January Newsletter

Health Services Naperville District 203





Greetings from the Madison Junior High Health Office.

As we start into the next phase of Hybrid Learning this school year, we wanted to share with families what will be different with the health office and what will the same for the students.

What is different this year:

Our health office will be occupying two spaces this year.

The first space will be in the our current health office. In this area we will be seeing students for:

- Daily medication
- Routine daily visits for health needs
- Injuries
- Turning in health forms

Our second space will be our C.A.R.E. Room.. In this area we will be seeing students that are:

- Feeling ill
- Experiencing any COVID symptoms

What is the same:

- Students will sign in on the Ipad
- Student should come see us if they are not feeling well
- Students should stay home if they are feeling sick

Lastly, the Health Staff is here to help support your children's health so they can be successful at school. Please reach out to your School's Nurse, Samantha Harris with any questions or concerns regarding your child's health. She can be reached via email at <u>sharris1@naperville203.org</u> or via phone at (630) 548-4873.

Medication Forms and Medication

To help us be prepared to care for your students now that we will be in-person, please work with your Doctor to complete the necessary forms if your child needs medication at school. You can again drop off, fax, or email the forms to your schools. Please drop off your child's medication at the school office.

Links to Forms:

Medication Forms

Important Dates

<u>May 17</u>

Kindergarten, 2nd, 6th and 9th Grade Dental Exams Due

Dental Form

COVID-19

Important Information for Students and Families

It is important that students and families remain healthy as we enter into the Hybrid Phase. Please read the information below on absence reporting and procedures for ill students at school

Signs/Symptoms and Absence Reporting:

It is important to continue to monitor for the following symptoms in yourself and those in your household. The following are symptoms of COVID-19.

- Fever or chills: Temp greater or equal to 100.4
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Diarrhea
- Nausea and/or vomiting
- Abdominal pain of unknown cause
- Any other COVID-19 symptoms identified by the <u>CDC</u> or <u>IDPH</u>

To help ensure all students coming into schools are healthy, It is important if you or anyone in your household is experiencing these symptoms:

- 1. Your student and all siblings stay home and away from other people until your doctor or health provider gives you further instructions.
- 2. If your child is experiencing any of these symptoms or is diagnosed with COVID19, please make sure you share this information with your attendance office.

To ensure the health and safety of all students. We will be monitoring for these symptoms at school. If your child is exhibiting any of the symptoms listed, you will be asked to pick up your child and all siblings per Return to Learn Protocols until:

- There is negative RT-PCR COVID test or
- An alternative diagnosis from an M.D. or
- Your student completes 10 days of quarantine.



You will need to have a copy of the <u>Student Self</u> <u>Certification</u> form on file before your student may attend in-person classes or activities. If your student is remaining remote but will come to school for any extracurricular, sport, etc., they will need this form on file as well.

If you would like your child to participate in a sport, they will also need a <u>Consent for</u> <u>participation form</u> filled out.

Additional Information:

Health and Safety Presentation

Return To Learn Protocols

COVID-19 Resources

Meal Assistance

Family Resources