

Consent for Health Services (Required)

Senate Bill 12

June 20, 2025, Senate Bill 12 was signed into law by the Governor of Texas. The bill was designed to ensure parents and guardians were provided the opportunity to consent or choose not to consent to certain school based services and activities. The bill was revised on September 8th, 2025, and again updated on June 18, 2026.

The below descriptions will act to ensure the parents and guardians of this district are aware of the different levels of health services offered by the district, and will clarify the Opt-In and Opt-Out options available.

Students will not receive services that require an opt-in without parental consent. All students will continue to receive opt-out services, unless the parent or guardian chooses to opt-out.

This Consent is for Health Services Only.
(there is a separate consent for mental health services).

Health services that are always provided: (You do not have to Opt-In and cannot Opt-Out of these services)

- Care in a medical emergency (including state-authorized emergency medications) or any services that are required by law
- General Caretaking: non-invasive and usually minor conditions do not require additional levels of consent. (examples: applying bandages, bloody nose management, checking temperatures, clothing changes).

Student Name	Student ID#

Student Grade Level	Student Class

Please click to acknowledge your level of consent for the following services.

Health Care Services that do require an Opt-In (Parental consent required): 1) Nurse assessment of an illness or condition, 2) Administration of any medication with the appropriate parent consent and/or physician consent (standing orders, over-the-counter medications, prescription medications).

- ☐ OPT-IN: I Give my consent for the above Health Care Services (Nursing assessment and Medication administration with proper paperwork)
- ☐ OPT-OUT: I do not give my consent for the Health Care Services listed above. (If this option is

chosen, you are essentially saying you do not want your child to receive services from school nursing).

DO NOT click "Opt-Out" unless you would like to refuse the services listed below. Leave blank unless you would like to opt-out. Health Related services that do not require an Opt-In (Opt-Out is allowed): First Aid services include temporary treatment while waiting for medical care. Minor conditions that can be given by medical or non-medical personnel. State mandated screenings (vision, hearing, spinal, and Texas Risk Assessment for Type II Diabetes in Children) or Wellness promotion and education (Examples: Nutrition, hygiene, illness prevention, health promotion).

☐ I would like to OPT-OUT of First Aid
Services

☐ I would like to OPT-OUT of State
Mandated Screenings (Vision, Hearing,
Spinal and Texas Risk Assessment for Type
II Diabetes)

☐ I would like to OPT-OUT of Wellness
promotion and education (Nutrition, Hygiene,
illness prevention)

___ I give my permission for my child to participate in the above mentioned activity.

___ I deny permission for my child to participate in the above mentioned activity.

Parent/ Guardian Name

Parent/ Guardian Email

Parent/ Guardian Phone

Information entered on this form will be visible to the post collaborators and ParentSquare admins

Signature

Date