors

**Evaluation: 83% of participants
reported that the class exceeded
or *greatly* **exceeded** their
expectations**

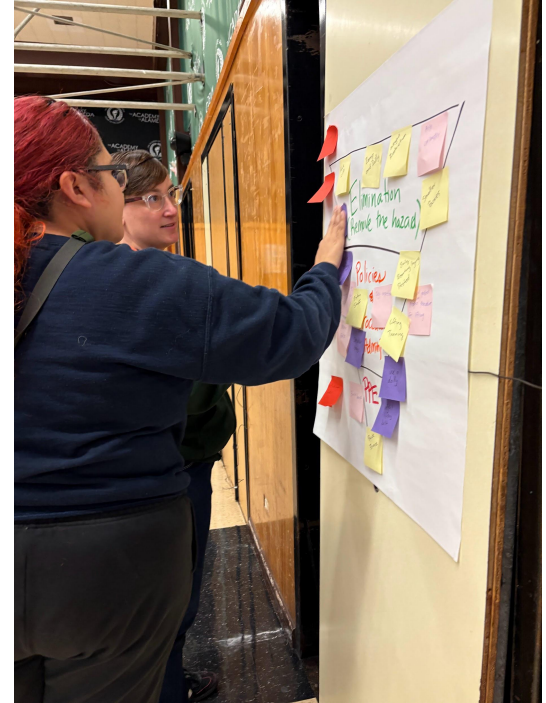
Taking Action 2 months after class



Since 2010 SASH has trained over
2,450 SASH Coordinators
in at least
44 of California's 58
counties

Highlights

- A workshop for 150 Napa Valley Unified School District paraeducators and special ed teachers
- Factsheet on indoor and outdoor heat standards for school-based workers
- Workshops at education conferences
- Expanding work with LAUSD



Directions

- Continued focus on climate crisis and injuries caused by student behaviors
- Focus on labor role in health and safety
- Reaching more occupations in school districts
- Follow up regarding changes to IIPP with specific districts



Thank you

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Hierarchy of Controls

