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PURPOSE OF SCHOOL SAFETY DASHBOARD

To design and implement a comprehensive School Safety Dashboard that ensures compliance with [Utah Code Section \(UCS\) 35G-6-806](#) and [UCS 53E-3-516](#). The dashboard will accurately display school safety data as identified in state code and other recommended information from workgroups, as voted upon by the Utah State Board of Education (USBE). All data displayed will protect student privacy and provide clear insights to support safe and equitable learning environments.

PURPOSE OF WORKGROUP

To identify data element(s) for recommendation to include in the School Safety Dashboard in the area of **School Responsiveness** that are aligned with at least one of the following:

- [UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report](#)
- [USBE Strategic Plan](#)
- Other Code, Statute, or Rule: _____
- The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USBE (rationale needed)

DATA ELEMENT(S) COLLECTION FOR RECOMMENDATION

Item #	Data Element for Consideration	Supporting Rationale	Additional Supporting Information
1	Parent Seminars	• UCS 53E-3-516 • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: ◦ UCS 53G-9-703 • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not currently required to report to USB E, required to do • Would like to see: ◦ Number of parent seminars ◦ Number of the listed topics covered (multi select with wording from the statute)
2	Comprehensive School Threat Assessment (CSTAG) Data	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: ◦ Senate Bill (S.B.) 51: School Safety Modifications • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not currently required to report to USB E, In Progress • S.B. 51 Requires, "The state board to collect and report on all data that LEAs submit to the state board related to: student threat information" • Would like to see: ◦ How many behavioral threat assessments has your school completed? ■ Out of those, report the breakdown of findings: • no threat, • transient threat, • substantive threat, • very serious substantive threat • (include hover definitions, possible example, and items to consider)

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3	Standard Response Protocol (SRP) Data	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USBE Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: ◦ UCS 53G-8-803 • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USBE (rationale needed)	• Not currently required to report to USBE, required to do • UCS 53G-8-803 requires schools to use SRP • Would like to see: ◦ The number of protocols executed each school year: ■ Hold ■ Secure ■ Lockdown ■ Shelter ■ Evacuate • (include hover definitions, possible example, and items to consider)
4	School Student Support Personnel (qualified grant could support some of this)	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USBE Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USBE (rationale needed)	• Not currently required to report to USBE • Would like to see: ◦ School student ratios and numbers for: ■ Nurses ■ Counselors ■ Social workers ■ Psychologists ■ Teachers • Element currently listed on the FL dashboard

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5	Dept. of Health and Human Services (DHHS) County Information	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not currently required to report to USB E • Would like to see: ◦ Substance use data ◦ Tobacco data ◦ Immunization data ◦ Violence-related data • Link to DHHS dashboard to access county information. ◦ Utah Healthy Places Index ◦ Utah Health Data Dashboards • Could also be tied to SHARP survey data ◦ SHARP survey is opt-in • Element currently listed on the FL dashboard
6	Youth Suicide Rate	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not currently required to report to USB E • Rate of deaths from suicide among 5-19 year olds per 1000 children age 5-19 ◦ Would need to work with Dr. Staley (DHHS/Office of Medical Examiner (OME)) for this information • Element currently listed on the FL dashboard

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7	Per Pupil Expenditure	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Expenditures per full-time equivalent student • Include the graph comparison to the state average • Include WPU rate for each school (aggregate of base rate plus all add-ons) • Possible dashboard that we can link to: https://spending-map-dash-main-976765884517.us-west3.run.app/ ◦ There are other data points they track that may be useful related to spending • Element currently listed on the FL dashboard
8	SafeUT	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not currently required to report to USB E • Utilization data per LEA and/or school ◦ # of chats ◦ # of tips & top tip categories • Could mirror their dashboard (would need SafeUT permissions/integrations) • Example of public state-wide dashboard (SafeUT)

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9	Screening	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: ◦ UCS 53F-2-522 ◦ R277-625 • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Conditionally required to report to USB E • Legislative report includes: ◦ the approximate number of students that were screened in each participating LEA the previous school year; ◦ the approximate number of students referred to additional services or for whom intervention was required; ◦ the names and number of: ■ participating LEAs; ■ non-participating LEAs; and ◦ an overview of how participating LEAs utilized distributed funds; • Superintendent's report includes: ◦ aggregate data regarding the types of LEA provided mental health interventions, referrals, or other actions taken based on screener results.

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10	Early Warning Systems (EWS)	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: ◦ UCS 53F-4-207 ◦ R277-627 • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Required to report to USB E, but in progress • LEAs are required to generate annual impact reports using aggregate, de-identified data ◦ # of students meeting LEA thresholds for targeted teacher support ■ # of students who are on track for academics, attendance, behavior, discipline, safety, course failures • # of intervention plans developed
11	Return to Learn integration	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not required for LEAs • Hover definition for Return to Learn • Link to the policies and support in place for students returning from: ◦ Medical illness ◦ Foster care ◦ Residential treatment ◦ Etc. • SafeUT Tip numbers for Return to Learn tip category

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12	School use of seclusion room	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: ◦ S.B. 181 (2026) • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Required to report to USB E, in progress • Does the school have/use a seclusion room • establish data collection and reporting requirements for an LEA regarding: ◦ incidents of seclusion; ◦ alternative interventions used; ◦ incident outcomes
13	Prevention and tiered supports	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not required for LEAs • List of Universal supports • List of Prevention programs • Do they have an MTSS / PBIS implementation? ◦ Ratios of tier 2 and tier 3 intervention services • List of Clubs • List of After school programs • List of Community partners

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14	Youth in Care (YIC) Interventions	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Youth in Care - USB E Data Gateway • SIS systems have built indicators for “YIC” status • Conditionally required to be reported: We track only 26 districts that apply for funding ○ Number of Placement Changes (YTD) ○ Number of Behavior Referrals ○ Intervention Start Timeliness ■ How quickly the school responds once a need is identified ○ Number of Mentor or Support Contacts • DHHS shares overall data, meaning all students who are considered “YIC,” statewide, not just the 26 districts but we do not have access to that live data, and DHHS ultimately uses UTREx data to match which has been very low. So as of right now the source of truth data is USB E YIC data, we will be in the future looking into fixing this issue.

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15	Number of Notices received by Courts/ Number of Reintegration Plans executed	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Juvenile courts are required to send them to LEAs, LEAs receive them but are not required to report numbers of plans to USB E • Juvenile Courts keep a record of letters sent out and probation officers are reporting how many meetings they are invited too (there could be a lot of grey area to this) • Student “backpack” in schools SIS system will include reintegration indicators, this could be a great way to pull that data in the future to show how many students were given a reintegration plan in a particular district.
16	Check and Connect (C&C) Mentors	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Required to report YIC C&C mentors, but not any others ◦ # of YIC C&C mentors • # of prevention C&C mentors • # of interventions provided by C&C mentors • # of home visits done by C&C mentors

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17	TIMELINESS RESPONSIVENESS How quickly the school responds to, documents, and reports required incidents	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Not required to collect or report universally • Incident Response Timeliness ◦ Time from incident occurrence → investigation closed • Reporting Timeliness ◦ Percentage of incidents entered within 24 hours ◦ Percentage of incidents validated within 3 school days ◦ Percentage of required data elements completed before submission to LEA
18	Referrals to Outside Services	• UCS 53E-3-516: School disciplinary and law enforcement action report • USB E Strategic Plan • Other Code, Statute, or Rule: • The best interest of public knowledge and helpful to parents, as determined by USB E (rationale needed)	• Conditionally required to report to USB E for SBMH Screening • Number of referrals for students to outside mental health services