

LISD Health Services

# School Health Procedures

## School Year 2024-2025

- Minor injuries and complaints will be handled in the classroom or playground, i.e., hunger, lost tooth, minor scrape.
- Appointments to see the nurse are required EXCEPT for urgent situations, i.e., diabetic symptoms, significant injury, witnessed vomiting, shortness of breath
- You will be notified if your child is not seen by the nurse due to a high number of clinic visits and requests.
- If you are contacted to pick up your child due to illness, we ask that you do so as soon as possible or within 30 minutes.
- Have a backup plan in case you are unable to quickly get to the school, other family members or close friends.
- Add your school nurse's office number to your cell phone so you know it is us!
- Continuously make sure all contact and emergency contact phone numbers are updated in Skyward.
- Students grades 6 and higher can self-carry over the counter and prescription medications (NO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES) with the proper documentation
- Our policy is to contact a parent or guardian every time we see a child due to illness or injury. If you have a preferred method of contact, i.e., phone, text, email, please indicate on health history (online) or notify your school nurse

Please keep your child home if they have: a temperature of 100 degrees or higher and until fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medications, cough, vomiting, diarrhea, body aches, shaking chills, headache, sore throat, difficulty breathing, loss of taste or smell, undiagnosed rashes, or eyes that are reddened with drainage.

***Texas school districts are required to follow Texas Administrative Code (TAC); 25 Tex. Admin. Code §97.7 "Diseases Requiring Exclusion from School". You can review this code at [this link](#). Students diagnosed with any of these communicable diseases will have to stay out of school until the criteria for readmission is met. This list was updated by the Texas Department of State Health Services to include Coronavirus 19.***

If your child requires medication or a special procedure at school, please contact your school nurse for updated forms and guidelines

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