LEGAL: REVISIONS TO 702 KAR 1:160 REQUIRE THAT WHEN ENROLLED STUDENTS, FOR WHOM DOCUMENTATION UNDER KRS 158.838 (2) OR (7) HAS BEEN PROVIDED TO THE SCHOOL, ARE PRESENT DURING SCHOOL HOURS OR AS PARTICIPANTS IN SCHOOL-RELATED ACTIVITIES, A SCHOOL EMPLOYEE WHO HAS BEEN APPROPRIATELY TRAINED TO ADMINISTER OR ASSIST WITH THE SELF-ADMINISTRATION OF GLUCAGON, INSULIN, OR SEIZURE RESCUE MEDICATIONS SHALL BE PRESENT.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL STAFFING

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Emergency Medical Treatment

FIRST-AID ROOM

A first-aid area with appropriate equipment, supplies and provisions for the child to recline shall be designated in each school. At least two (2) adult employees in each school, at least one (1) of whom shall be present at the school at all times during school hours, shall have completed and been certified in a standard first aid course that includes CPR for infants and children.

In accordance with state law, every school shall have personnel trained each school year to administer emergency medication to students for seizures (Diastat), diabetes (Glucagon), life threatening allergic reactions (EpiPen) and asthma (Nebulizer, inhaler, etc.) as directed on the appropriate "Primary Care Provider Authorization" form.

STOCK EPINEPHRINE

As suggested in KRS 158.836, each school shall stock epinephrine, so that trained staff may administer epinephrine to any student believed to be having a life-threatening allergic or anaphylactic reaction.¹

When enrolled students, for whom documentation under KRS 158.838 has been provided to the school, are present during school hours or as participants in school-related activities, a school employee shall be present who has been appropriately trained to administer or assist with the self-administration of medications, including but not limited to glucagon, insulin, or seizure rescue medications.

INFORMATION NEEDED

A number at which parents can be reached and the name of the family physician shall be maintained at each school for all its students. Parents will be notified in the event of an accident.

REFERENCES:

¹KRS 158.836 ²702 KAR 1:160 KRS 156.160 KRS 156.502 KRS 158.838

RELATED POLICIES:

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