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Students

SUBJECT: ACCIDENTS/FIRST AID TREATMENT

Accidents

POLICY

All accidents and injuries shall be immediately reported to the building principal who will take appropriate action to enable the student to obtain necessary assistance. All proper forms must be made out before the close of the same working day.

First Aid

The Board authorizes emergency first aid medical treatment to be rendered by appropriate personnel. A parent or guardian of the student will be promptly notified if any such measures are taken.

Accident Insurance

The Board of Cooperative Educational Services may provide for student accident insurance for school age students enrolled in BOCES programs and not covered by family health insurance or their home school district. The insurance will be in the form of a standard, non-duplicative policy covering students who are injured during school functions as well as traveling to and from home and school.

The Board does not provide insurance covering privately owned equipment, tools or personal belongings. Students are encouraged to review their own family insurance relative to off-premise coverage of valuable items.

Transporting an III or Injured Student

In the event of a serious illness or an injury to a student, an ambulance may be called if warranted.

NOTE: Refer also to Policy #6452 -- Administering Medication.

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