



SCHOOL NURSE RESPONSIBILITIES

The School nurse wears many hats and does many jobs in any given school day



On a typical day, a school nurse administers more than 200 doses of medication; supervises use of asthma inhalers; conducts vision screenings in class; and handles conditions ranging from scrapes to injuries to life-threatening peanut allergies. We serve as an extension of traditional community, compliance, and professional supervision of care within the school setting.

Provider of Student Services

- *Identify, assess, plan, intervene, and evaluate students with chronic and potentially life-threatening health conditions*
- *Perform specialized nursing procedures for students with fragile health care needs:*
 - Catheterization*
 - Tube Feedings*
 - Tracheotomy Care*
 - Colostomy Care*
 - Diabetes Management*
 - Seizure Management*
 - Ventilators*
- *Develops and implements Individual Health Care Plans, and Emergency Care Plans for students with chronic health conditions that affect educational achievement*
- *Conduct Health Screenings*
 - Vision*
 - Hearing*
 - Scoliosis*
 - Height and Weight*
 - Dental*
- *Illness/injury assessment, triage, and care of students and staff*
- *Evaluate and assure safe administration of medications*
- *Perform special education health evaluations*

Manager of Student Health Care

- *Implements and monitors students compliance with state immunization laws*
- *Evaluate and monitor communicable diseases including, reporting and appropriate exclusions*
- *Assist students and families in solving financial, transportation, and other barriers that hinders access to health care*
- *Refer students in need of medical or dental care for evaluation or intervention*
- *Identify and report school environmental safety concerns*
- *Serve as a liaison and resource person between school, home, health care provider, and community agencies*
- *Coordinates health care for students with chronic, complex or medically fragile conditions, including emergencies*
- *Assist in the referral process of suspected child abuse*
- *Ensures that all health needs of students are addressed during the school day*

- *Conducts health screenings*
 - Personal*
 - Dental*
 - Hand washing*
 - Puberty*
- *Provides health care*
 - Chronic*
 - Nutrition*
 - Disease*
 - Positive*
- *Visit students to detect, plan, and solve health problems in the classroom*
- *Conduct staff training*
 - CPR/First Aid*
 - Universal Precautions*
 - ADHD*
- *Interprets student health records on specialized health emergencies*
 - Epileptic*
 - Diabetic*
 - Insulin*
 - Life-threatening*
- *Assist in Discharge Planning*
- *Plan health promotion*



“You cannot educate a child who is not healthy and you cannot keep a child healthy who is not educated.”
Joycelyn Elders, M.D.

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