

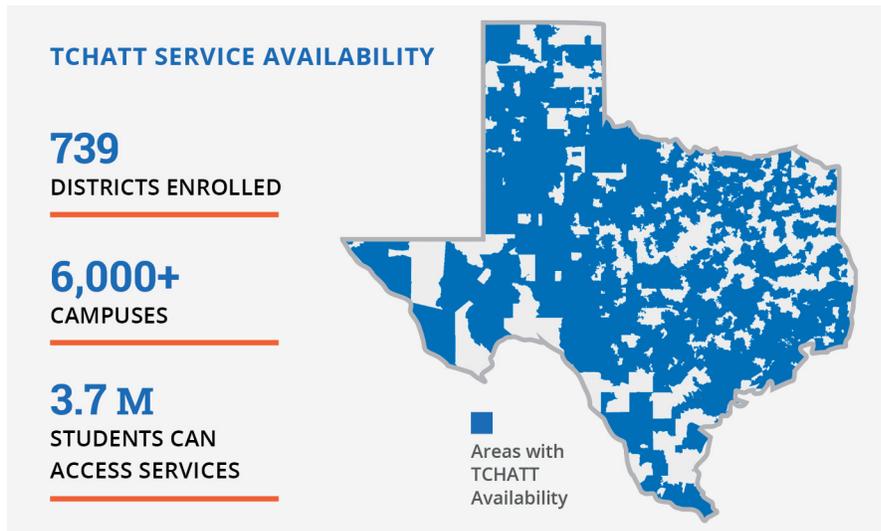
School Safety & Security

Supporting Safer Schools

Ensuring the safety of Texas students, educators, and campus staff is paramount. With a combination of legislative initiatives and regional support, Texas is creating a comprehensive approach to school safety. Based in seven sectors throughout Texas, TEA's technical assistance team visits schools every day, offering support and expertise to help schools bolster their safety measures. The Texas Legislature continues to enact policies and allocate resources for Texas school systems to enhance safety measures and safeguard their campuses.

Supporting Mental Health

The Texas Child Health Access Through Telemedicine (TCHATT)⁸ initiative, with funding provided through higher education medical institutions, is available for every school system in the state. With permission from parents, referrals from educators allow for access to trained mental health professionals. Currently, over 700 school systems have opted in, including 90% of rural districts.



2022-25 Funding to Secure Texas Schools

