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Compliance with Heat and Illness Prevention Plan

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To: EveryoneList@wccusd.net

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Good Morning Everyone,

As part of WCCUSD commitment to ensuring the safety and well-being of our employees, we need to stay in compliance with both the Heat and Illness Prevention plan and the Injury and Illness Prevention plan mandated by Cal/OSHA. This involves promoting frequent intake of water and ensuring a sufficient amount of portable drinking water is available for all employees during the hot summer days.

Employees must have access to water at a rate of one quart per hour throughout the entire work shift. Water should be placed as close as practicable to where employees are working. Simply placing water in designated shade areas or near toilet facilities may not be sufficient. During hot weather, the water must be cooler than the ambient temperature but not so cool as to cause discomfort. Including ice can help maintain a comfortable temperature.

Additionally, access to shade, weather monitoring, and acclimatization procedures, including high heat procedures, are crucial components of our safety measures.

If your department would like to order water and ice from Food Services, please contact:

- Barbara Jellison, Director of Food Services at bjellison@wccusd.net
- Brent Goodman, Food Service Operations Assistant at bgoodman@wccusd.net

Please note that there will be a fee for purchasing water and ice from the Food Service Department.

Furthermore, please review the attached documents regarding the Heat and Illness Prevention by Cal/OSHA, as well as the WCCUSD Heat and Illness Prevention plan and the Injury and Illness Prevention plan for the 24-25 fiscal year.

Thank you all for your attention to these important matters. Wishing everyone a happy and safe 4th of July!

Best regards,

WCCUSD

Human Resources Safety Department

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3 attachments

- Cal-Osha Heat-Illness-Prevention-Reminder Training.pdf 2575K
- WCCUSD-Heat Illness Prevention 24-25 FY.pdf 566K
- WCCUSD Illness and Injury Prevention Plan 24-25 FY.pdf 686K