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STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES

The Hampton School Board may appoint a school nurse to function in the school health program and to provide school health services. A school nurse shall be a registered professional nurse currently licensed in New Hampshire and certified by the State Board of Education. The Board may employ or contract with a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) or a Licensed Nursing Assistant (LNA) to work under the direct supervision of the school Registered Nurse (RN) in accordance with rules adopted under RSA 541-A by the board of nursing.

Responsibilities of the school nurse include, but are not limited to: providing direct health care to students and staff, providing leadership for the provision of health services, promoting a healthy school environment; promoting health; serving in a leadership role for health policies and programs; and acting as a liaison between school personnel, family, community, and health care providers. Additionally, the school nurse is responsible for developing procedures to address and meet special physical health needs of students. Such procedures may be developed and implemented on a case-by-case basis.

Legal References:

- RSA 200:27, School Health Services*
- RSA 200:29, School Nurse*
- RSA 200:31, School Health Personnel*
- RSA 326:b, Nurse Practice Act*
- NH Code of Administrative Rules, Sec. Ed. 306.12(b), School Health Services*
- NH Code of Administrative Rules, Sec. Ed. 311, School Health Services*

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