



BLUE OAK SCHOOL

A WALDORF-INSPIRED PUBLIC CHARTER (K-8)

Board Policy: #5141
Section: Students
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HEALTH CARE EMERGENCIES

Blue Oak Charter Council recognizes the importance of taking appropriate action whenever an emergency threatens the safety, health, or welfare of a student at school or during school-sponsored activities.

Blue Oak shall require parents/guardians to provide emergency information in order to facilitate immediate contact with parents/guardians if an accident or illness occurs.

Do Not Resuscitate Orders

Staff members should not be placed in the position of determining whether or not to follow any parental or medical "do not resuscitate" orders. Staff shall not accept or follow any such orders unless they have been informed by the Executive Director or designee that the request to accept such an order has been submitted and signed by the parent/guardian, supported by a written statement from the student's physician and an order from an appropriate court.

Accidents

Although Blue Oak makes every reasonable effort to prevent student accidents and injuries, accidents occur. The Executive Director or designee shall develop procedures to ensure that first aid and/or medical attention is provided as quickly as possible and that parents/guardians are notified of accidents. Universal precautions shall be observed whenever it is possible that students, employees, or others may have contact with blood or body fluids as a result of the accident.

Staff shall appropriately report and document student accidents.

Automated External Defibrillators

Blue Oak Charter Council authorizes the Executive Director or designee to place automated external defibrillators (AEDs) at the school site for use by school employees in an emergency. The authorization of AEDs in district schools shall not be deemed to create a guarantee that an AED will be present or will be used in the case of an emergency, or that a trained employee will be present and/or able to use an AED in an emergency, or that the AED will operate properly

Naloxone

It is the policy of Blue Oak Charter School to provide assistance to any person(s) who may be suffering from an opioid overdose following protocols and procedures of the National Association of School Nurses. Staff members trained in accordance with the policy shall make every reasonable effort, including the use of Naloxone combined with rescue breaths, to revive the victim of any apparent drug overdose.