



Central Islip Union Free School District

Board of Education & School District Policy Book

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Section	Section Title	Type
8000	Support Services	Local
Policy	Policy Title	
8121.1	Opioid Overdose Prevention	

The Board of Education recognizes that many factors, including the use and misuse of prescription painkillers, can lead to the dependence on and addiction to opiates, and that such dependence and addiction can lead to overdose and death among the general public, including district students and staff. The Board wishes to minimize these deaths by the use of opioid overdose prevention measures.

The Board approves school nurses to participate in a local NYSDOH-registered Opioid Overdose Prevention Program as an opioid antagonist recipient. The Board permits any school nurse to volunteer to receive training from this program. The Program shall issue individual NYSDOH-provided naloxone (also known as Narcan, among other names) nasal spray kits to trained nurses. Nurses wishing to volunteer to become trained responders must contact the Director of Health Services who shall arrange with the Program Director for training for the administration of intranasal naloxone. Volunteer trained responders may administer naloxone to a student or staff displaying opioid overdose symptoms, along with contacting emergency responders pursuant to the naloxone training. All provided naloxone kits shall be stored as specified by the Program. The district shall comply with all recordkeeping, inventory, documentation and notification requirements of the Program.

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Reference:

Education Law §§922 (volunteer naloxone responder); 6527 (emergency treatment of anaphylaxis and opioid overdose); 3023 (liability coverage); 6909 (administration of naloxone by nurses)

Public Health Law §3309 (volunteer naloxone responder)

8 NYCRR §§ 64.7 (administration of naloxone); Part 136 (school health services program, including naloxone)
10 NYCRR §80.138 (volunteer naloxone responder)
Guidance for Implementing Opioid Overdose Prevention Measures in Schools, New York State Education
Department, 8/11/15
Opioid Overdose Prevention: Guidelines for Policies and Procedures, New York State Department of Health,
March 2014