

# Teen Telehealth Demonstration & Evaluation Project



## Project Overview

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Division of Adolescent and School Health (CDC/DASH) would like to learn how healthcare providers partner with schools to provide telehealth services to teens. CDC/DASH, and their contractor ICF, will collaborate with El Rio Health to determine how telehealth may expand access to health services for students at your school.

## Your Role as a School

Your school plays a key role in increasing access to health services for young people. We would like to work with you to understand how telehealth is implemented and to assess whether students use the services.

## Student Survey

Project staff from ICF would like to administer a survey at your school. With parental consent as needed, we will ask students to voluntarily complete a 10-minute, anonymous survey during the 2022-2023 school year. The survey will include items about:

- Perceptions about telehealth
- Health behaviors
- Access to services via telehealth
- Use of health services via telehealth
- Self-efficacy in using telehealth

This survey data will be used to assess whether telehealth has increased access to health services among students.

Because of changes to in-person activities due to the COVID-19 pandemic, ICF will work closely with designated school staff to determine the best timing and methods for collecting consent forms, and administering surveys. Project staff will offer a small token of appreciation to students who complete the survey.

## For additional questions, please contact

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## Next Steps

Project staff from ICF and/or El Rio will follow up with your school to discuss your interest in participating in the Telehealth Demonstration Project and to decide on next steps.