

Do you see your child showing any of these behaviors ?

- **Withdrawing from family, friends, and/or activities**
- **Changing friends**
- **Feeling Sad**
- **Talking about hurting themselves**
- **Acting aggressively**
- **Not following directions at home and/or school**
- **Not completing school work**
- **Increased absenteeism**

Are you concerned about your child's reaction to...?

- **Recent death of a loved one**
- **Divorce of parents**
- **Family relocation**
- **Other traumatic events**

BIG SPRING SCHOOL DISTRICT

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BIG SPRING SCHOOL DISTRICT ELEMENTARY CARE TEAM

We are a team of elementary school personnel who have been trained and are committed to helping students minimize barriers to learning . If you'd like to make a referral, please contact your building's School Counselor.



ELEMENTARY CARE TEAM

How do I contact the Elementary Care Team?

- If you have any questions about Care Team or you feel your child may need help, contact your building's School Counselor at elemcareteam@bigspring.k12.pa.us

What happens after my child is referred to the Elementary Care Team?

- An Elementary Care Team member will contact you regarding your child's referral to the program.
- You will be asked to sign a permission form to proceed with the Care Team process and complete a checklist of your concerns. Your participation is voluntary.
- The Elementary Care Team will also gather information from teachers to determine how your child is doing in their classroom.
- The team will work with you throughout the confidential process of developing an action plan to best help your child achieve success inside and outside of the classroom.

Team Members may include:

- Elementary Principals
- Elementary School Counselors
- School Resource Officer
- Home and School Visitor
- School Psychologist
- CASSP Worker
- School Nurse
- Classroom Teachers
- Instructional Coach
- Cumberland/Perry Drug and Alcohol Liaison (as needed)



Elementary Care Team Resources

- CASSP (Child and Adolescent Service System Program) - Elementary-based partnership to connect families to local resources and completes mental health assessments as needed.
 - (717) 574-7327
- Cumberland/Perry Drug and Alcohol Commission—provides substance abuse prevention, intervention and treatment services to all eligible Cumberland and Perry County residents.
 - (717) 240-6300 or 866-240-6300

If you or someone you know is experiencing a mental health emergency, please call The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-8255, Crisis at (717) 243-6005, or call 911.