

Lakeland Joint School District No. 272

NONINSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

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Automated External Defibrillators

The Lakeland Joint School District Board of Trustees recognizes the need to make Automatic External Defibrillators (AEDs) available in its buildings. Early access defibrillation has been recognized as a significant factor in the survival from incidents of sudden cardiac arrest. Therefore, it is the policy of the Lakeland Joint School District that the implementation and use of AEDs is authorized in the buildings of the District in accordance with Idaho Code §5-337.

The Superintendent shall assign an AED Team Coordinator. The Superintendent and AED Team Coordinator will request individuals to be part of the AED Team. The AED Team shall work with the District to implement and maintain the AED program.

The Superintendent shall work with the AED Team to develop a program with procedures governing the use of the AEDs within the District. The program procedures shall be incorporated into the District's Emergency Preparedness Plan.

Employees will be authorized to utilize an AED only after successfully completing initial and recurrent training courses. The District will provide training for employees deemed to require such training by the AED Team or Superintendent. Employees who are certified will be designated as authorized users after a review of their credentials and approval by the School Physician.

Requirements for the frequency of recurrent training will be as specified by the issuing organization of the individual employees certification.

Cross Reference:

Legal Reference: I.C. § 5-337 Immunity for Use of Automated External Defibrillator (AED)

Policy History:

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