

CSI ESSER III- Safe Return to Learn Plan

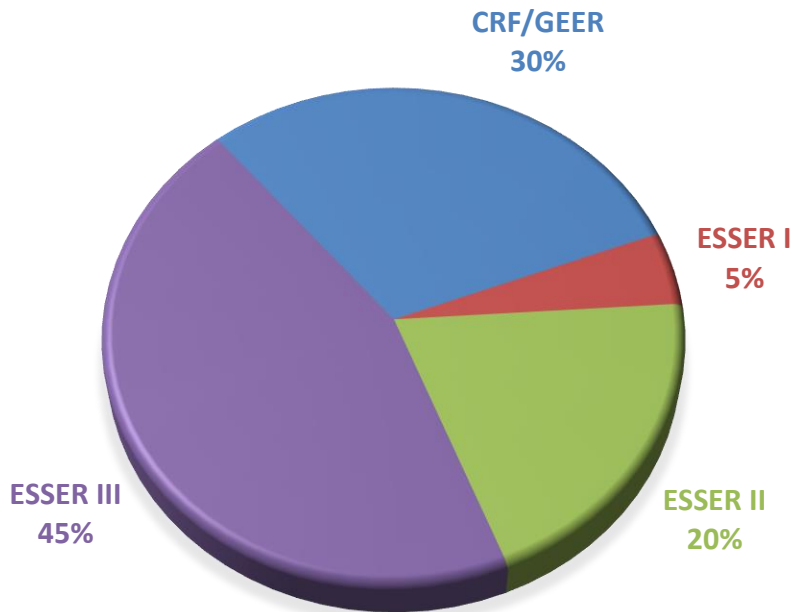
CSI Board Meeting
November 16, 2021



2020-21 Recap



CSI COVID-19 Funding



- \$31.7M to CSI and CSI schools
- Over 16x CSI's annual Title 1A allocation



ESSER Summary

- Elementary and Secondary Education Emergency Relief
- All CDE resources for COVID related funding:
<https://www.cde.state.co.us/caresact>

ESSER I

- \$1.5M
- Application approved, spending in progress
- Award period ends Sept 30, **2022**

ESSER II

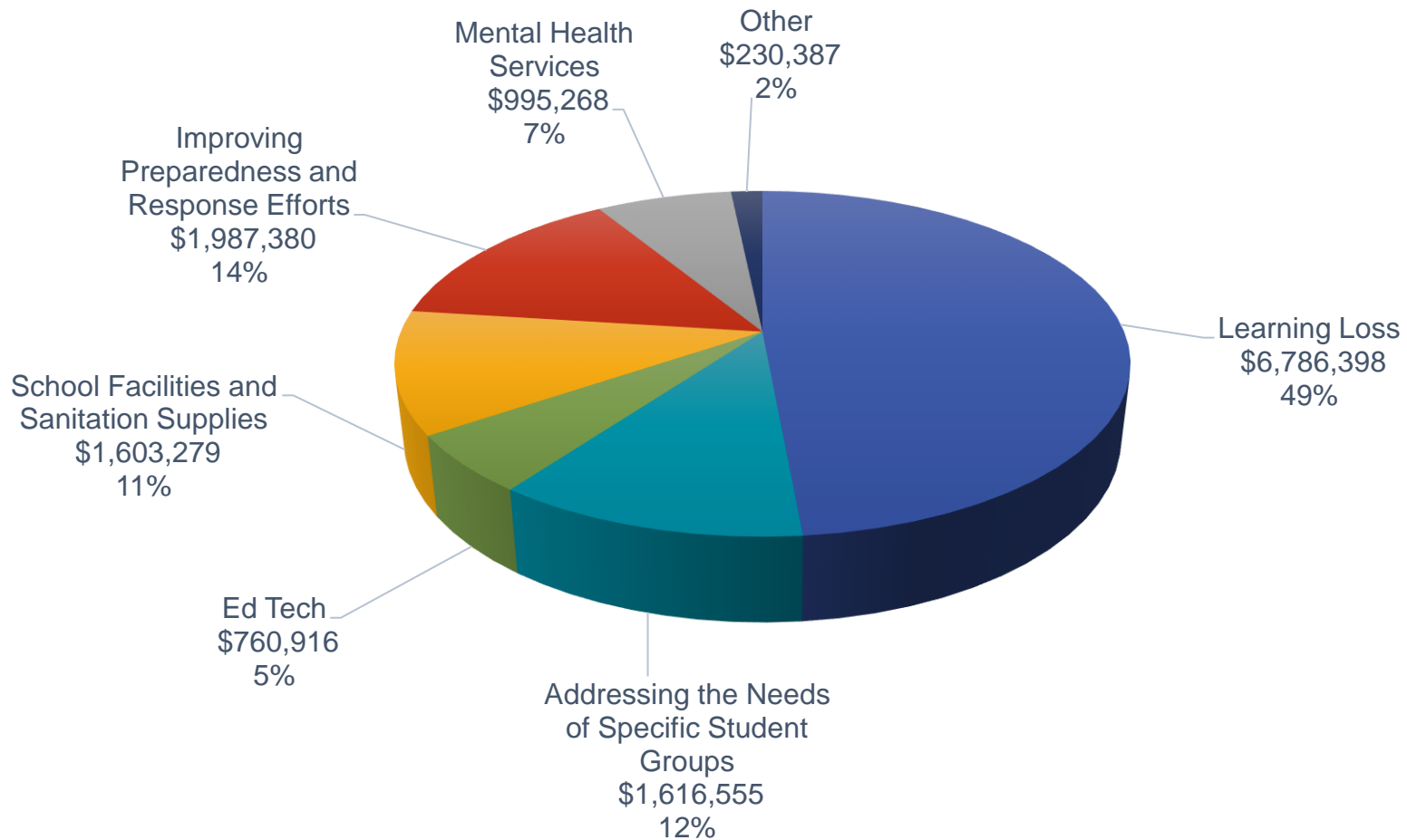
- \$6.3M
- Application approved, spending in progress
- Award period ends Sept 30, **2023**

ESSER III

- \$14.2M
- School applications submitted to CSI
- CSI to submit to CDE Nov 19 tentatively
- Award period ends Sept 30, **2024**



ESSER III – Fund use



2020-21 CSI School Covid Response Plans



◆ LEARNING MODALITY

- In Person
- Remote
- Hybrid
- Scheduling
- Synchronous
- Asynchronous

◆ VIRUS MITIGATION

- Masks
- Social Distancing
- Cohorting
- Staggered Start
- Sanitation
- Air Circulation

◆ HEALTH MANDATES

- Masking
- Quarantine
- Social Distancing
- Capacity Limits





2020-21 CSI School Supports

◆ Public Health Communication

- Information
- Access to PH Officials
- Information Sessions

◆ Supply Chain Support

- Masks
- Gloves, Disinfectant
- Rapid Tests



◆ CSI Staff Support Contact

- Regular Communication with School Leaders
- Support interpreting public health guidance
- Learning Plan change review

◆ Student and Staff Needs

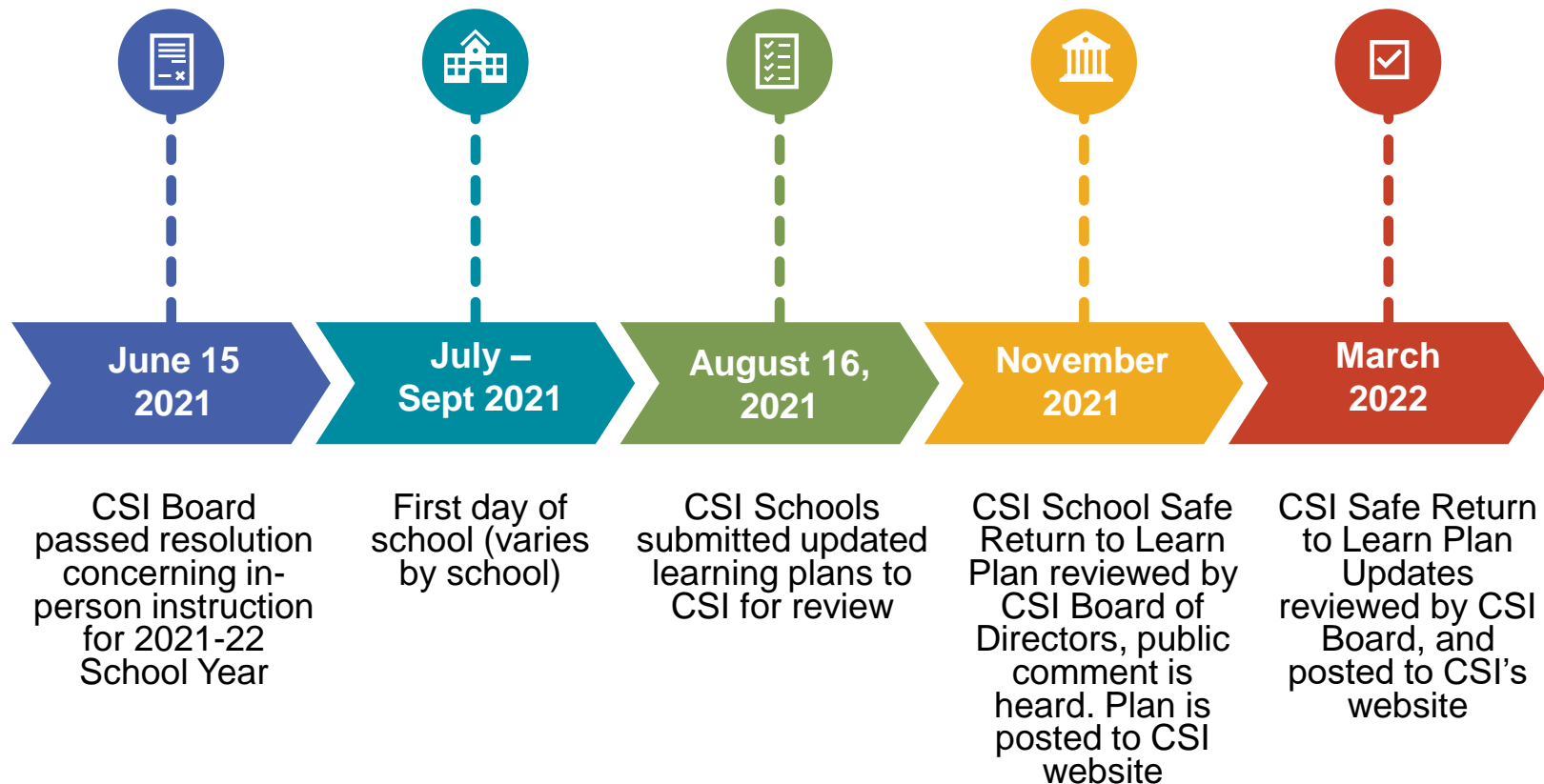
- Mental Health Supports
- Food Service
- Partnerships



2021-22 Safe Return To Learn



Timeline





Addressing Academic and Mental Health Needs



Safe Learning

- 100% of CSI schools began school year with:
- Full-Time In-Person instruction
- Layered Prevention Strategies in Place
- Contingent instruction modalities



Community Needs

- 13 CSI schools offering 100% remote option to families
- All CSI schools are prepared to shift to remote learning if necessary
- All CSI schools have plans for continuity of instruction during instances of remote learning



Building Resiliency

- CSI added 1.0 FTE Mental Health Program Specialist
- Mental Health Consultation and training
- Partnering with local agencies



Prioritizing Funds

- CSI Set aside \$100K annually to support contracted mental health services at schools
- Schools are planning to spend over \$3M on social mental health supports, social emotional learning, and learning loss mitigation.



Layered Prevention Strategies

- ✓ Promoting Vaccination
- ✓ Consistent and Correct Mask Use
- ✓ Physical Distancing
- ✓ Screening Testing
- ✓ Ventilation
- ✓ Handwashing and Respiratory Etiquette
- ✓ Staying Home when Sick/Getting Tested
- ✓ Contact Tracing
- ✓ Cleaning and Disinfection



Levels of Community Risk and Phased Prevention

Local Public Health Agency	Number of CSI schools
Chafee County Public Health	1
Eagle County Public Health	1
El Paso County Public Health	9
Garfield County Public Health	2
Jefferson County Public Health	2
Larimer County Public Health	6
Mesa County Public Health	2
Ute Mountain Ute Health Services	1
Routt County Public Health	1
San Juan Basin Public Health	2
Tri-County Public Health	13