ADAMH SCHOOL INVESTMENTS

ADAMH FUNDS PREVENTION PROGRAMS IN EVERY PUBLIC FRANKLIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT!
Types of Services Offered:
- Consultation with Students, Parents and School Personnel
- Assessment, Referral and Linkage
- Mental Health Services on Site
- Parent Education
- Crisis Support and Intervention
- Suicide Prevention Education
- Professional Development of School Personnel
- Student Small Groups
  - Anger Management
  - Social Skills
  - Self-esteem
  - Self-regulation
  - Grief

Education Programs:
- Botvin Lifeskills Training Program (LST) - a research-validated substance abuse prevention program proven to reduce the risks of alcohol, tobacco, drug abuse, and violence by targeting the major social and psychological factors that promote the initiation of substance use and other risky behaviors. This comprehensive program provides youth with the confidence and skills necessary to successfully handle challenging situations.
- Incredible Years - a series of interlocking, evidence-based programs that work to prevent and treat young children’s behavior problems and promote their social, emotional, and academic competence.

WHITEHALL CITY SCHOOLS

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ADAMH Public School Investments:
Research shows that 1 in 5 youth have a diagnosable mental health disorder. Only 20% of those receive treatment. We also know that 50% of lifetime mental health disorders start by age 14. Early identification and intervention is essential for positive outcomes.

The Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Board of Franklin County has partnered with all of the public school districts in Franklin County to provide prevention, early intervention and treatment services to students by providing funding for certified mental health and addiction providers to be available for support in each district.

Ohio Guidestone (OGS) will provide prevention services for the Whitehall City School district that are intended to promote social, emotional and academic competence. OGS will work with school personnel to identify students at risk of developing mental health disorders and/or substance use disorders. Students, parents and school personnel will be provided with access to services that will work to increase awareness and knowledge of mental health and substance use signs and symptoms, along with providing access to support. Through this partnership, ADAMH aims to reduce the incidents of mental health disorders and the onset of substance use in youth.

About ADAMH
ADAMH is Franklin County’s authority for planning, funding and evaluating mental health, alcohol and drug use prevention and treatment services. ADAMH-funded services are provided by a local network of more than 30 not-for-profit providers.

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Note: Services provided to each school are specialized based on their unique needs and are flexible to respond to emerging needs.