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School Wellness

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With the passage of the 2004 Childhood Nutrition and WIC Reauthorization Act, school districts across the United States are working on Local Wellness Policies. This program will address the federal requirements and the approach New York State recommends to schools. The goal is to create healthy school environments and increase the availability of healthy choices while combating obesity. The speakers will discuss resources from the New York State Education Department and Department of Health to assist schools in the development and implementation of local wellness policies. They will also highlight survey results from schools working with New York State's Action for Healthy Kids' SPIN (Schools and Professionals in Nutrition) program.

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Intended Audience: Public health practitioners, nutritionists, nurses, allied health professionals, policy makers, and school administrators, principals, teachers, food service directors and parents.

Objectives: Participants will:

- Understand how the school environment can positively or negatively impact childhood obesity
- Learn about the experience of some NYS schools in the development and implementation of policy
- Learn about effective approaches used to improve nutrition environment in schools

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