Survey Questions

It is crucial to elicit staff’s reaction after they have been given time to learn together about the prevalence of trauma and its impacts, the need for trauma-sensitive schools and the importance of a school wide approach. This survey is designed to be administered to ALL staff at the conclusion of their professional development on these topics.

1. What are your reactions to the information that you have received?

2. What ideas do you have for weaving trauma-sensitivity into the fabric of our school?

3. What challenges or barriers must we overcome in order to create a trauma-sensitive environment at our school?

The responses to the survey questions can indicate whether the staff are beginning to integrate their new understanding and whether they see a need for new ways of thinking and acting. Taken together, the staff responses shed light on the staff’s readiness to move the work forward.