

Health Services

3 .1 ¹	Has a state health services (HSV) coordinator	\bullet^2	
	Requires each district to have an HSV	0	
	coordinator	0	
	Requires each school to have an HSV	0	
	coordinator	_	
3.2.1,	Requires districts or schools to provide the following health services when needed:		
3.2.2,	Administration of fluoride rinses	0	
and	Administration of medications	•	
3.2.3	Administration of sports physicals	0	
	Alcohol- or other drug-use treatment	•	
	Application of dental sealants	0	
	Assistance with accessing benefits for	•	
	students with disabilities		
	Assistance with enrolling in Medicaid or SCHIP ⁵	0	
	Assistance with enrolling in WIC ⁶ or	0	
	accessing food stamps or food banks		
	Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) Case management for students with	•	
	chronic health conditions	•	
	Case management for students with		
	disabilities	•	
	Counseling for emotional or behavioral		
	disorders	0	
	Crisis intervention for personal problems	0	
	Eating disorders treatment	0	
	First aid	•	
	HIV counseling, testing, and referral	0	
	Identification of emotional or behavioral		
	disorders	0	
	Identification of or referral for physical,		
	sexual, or emotional abuse	•	
	Identification of or referrals for oral health	0	
	problems		
	Identification or school-based		
	management of acute illnesses	•	
	Identification or school-based		
	management of chronic health conditions	-	
	Identification or treatment of STDs	0	
	Immunizations	0	
	Instruction on self-management of	•	
	chronic health conditions	-	



3.2.1,	Prenatal care referrals	0	
3.2.2,	Referrals for after-school programs	0	
and	Referrals for child care for teen mothers	0	
3.2.3	Services for gay, lesbian, or bisexual	0	
(cont'd.)	students	0	
	Stress management	0	
	Tobacco-use cessation	0	
	Tracking of students with chronic health	0	
	conditions	0	
	Weight management	0	
3.3	Requires districts or schools to provide the follow	wing prevention services	:
	Alcohol- or other drug-use prevention	•	
	HIV prevention	0	
	Injury prevention and safety counseling	0	
	Nutrition and dietary behavior counseling	0	
	Physical activity and fitness counseling	0	
	Pregnancy prevention	0	
	STD prevention	0	
	Suicide prevention	0	
	Tobacco-use prevention	0	
	Violence prevention	•	
3.4	Requires the following immunizations or vaccina	ations for entry into kinde	rgarten or first
	grade:	-	-
	Chicken pox (varicella)	•	
	Diphtheria	•	
	Haemophilus influenzae type B	0	
	Hepatitis B	•	
	Influenza	0	
	Measles-containing	•	
	Polio	•	
	Tetanus	•	
	Requires the following immunizations or vaccina	ations for entry into middl	e school and high
	school:	-	-
		Middle School	High School
	Chicken pox (varicella)	0	0
	Hepatitis A	0	0
	Hepatitis B	•	0
	Second measles-containing		●
	Tetanus booster	0	0
3.5	Requires the following documentation before sc	hool staff may administe	r medication:
	Written information on possible side-	·	
	effects	•	
	Written instructions from the physician		
	Written request from the parent or		
	guardian	•	
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3.6	Has adopted a policy related to who may	
	administer medications to a student at school	•
	Allows students to carry and self-administer the	following medications:
	Epinephrine auto-injector	•
	Insulin or other injected medications	•
	Other prescribed medications	•
	Over-the-counter medications	•
	Prescription quick-relief inhaler	•
3.7	Requires supplies for applying standard or univ	ersal precautions be available in the following
	locations:	
	In all classrooms	
	In the gymnasium, on playgrounds, or on	
	playing fields	•
	On school buses or in other vehicles	
	used to transport students	•
3.8	Requires schools to allow students with HIV infe	
	syndrome (AIDS) to engage in the following act	ivities as long as they are able:
	Attend classes	•
	Participate in school sports	•
	Participate in any other school activities	•
	Requires schools to allow teachers and staff	
	with HIV infection or AIDS to work as long as	•
	they are able	
3.9	Requires schools to:	
	Complete injury reports	•
	Complete illness reports	•
	Report notifiable diseases to the state or	•
	local health department	
3.10	Requires districts or schools to screen students	for the following health problems:
	Hearing problems	•
	Height and weight or body mass	0
	problems	
	Oral health problems	0
	Scoliosis	•
	Vision problems	•
3.11	Specifies a maximum student-to-school nurse	0
	ratio	
	Requires at least one full-time school nurse	0
0.40	per school	
3.12	Requires school nurse participation in	
	Individualized Education Programs (IEPs)	•
	when indicated	
	Requires school nurse participation in	•
	Individualized Health Plans (IHPs)	
	Requires school nurse participation in 504 plans when indicated	•



3.13	Has schools that serve as Medicaid providers	-
0.10	by providing health services to students	•
	Has school-based health centers (SBHCs)	
	that serve as Medicaid providers by providing	•
	health services to students	
3.14	Requires minimum education level for newly	7
0.11	hired school nurses	$\bullet \bullet^7$
3.15	Requires newly hired school nurses to have the	following licenses and certifications:
	LPN license	0
	RN license	•
	National certification from the National	
	Board for Certification of School Nurses	0
	State school nurse certification	
3.16.1,	Provided funding for staff development or offere	ed staff development to school nurses during
3.16.2,	the past two years on the following health service	
and	Accessing benefits for students with	
3.16.3	disabilities	•
	Administration of fluoride rinses	0
	Administration of medications	•
	After-school programs	0
	Alcohol- or other drug-use treatment	•
	Application of dental sealants	•
	Case management for students with	•
	chronic health conditions	•
	Case management for students with	
	disabilities	•
	Child care options for teen mothers	•
	Counseling for emotional or behavioral	
	disorders	•
	CPR	•
	Crisis intervention for personal problems	•
	Eating disorders treatment	•
	Emergency preparedness	•
	Enrollment in WIC or accessing food	
	stamps or food banks	•
	Enrollment in Medicaid or SCHIP	
	Federal laws that protect the privacy of	
	student health information	•
	First aid	
	Foodborne illness outbreak detection and	
	response	•
	HIV counseling, testing, and referral	•
	Identification of emotional or behavioral	
	disorders	-
	Identification of or referral for physical,	
	sexual, or emotional abuse	-
	Identification or school-based	
	management of acute illnesses	-
	Identification or school-based	
	management of chronic illnesses	-



3.16.1,	Identification or treatment of STDs	•
3.16.2,	Immunizations	•
and	Infectious disease prevention	•
3.16.3	Oral health problems	•
(cont'd.)	Prenatal care referrals	•
	Services for gay, lesbian, or bisexual	
	students	•
	Sports physicals	0
	Stress management	•
	Teaching self-management of chronic	
	health conditions	•
	Tobacco-use cessation	•
	Tracking of students with chronic health	
	conditions	•
	Weight management	•
3.17	Provided funding for staff development or offere	ed staff development to school nurses during
	the past two years on the following prevention s	ervices topics:
	Alcohol- or other drug-use prevention	•
	HIV prevention	•
	Injury prevention and safety counseling	•
	Nutrition and dietary behavior counseling	•
	Physical activity and fitness counseling	•
	Pregnancy prevention	•
	STD prevention	•
	Suicide prevention	•
	Tobacco-use prevention	•
	Violence prevention	•
3.18	Provided funding for staff development or offere	ed staff development to teachers or other
	school staff during the past two years on the fol	lowing health topics:
	HIV infection or AIDS	•
	Severe food or other allergies	•
	Chronic health conditions	•
	Infectious disease prevention	•
3.19	Provides model policies to districts or schools o	n the following health topics:
	HIV infection or AIDS	•
	Severe food or other allergies	•
	Chronic health conditions	•
	Infectious disease prevention	•

Footnotes

- Numbers refer to tables in *State-Level School Health Policies and Practices: A State-by-State Summary from the School Health Policies and Programs Study 2006*, which includes information from all 50 states and the District of Columbia. This document can be downloaded at www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/SHPPS/2006/summaries/index.htm.
- ² Unless otherwise indicated,
 - Yes

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- O No
- ? Incomplete Data
- NA Not Applicable
- Requires
 - ➡ Recommends or Encourages
 - O Neither Requires, Recommends, nor Encourages
 - ? Incomplete Data
 - Prohibits
 - Discourages
 - O Neither Prohibits nor Discourages
 - ? Incomplete Data
- ⁵ SCHIP is the State Children's Health Insurance Program.
- ⁶ WIC is the Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children.
 - Associate's Degree in Nursing
 - •• Undergraduate Degree in Nursing
 - O Associate's Degree in Any Field
 - OO Undergraduate Degree in Any Field
 - NA Not Applicable
 - ? Incomplete Data

- Undergraduate Degree in Specific Field
- •• Master's Degree in Specific Field
- ●●● Doctoral Degree in Specific Field
- O Undergraduate Degree in Any Field
- OO Master's Degree in Any Field
- Other Degree
- NA Not Applicable
- ? Incomplete Data
- Yes (For Breakfast, All Schools)
 - Yes (For Breakfast, Some Categories of Schools)
 - O No

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- ? Incomplete Data
- ¹⁰ Junk foods are defined as foods or beverages that have low nutrient density, that is, they provide calories primarily through fats or added sugars and have minimal amounts of vitamins and minerals.
- ¹¹ Both on School Property and at Off-Campus, School-Sponsored Events
 - On School Property Only
 - O Neither on School Property nor at Off-Campus, School-Sponsored Events
- ¹² Required of All Faculty and Staff
 - Required of Some Faculty and Staff
 - O Not Required on Any Faculty or Staff
 - ? Incomplete Data
 - State Offers Coverage
 - State Requires Districts to Offer Coverage
 - O State Neither Offers Coverage nor Requires Districts to Offer Coverage
 - ? Incomplete Data

This publication was prepared by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). It summarizes state-level data collected from each of the 50 states and the District of Columbia during the School Health Policies and Programs Study (SHPPS) 2006. SHPPS is conducted periodically to monitor the extent to which school health policies and practices are addressing the leading causes of death, illness, and social problems among young people and adults.

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