

2021-2022 BRMS Clinic Information

The clinic staff extend our best wishes for a great summer and start to a terrific 2021-2022 school year!

Some helpful information:

You will receive a call if your student is sick or injured having a need to be picked up from school. We may call to garner more information as appropriate to assist in the decision to send home or return to class.

Please be sure to fill out contact information to include the person who you would like contacted. If you have any change of information during the course of the year, please contact the school to update us.

Emergency medical information (health) cards –

Health cards will go home in the fall. Thank you for turning them in to the clinic promptly. These cards are our best source of up-to-date medical and contact information. This is also our authorization to provide emergency care.

Medications – *Students must have a Medication Authorization form signed by a physician and parent/guardian signature for all prescription medications on individual Authorization forms.* All medications are kept locked in the clinic and will be administered to the student by a licensed nurse or a trained school board employee.

With a physician's order and a signed self-carry contract on file in the clinic, your student may carry emergency/life-saving medications. This includes asthma inhalers, dietary enzymes, epinephrine auto-injector, insulin and diabetic supplies.

The clinic does not have over-the-counter medications (Ibuprofen/naproxen/acetaminophen) to give to students. If your student has a frequent or chronic condition (headaches, cramps, dental/orthodontic) you may want to consider a Dr. order in the form of Medication Authorization. The parent and doctor authorization allow us to assist students with those issues, as directed, during the school day. A parent or designated adult must bring all medications and sign them in with clinic staff. Please do not send students to school with medication.

Rest rooms – Students with medical conditions requiring frequent or unrestricted rest room access will need a Dr. note. The student will be provided a Red clinic pass to visit the rest room nearest their current class on an as needed basis.

Assistive devices- Students with injury or physical/medical assistive devices will be accommodated with the provision of a doctors directive. These include, help with backpack, use of elevator, or exclusion from PE for the duration directed by the medical provider.

Field trips – field trips are not currently approved according to the SDMC COVID 19 protocol. When the district resumes them, all students with medications will have a designated school board employee (usually their teacher) trained to administer and will be carried by that staff on the trip.

Flu prevention – We follow CDC guidelines for flu control measures. If possible, I will be arranging a flu shot clinic for students and staff here on campus sometime in October. The school will send a message home and consents will be given to students for you to fill out and return. We do not have any plans for COVID-19 vaccination currently.

Immunizations- Please check with your doctor or health department to make sure your student is up to date. The next requirement is 7th grade Tdap and can be given any time from now until the start of your students 7th grade year.

Please contact me with questions or concerns.

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