

BCHF participates in National Authorizer Leadership Team

Buckeye Community Hope Foundation (BCHF) is proud to be one of eleven esteemed authorizing organizations from across the country to comprise the National Authorizer Leadership Team (NALT) working with the National Charter Schools Institute through a recently awarded federal Charter Schools Program (CSP) grant.

The "A-Game" is a three-year project designed to strengthen authorizing, encourage innovation, and promote rigorous and personalized performance measures for charter schools, with a special focus on alternative -- dropout prevention and recovery (DOPR) -- schools.

Jennifer Schorr, associate director in BCHF's Education Division, is working as part of the NALT to develop and disseminate open source tools and resources to increase the number of authorizers using quality oversight for alternative schools. The project team will help authorizers across the country evolve their practices towards a performance-based, personalized approach that holistically evaluates schools and focuses on the ultimate goal of ensuring all students receive the education they need to pursue and achieve their dreams.

"We're very proud to have been asked to join this highly focused group of experts as part of this grant," Schorr said.

