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TCDSB Mental Health Advisory Council

- **Terms of Reference**

As school boards continue to develop and implement strategies and initiatives to meet Ministry requirements in support of Provincial Student Mental Health, it is expected that they will consult with different stakeholders.

1. The Mental Health Advisory Council is an Advisory Council of TCDSB providing input and advice on Ministry of Education policy and strategies, as well as TCDSB guidelines and strategies pertaining to student mental health.
2. The Council receives presentations on a variety of Student Mental Health topics, and reviews metrics for monitoring, reviewing and evaluating the effectiveness of board policies, procedures, and strategies.
3. Various employee and stakeholder group representatives can bring forth information related to student mental health for consideration.
4. The composition of the Council includes representatives from parents, students, teachers, support staff, principals, and vice principals, community members, and trustees.
5. Representatives serve on the committee for a school year (one year) term.
6. Presently, representatives from the following groups comprise the committee. :
 - Association of Professional Student Support Services (APSSP)
 - Canadian Union of Public employees (CUPE)
 - Elementary Principals Association (T CPA)
 - Elementary Vice Principals Association (TCVPA)
 - Secondary Principals Association (SSPA)
 - Secondary Vice Principals Association (SSVPA)
 - Toronto Secondary Unit (TSU)
 - Toronto Elementary Catholic Teachers (TECT)

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- Trustees
- Parents
- Student - Mental Health Student Advisory Council (SMHAC)
- Catholic Students Leadership Impact Team (CSLIT)
- Community -Toronto Central – Local Health Integration network(TC-LHIN),
Mental Health Advocacy Representative
- Chief Psychologist (TCDSB)
- Superintendent of Student Achievement and Well-being (Special Services)

Dates for the Mental Health Advisory Council Meetings

Date	Time	Location
Nov. 15, 2017	5:30 pm to 7:30 pm	M. Cornacchia Meeting Rm. (Formerly Small Committee Rm.)
Dec. 13, 2017	5:30 pm to 7:30 pm	Same as above
Feb. 21, 2018	5:30 pm to 7:30 pm	Same as above
April 25, 2018	5:30 pm to 7:30 pm	Same as above
May 30, 2018	5:30 pm to 7:30 pm	Same as above