

National Health Education Standards Revision Timeline

Standards are an important part of curriculum development. This timeline is a brief overview of the revision process for the 2024 SHAPE America National Health Education Standards.

**Sept.
2021**

LAUNCH OF REVISION TASK FORCE

The National Health Education Standards Task Force was composed of a diverse group of stakeholders from K-12, higher education, and national health education organizations.

A PHILOSOPHICAL FOUNDATION

Task force members spent time developing a strong philosophical foundation for the standards, reviewing initial feedback (collected through surveys and a town hall) and current research, investigating best practices, and determining the needs of the field.



**March
2023**

FIRST DRAFT OF NATIONAL HE STANDARDS

After spending time building consensus, the task force revised the standards, rationale, and performance indicators before releasing a first draft for public review and comment.

SYNTHESIZING FEEDBACK

Task force members synthesized all the feedback from convention sessions, a town hall, and the public review and comment survey, then worked to revise the standards, rationale, and performance indicators based on the feedback.



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**Sept.
2023**

SECOND DRAFT OF NATIONAL HE STANDARDS

After further review and revisions, the task force presented a second draft, which was widely disseminated during the second round of public review and comment.

ANALYZING ADDITIONAL FEEDBACK

Task force members analyzed the comments from the second round of public review and comment to determine final revisions to the standards, rationale, and performance indicators.



**Dec.
2023**

FINAL DRAFT OF NATIONAL HE STANDARDS

The task force finalized the standards, rationale, and performance indicators based on feedback from the final round of public review and comment.

**March
2024**

RELEASE OF THE 2024 SHAPE AMERICA NATIONAL HEALTH EDUCATION STANDARDS

The new National Health Education Standards were released at the 2024 SHAPE America National Convention & Expo in Cleveland.



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