



Healthiest Next Generation

June 2014

Senate Bill 6002 provides funding for the Department of Health (DOH), Early Learning (DEL), and the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) to work with partners to support Washington's Healthiest Next Generation efforts. Experts in each of these agencies will form a strategic workgroup (workgroup) under the guidance of the Transforming Washington Communities Leadership Team.

Mission/Purpose: To create healthy schools, communities, and early learning environments where children have access to healthy food and drinking water, are physically active, and have limited screen time.

Target Populations: Children ages birth to 18, parents, school professionals, child care and early learning professionals, community organizations.

Services

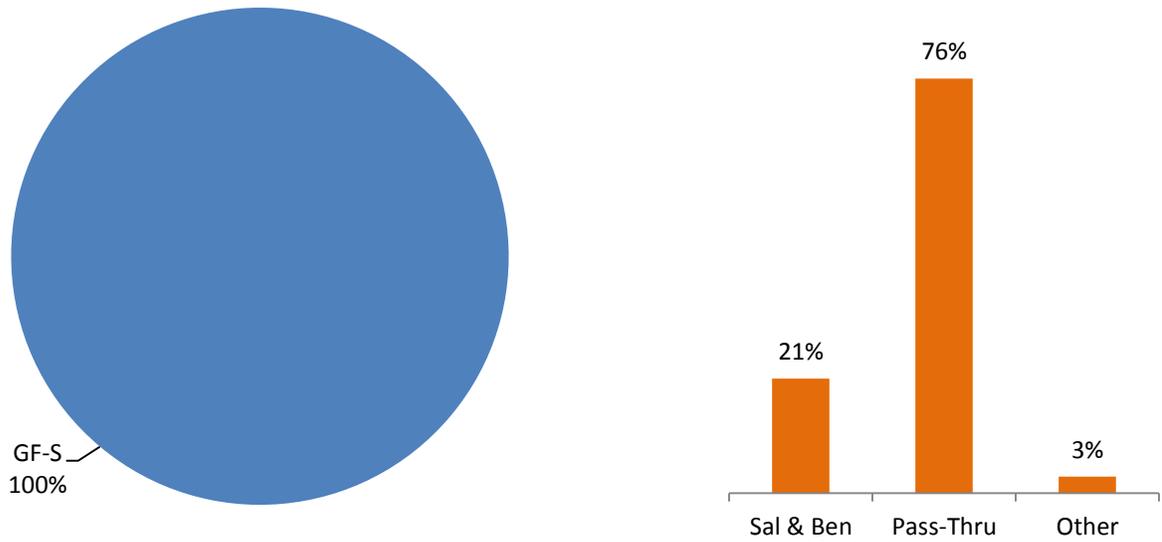
- DOH will execute interagency agreements with OSPI and DEL to hire full-time obesity prevention coordinators.
- DOH will coordinate strategic workgroup, communication to Transforming Washington Communities Leadership team, performance metrics, and development of reports.
- Workgroup will identify programs across Washington that have demonstrated success in increasing physical activity and access to healthy food and drinking water for expansion or replication.
- OSPI and DEL will provide toolkits and mentoring for early learning and school professionals with strategies to encourage children to be active, eat healthy food, have access to drinking water, and minimize screen time.
- DEL will enhance performance standards for the early childhood education and assistance program to include best practices on healthy eating and physical activity, nutrition education activities in written curriculum plans, and the incorporation of healthy eating, physical activity, and screen time education into parent education.
- OSPI will revise statewide guidelines for schools for quality health and fitness education.
- Workgroup will establish performance metrics aligned with respective agencies and Results Washington.
- Workgroup will collaborate with the governor or the governor's designee, chairs or designee of the appropriate legislative committees, other state or local agencies and private businesses, and community organizations or individuals with expertise in child health, nutrition, and fitness.
- Workgroup will develop and submit reports to the governor and the appropriate committees of the legislature.

Stakeholders

- Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction
- Department of Early Learning
- Governor's Office
- Parent Teacher Associations
- School and early learning professionals
- Community organizations

2013-2015 Biennium

Healthiest Next Generation Fiscal Information



	GF-S	Federal	Dedicated	Fees	Total	Sal & Ben	Pass-Thru	Other
Total	329,723	0	0	0	329,723	67,869	252,000	9,854

Recent Funding History

2013-15 biennium:

- We received \$350,000 GF-S proviso funding in the 2014 supplemental budget. This amount includes indirects.