

STUDENT ILLNESS OR INJURY AT SCHOOL

When a student becomes ill or is injured at school, the school district will attempt to notify the student's parents as soon as possible.

The school district, while not responsible for medical treatment of an ill or injured student, will have employees present administer emergency or minor first aid if possible. An ill or injured child will be turned over to the care of the parents or qualified medical employees as quickly as possible.

It shall be the responsibility of the principal or the school nurse to file an accident report with the superintendent within twenty-four hours after a student is injured at school.

Annually, parents shall be required to complete a registration form indicating the procedures to be followed, if possible, in an emergency involving their child. The registration form will include the phone numbers of the parents and alternative numbers to call in case of an injury or illness. It shall be the responsibility of the parents to provide the school district with updated contact information.

The superintendent or designee is responsible, in conjunction with the school nurses, to develop rules and regulations governing the procedure in the event a student becomes ill or be injured at school.

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