The School-Based Health Centers program was founded in 1994 as a community outreach to underprivileged school-aged children. In collaboration with the BHHS Legacy Foundation, St. Vincent de Paul Dental Clinic and the Legacy Foundation Chris-Town YMCA, the program provides preventative and primary medical and dental care to children who are uninsured and under served.

The program consists of five licensed clinic sites in four school districts, along with a mobile health unit that serves 141 community schools. The School-Based Health Centers provide medical services to more than 3,500 children and dental services to more than 2,000 children annually.

SERVICES
- Diagnosis/treatment of major and minor illnesses (diabetes, asthma, seizure disorders, etc.)
- Physical exams, well child check-ups
- Referrals to hospitals, specialty physicians, immunization clinics, mental health services, radiology and lab
- Preventative and restorative dental services including cleanings, sealants and oral health education
- Medications and prescriptions
- Health education including nutrition, exercise, and the dangers of drugs, alcohol and tobacco

The School-Based Health Centers Program in conjunction with the Phoenix Baptist Hospital Family Medicine Center Residency Program, operates a bi-monthly evening and after hours clinic. Staffed by volunteers and located at the Legacy Foundation Chris-Town YMCA, the clinic provides free medical services to uninsured and uninsurable community members. For more information or an opportunity to volunteer, please call 602.246.5597.