## ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION EDUCATIONAL SERVICES DIVISION



## RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH

CALLING ALL STUDENT LEADERSHIP GROUPS AND CLUBS INTERESTED IN PROMOTING POSITIVE MENTAL HEALTH

Do you have a group of students interested in conducting a mental health awareness activity? In-person or virtual campaigns may include Mental Health Awareness Month, Suicide Prevention Week, World Mental Health Day, or an original event of your own. If you would like free training, supplies, resources, and support to create or promote your activity, look no further! The Student Advocates for Mental Health program can support you with all your mental health awareness activity needs.



## **Participation Requirements**

- A minimum of ten students and one advisor must be involved in the planning and implementation of the awareness activity or event that intends to reach a wide school audience.
- Approval from school administration to conduct the activity and disseminate a student survey.
- Work in partnership with a school counselor or school/district mental health specialist.

The Student Advocates for Mental Health Program contributes to a Multi-Tiered System of Support and Local Control and Accountability Plan priorities by engaging students, families and community members, building social-emotional skills, and fostering a strong and positive school culture.

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