

## **NOTICE**

### **School Health and Related Services (SHARS)**

#### **FFY 2022 Informal Appeals: Status Requests**

Reminder: Informal appeals submitted to HHSC by Local Education Agencies (LEAs) for federal fiscal year (FFY) 2022 are processed on a rolling basis. Decision letters for informal appeals are also sent to LEAs on a rolling basis.

HHSC will not send decision letters or comment on the status of appeals to non-LEA employees, including entities contracted with the LEA directly.

**If a LEA submitted a FFY22 informal appeal and has not yet received a decision letter, the review process is still ongoing.**

- LEAs will be notified when their reviews are complete.
- Please note that there is a much higher volume of informal appeals for the FFY22 cost report than in previous years.

For questions regarding this notice, please contact the HHSC SHARS staff at (512) 730-7400 or email us at [ProviderFinanceSHARS@hhs.texas.gov](mailto:ProviderFinanceSHARS@hhs.texas.gov).

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