

432 USE OF RELATED SERVICE STAFF SUCH AS CONTRACTED NURSES AND OTHER SERVICE PROVIDERS IN ALEXANDRIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to clarify that the employment and assignment of all staff working with students in the district shall be solely the responsibility of the district.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

- A. Alexandria Public Schools wishes to ensure the health, safety and well-being of all its students, including students with disabilities. Consistent with ensuring this result, the employment and assignment of staff working with students in the school district shall be solely the responsibility of the district. Paraprofessionals/nurses and other service providers employed by the district shall be directed by, and subject to, supervision by the school district's administrative personnel pursuant to the district's personnel policies.
- B. Individuals providing services to students must be duly employed pursuant to the policies, practices and procedures of the district.
- C. It is the policy of the district that the district is required to employ, train and supervise all personnel assigned to meet the educational, health and safety needs of all school district students, including, but not limited to, those served by IEPs, IFSPs and 504 Plans.
 - 1. Contracted or co-located personnel will assist student(s) with specified clinical needs as directed by physician orders in consultation with the District Licensed School Nurse or School Psychologist and with non-clinical needs as directed by the district during contracted time.

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