

Emergency Medical Care Procedures

The emergency medical care procedures listed below are to be followed in case of serious accidents and/or sudden illnesses occurring in the schools:

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Emergency care information for each student shall be filed in the Principal's office. This information is to include:

1. Student's name, address, and date of birth.
2. Parents' names, addresses, and home, work, and emergency phone numbers.
3. Name and phone number of family physician and permission to contact health care professionals in case of emergency.
4. Name and phone number of "emergency" contact (person other than parent/guardian) to reach, if necessary.
5. Unusual medical problems, if any.

MEDICAL EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

The following procedures shall be used in a medical emergency:

1. Administer first aid by a school employee trained in first aid and CPR in accordance with state regulation.
2. Contact the child's parent or other authorized person(s) listed on the school emergency card to:
 - a) Inform parent or authorized contact that the child is not able to remain at school.
 - b) Indicate the apparent symptoms; however, do not attempt to diagnose.
 - c) Advise the contact that s/he may want to contact a physician regarding the child's condition.
3. Take care of child until parent, physician (health care professional), or ambulance arrives.
4. Use emergency ambulance service if needed.
5. Administer medication in accordance with District policy and procedure ~~only when as~~ ordered by the student's personal physician and provide epinephrine to all students suspected of anaphylaxis. :-
6. Keep the student in a first aid area if s/he appears to be unable to return to the classroom.
7. Do not allow the student to leave school with anyone other than the parent/guardian/designee after an accident or when ill.
8. After a child has an accident or becomes ill at school, arrange transportation home with the parent/guardian/designee.
9. Report all emergency situations to the building administrator.
10. Treat students with contagious diseases, including AIDS, according to state guidelines.
11. Employees shall follow the District's Exposure Control Plan when clean-up of body fluids is required.

Emergency Medical Care Procedures**SUPPLIES/PERSONNEL**

1. Each school shall have an approved first-aid kit and designated first-aid area.
- ~~1-2.~~ Each school shall keep stock epinephrine as suggested in KRS 158.836
- ~~2-3.~~ At least two (2) adult employees in each school shall have completed and been certified in a standard first-aid course, including but not limited to, CPR.
- ~~3-4.~~ At least one (1) school employee who is a licensed medical professional, or has been appropriately trained, shall be on duty at each school to administer insulin, glucagon or diazepam rectal gel to students with diabetes or seizure disorders.

DOCUMENTATION

A complete record of any emergency care provided shall be made and filed with the student's health record. The following information shall be recorded:

1. Time and place accident or illness occurred.
2. Causative factors, if known.
3. Type of care provided and name(s) of person(s) who gave emergency treatment.
4. Condition of the student receiving emergency care.
5. Verification of actual contacts and attempts to contact parent/guardian.
6. List of names of persons who witnessed the accident or illness and the treatment rendered, as appropriate.

RELATED POLICIES:

09.224
09.2241

RELATED PROCEDURES:

09.224 AP.21
09.2241 AP.22
09.2241 AP.23

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