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Emergency Medical Treatment

FIRST AID TO BE PROVIDED

First aid shall be provided to all pupils in case of an accident or sudden illness until the services of a physician become available.

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.

The District shall have employees trained in accordance with the law to administer or help administer emergency medications.

When enrolled students, for whom documentation under KRS 158.838, including seizure action plans, 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, seizure rescue medications, or medication prescribed to treat seizure disorder symptoms approved by the FDA and administered pursuant to a student's seizure action plan, shall be present.

INFORMATION NEEDED

A number at which parents can be reached and name of the family physician shall be maintained at each school for all its pupils.¹ Parents will be notified in the event of an accident.

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS (AEDs)

The District shall maintain a portable AED in a public, readily accessible, well-marked location in every school building, on District owned school buses, and, as funds become available, at school-sanctioned athletic practices and competitions. A minimum of three (3) employees in the school, school bus drivers and monitors, and all interscholastic athletic coaches shall be trained on the use of a portable AED.²

EMERGENCY CARE PROCEDURES

Schools shall have emergency care procedures comporting with regulation¹ and may utilize the Kentucky Department of Education's Health Services Reference Guide (HSRG) as a resource.

When an emergency arises and the student's parent/guardian or designee cannot be reached in a timely manner, the school will take action necessary to maintain the student's health, such as calling emergency medical personnel or taking the student to a health care facility. In such instances, school personnel shall notify health professionals of any medications that they are aware the student is taking.

OPIOID ANTAGONIST

District schools may maintain an opioid antagonist for administration to any individual who may experience a life-threatening, opioid overdose while on Board-owned property or attending a District event. An opioid antagonist for such instances shall be administered following the protocols developed by the Kentucky Department of Health.

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REFERENCES:

¹702 KAR 1:160
KRS 156.160; KRS 156.502; KRS 158.836; KRS 158.838
KRS 217.186
Kentucky Department of Education Health Services Reference Guide (HSRG)

RELATED POLICIES:

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