

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW BRITAIN

Board Policy Statement

5141.32 - Individualized Health Care Plans (IHCP)

Approved on June 20, 2016

Each school year, School nurses, who are registered nurses, shall write and/or update Individual Health Care Plans (IHCP) for students with special health care needs. Students with special health care needs are those individual students with chronic health conditions requiring treatments, procedures, medications, and/or monitoring that must be performed by school personnel and that

- Are complicated and/or lengthy
- Require several contacts with the nurse during the school day
- Are needed to prevent death or disability on an emergent basis
- Are needed for students who have medically fragile health conditions

Students who have been granted permission to self-medicate and/or self-monitor in accordance with the State statutes and/or school district policy are also considered to have special health care needs.