

School Health Center Services

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School Health Center 505-216-7418

School Health Center Services:

- Nursing assessment and triage for student illness and injury.
- Referrals
- Provide some over the counter medications with (parental consent)
- Prescription medication administration (*ONLY WITH A CURRENT MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION FORM SIGNED BY PRESCRIBING PHYSICIAN ON FILE*)
- Communication with parents/guardians about student health needs.
- Confidential health services (parental consent not required):
 - STD Prevention
 - Pregnancy Testing
 - Contraceptive
 - Drop-In counseling services

Important Information:

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Medication Administration

Any prescription medication (long/short term) that will need to be administered by the school nurse, needs to have a Medication Authorization form. This form must be signed by the parent/guardian and prescribing provider (MD, DO, ANP, PA etc.) All Medications need to be in a properly labeled pharmacy container.

Release of Information

The disclosure of health information within the school is limited to information necessary to serve the student’s health and education interests. Your *voluntary* agreement gives permission for the school staff to be informed of precautions and procedures necessary to protect your child at school and foster academic success.

Emergencies/Urgent Healthcare Services

If your child is under the direct supervision of SFIS or IHS-SFSU and you (parents/guardians) are not yet contacted or notified -- SFIS or IHS-SFSU will call 911 and have students transported to local emergency/urgent health care services providers (such as Christus St. Vincent’s Medical Center).

Annual and Continuous Updates

You (parent/guardian) must update annually and keep SFIS aware of students' medical history (conditions, treatments, and medications) to utilize on-campus health services.

You (parent/guardian) must provide any prescribed medication(s) or medical equipment to be administered or used while your child is at school.

Indian Health Service-Santa Fe Service Unit (IHS-SFSU) health care services (requires a signed parental consent on file:

- Primary care (requires scheduled appointment)
- Athletic physicals (requires scheduled appointment)
- Dental care (requires scheduled appointment)
- Dental health care (requires scheduled appointment)
- Vision (Optometry) health care (requires scheduled appointment)
- Mental health care
- Pharmacy

SFIS Health Center employees (School Nurse's office) do not have access to nor are responsible for IHS medical records, IHS appointment scheduling system, or transportation to/from appointments scheduled by parents.

To schedule appointments or to inquire about your student's healthcare from IHS-SFSU, please call: 505-988-9821