

PERSONNEL: 4.0

POLICY: 4.20

### SCHOOL NURSE COVERAGE

In order to provide maximum coverage for students and employees, the availability of school nurses to paramount. Each nurse must keep the secretary of the building to which she is assigned aware of her location at all times.

Nurses should refrain from transporting sick students and employees to their homes or to a physician's office.

Transportation of students and employees to hospitals should be provided by the local ambulance association. Qualified personnel serve on the ambulance crew. The school nurse should refrain from accompanying the ambulance to the hospital. If, in her opinion, the nurse deems it necessary and proper that she accompany the patient in the ambulance, she should do so. The building principal should be notified, so that proper nursing coverage can be provided for the building.

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