

# EHCY Padlet #3

Types of Collaborations

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## Creating Awareness

**Providing professional development program for district staff**

**Emailing statistics of homeless students to school staff for awareness**

**Present to teachers/aides/TAs/Admin about McKinney Vento families - impacts of homelessness, identifying students, etc.**

## Coordinating Services

**Have counseling available for students**

**Reaching out to Thrift Stores**

Local food banks

We are meeting with the shelter in our area on a monthly basis

## Obtaining Resources

Partnership with Neighbor's link

Filling in the blanks food program to provide the students with food for the weekend

**Coordination with the County offices that support our families/community**

**Finding the information to share is a challenge, where can I get NYS homeless stats to share**

We have developed a relationship with a platform that refers families to different services in the community

Homeless clothing boutiques

## Aligning Policies & Procedures

**We copied the NYS Homeless information to our own policies is that acceptable?**

## Conducting Cross-Agency Policy Work

**BOCES work collaboratively with districts to ensure full day students are identified and information is shared**

## Other

**Donations for hygiene products are given to me (School Counselor/Homeless Liaison)**

Can title 1 funds be used for student lunch account debt?

**Can we fund our Backpack Club with Title I Funds for homeless students?**

Donations at school from staff and families for families in need

# clothing drives for families

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