

## **Students**

### **Emergency Health Situations and District Insurance Limitations**

#### **I. Purpose**

This policy defines the school district's response to emergency health situations.

#### **II. General Statement of Policy**

The school district will provide necessary emergency care for illness, injury, and special medical conditions. The district does not provide medical, health, or accident insurance for students. Families will need to access their own insurance for a student with an accident, illness, or injury while at school or while participating in a district-sponsored activity.

#### **III. Emergency Health Care**

The school district has established administrative procedures and protocols to provide emergency health care for students and staff. These procedures and protocols are coordinated by the director of student support services and the supervisor of health services, and cover the following:

- Medication administration
- Injuries
- Illness
- Special medical procedures

#### **IV. Medical, Health, or Accident Insurance Limitations**

The school district does not provide medical, health, or accident insurance for students. If a student has an accident, becomes ill, or is injured while at school or while participating in a district-sponsored activity, families must access their personal insurance plans to cover any associated costs (e.g., medical care, emergency transportation, etc.)

#### **Legal Reference:**

Minn. Stat. § 121A.21(a) (School Health Services)

Cross References:

Policy 516 (Student Medication)  
Policy 516.5 (Overdose Medication)  
Policy 530 (Immunization Requirements)

Policy

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