

The mission of the Pennsylvania Network for Student Assistance Program (SAP) is to provide leadership for developing a safe and drug-free environment and mental health wellness in schools and communities across the Commonwealth. Barriers to learning will be removed and student academic achievement will be enhanced through collaborative prevention, intervention, and post-intervention services.

#### The SAP Process:

- Referral is made by any member of the school and surrounding community.
- SAP team meets on a weekly basis
- Team gathers data/information
- Assign a case manager for each referral
- Parent permission needed to continue
- Review data
- Talk to the student
- Team meets again
  - Decide on interventions-school as well as outside agencies
- Updates from case manager/follow through/and aftercare.