

CHOICES Community of Practice: **May Coffee Chat Resource Round Up**

This document compiles resources and information shared during the May 19, 2022 coffee chat.

May Coffee Chat: Improving Drinking Water Equity & Access in Schools

Thursday, May 19 from 1:00pm – 1:50pm ET

This coffee chat featured partners from California who participated in the CHOICES Learning Collaborative Partnership. The partners shared their [findings](#) from evaluating the potential cost-effectiveness of a strategy to improve access to drinking water in California schools. We discussed how improving access to safe and appealing drinking water in schools and communities is a key strategy for helping children grow up healthy.

Resources shared by partners

The following resources were shared to help partners learn more on how to improve access to safe, quality drinking water in schools.

[During COVID-19 and Beyond: Increasing Drinking Water Availability in Schools](#)

Alliance for a Healthier Generation and National Drinking Water Alliance

[Berkeley Healthy Beverage Project](#)

Bay Area Nutrition & Physical Activity Collaborative

[Water Access in Schools Microlearning Modules](#)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[CalFresh Healthy Living Recipes for Drinks & Smoothies](#)

California Department of Public Health and CalFresh Healthy Living

[Rethink Your Drink Day](#)

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[What's Your Beverage Breakdown?](#)

California Department of Public Health and CalFresh Healthy Living Rethink Your Drink Day

[National Drinking Water Alliance](#) (houses multiple [fact sheets](#))

National Drinking Water Alliance coordinated by Nutrition Policy Institute, University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources

[Assessing Quality of Water Access](#)

National Drinking Water Alliance

[Effective Access to Water in Schools](#)

National Drinking Water Alliance

[Healthy Hydration: Ensuring Access to Safe Water in Schools](#)

National Drinking Water Alliance

[Letter: Child Nutrition Reauthorization](#)

National Drinking Water Alliance

[Put Water on MyPlate](#)

National Drinking Water Alliance

[NOPREN Drinking Water Work Group](#)

Nutrition & Obesity Policy Research and Evaluation Network (NOPREN)

[Turn on the Tap! School Drinking Water Access During COVID-19 Pandemic and Beyond](#)

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[Potter the Otter Loves to Drink Water](#)

Potter the Otter

[County of Santa Clara Healthy Worksite Program: Toolkit and Implementation Guide](#)

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CHOICES Project Resources

The following are resources related to water consumption that are available on the CHOICES Project website (www.choicesproject.org).

[Strategy Profile: Promoting Water Consumption in Schools](#)

The CHOICES Project

[Brief: Improving Drinking Water Equity and Access in California Schools](#)

The CHOICES Project

[Peer-Reviewed Publication: Cost-effectiveness of Water Promotion Strategies in Schools](#)

The CHOICES Project (Read a [summary here](#))