



Attendance and Chronic Absenteeism



New Challenges in Policy and Practice

Chronic absenteeism and truancy are ongoing problems for schools everywhere. Recent research points to significant negative impacts for students who are chronically absent, whether excused or unexcused. New policies prompted by this research create serious challenges for our school districts. In this workshop we will explore the research and the policies they have informed here in Washington. Krissy Johnson will discuss HB 2449, in its current form, and will provide some insight into proposed changes. Susan Canaga will work with participants to help interpret their district data in the context of statewide data sets. The presentation team will work with participants to begin the process of implementation planning.

February 28, 2017

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Mt. Erie room

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Presenters:

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Audience: District and building safety and risk managers/administrators.

TPEP Goals Met: Criterion 5 - Fostering and managing a safe, positive learning environment.

Clock Hours: Clock hours available through OSPI

Registration Fee: \$75 per person (includes a working lunch)

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