

Minimal Immunizations and Screening Requirements

Required at entry to:

PRESCHOOL

≥ 4 DtaP/DTP

≥ 3 Polio

1 MMR

1 to 4 Hib

3 Hepatitis B

1 dose Varicella

Proof of Lead Screening

KINDERGARTEN

5 DtaP/DTP

4 doses Polio

2 MMR

3 Hepatitis B

2 doses Varicella

Proof of Lead Screening

Vision Stereopsis Screening

GRADES 1 - 6

≥ 4 DtaP/DTP or ≥ 3 Td

≥ 3 Polio

2 MMR

3 Hepatitis B

2 doses Varicella

GRADE 7 - 12

4 DtaP/DTP or 3 Td + 1 Tdap

≥ 3 Polio

2 MMR

2 doses Varicella

3 Hepatitis B

1 Td/Tdap Booster (if >5 years since last DTaP/DTP)

ALL PHYSICALS WITHIN LAST 12 MONTHS
RECOMMENDED TB SKIN TEST

ASK YOUR SCHOOL NURSE

BHS	508-580-7691
CHAMPION	508-580-7285
GILMORE	508-580-7683
EAST	508-580-7354
NORTH	508-580-7317
WEST	508-580-7384
SOUTH	508-580-7314
ARNONE	508-894-4444
ANGELO	508-894-4504
ASHFIELD	508-580-7331
B.B. RUSSELL	508-580-7285
BAKER	508-894-4473
BROOKFIELD	508-580-7334
DAVIS	508-580-7369
DOWNEY	508-580-7328
GEORGE	508-580-7918
GODDARD	508-580-7206
HANCOCK	508-580-7254
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Brockton Public Schools



SCHOOL NURSES

Brockton School Nurses are integral members of the educational team who assist children and youth to develop their full potential. Our school health program adjusts to the individual difference of each student. The cooperative effort of the parent, administrator, nurse, health care provider, teacher, support personnel and the student contribute to our successful program. Our challenges as professional nurses include the education, integration and coordination of the health needs of all students.

LIVE, LOVE, LAUGH, LEARN



ROLE OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

- Access and evaluate student health
- Maintain computerized student health records
- Plan action for elimination, minimization or acceptance of health problems
- Student-parent-school liaison
- Assist in identification and education of students with special health problems and special educational needs
- Respond to encountered health issues:
 - Child neglect and abuse
 - Substance abuse
 - Nutritional concerns
 - Teen pregnancy
- Provide selected health services for school personnel
- Provide programs for the prevention and control of disease
- Coordinate health services with health education and community agencies
- Assume the responsibility for assessment and triage of sick and injured children and staff
- Assess pertinent family history and environment via parent interviews and home visits
- Observe school facilities and recommend modifications necessary to maintain optimum health and safety of students and school personnel
- Participate in school staff and administrative activities.

SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES

SCREENING AND EXAMS

- Required physicals Upon Entry & Sports + Preschool/kindergarten, Grades 4, 7, 10
- Vision & hearing screening in Grades K-5, 7, 9 & referrals as needed
- Postural screening in Grades 5 - 9
- Annual height and weight in Grades K- 8, 9
- Interval health histories

DAILY SCREENING

- Communicable disease (doctor's note required)
- Five day absences (doctor's note/school nurse clearance required for re-entry)
- Follow up referrals
- Student illness/injury referrals

IMMUNIZATIONS

- Maintain accurate records per state & local regulations

MEDICATIONS

- Administer medication per school department policy

OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES

- Home tutor referrals
- Individual health care plans
- Conferences with parents, school personnel & community providers
- Statistical analysis



MEDICATION POLICY

To insure the health and safety of the students needing medication in school:

1. Contact the school nurse before bringing in medication. The school nurse will provide the required doctors and parents forms.
2. All medication must be delivered by a parent or responsible adult in the original prescription labeled bottle.
3. Medication is not administered on early dismissal days.

SPORTS PHYSICALS

All students must pass a physical examination within one year before participating in any sport. A report of this physical examination must be on file in the nurse's office.

FYI

- Medical status and changes regarding student's health should be shared with the school nurse on routine basis.
- Routine physical examinations forms can be obtained from the school nurse, completed by the physician and retained on student's health record.
- In order to keep your child's school health record current, please have a physical exam form completed by your child's primary care provider and returned to school each time your child sees a provider of care.