

BOARD POLICY 453.1

453.1 - Emergency Nursing Services

The School District of Fort Atkinson shall provide emergency nursing services to handle the care of students suffering from illness or accidental injuries at school or during school-sponsored activities. Emergency nursing services shall be provided under the direction of a nurse registered in Wisconsin. However, the school nurse is not required to be present at all school-sponsored activities.

Emergency nursing services shall be available during the regular school day including curricular and co-curricular activities of students. Personnel in charge of the activity shall provide emergency care to the extent of his/her expertise or obtain emergency care. Emergency care procedures will be followed as outlined according to either the American Red Cross or American Heart Association standards. Any school employee who in good faith renders emergency care shall be immune from civil liability as defined in 895.48, Wisconsin Statutes.

Written procedures for emergency nursing services shall be reviewed annually by the nurse and local physician. Arrangements shall be made for a local physician to serve as a medical advisor for the District. These procedures shall describe services provided for handling accidental injury, illness and medication at all school-sponsored activities.

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