

Florida Virtual School

Medical Management Plans: Ensuring Safety in Schools



What is a Medical Management Plan (MMP)?

A Medical Management Plan is a detailed document that outlines specific health needs and provides guidance on managing medical conditions for students during school hours. It serves as a roadmap for school staff, detailing necessary actions for routine care or in case of emergencies at in-person events such as state testing and field trips.

Importance for Students with Diabetes and Epilepsy:

In the case of a diabetic emergency or a seizure episode, time is of the essence. An MMP ensures that all school staff are aware of the signs, symptoms, and proper procedures to address low or high blood sugar levels or respond to seizures promptly.

Medication administration is unique to each student. Students with diabetes may require insulin administration, while students with epilepsy may need medication during school events. An MMP ensures that trained school staff are able to administer medications safely and efficiently for both conditions.

With a well-executed MMP, students with diabetes or epilepsy can focus on their studies without the added stress of managing their conditions alone. This leads to a more inclusive and conducive learning environment.

We're In This Together.

Implementing MMPs in schools is a collaborative effort involving parents, healthcare professionals, teachers, and school staff. Open communication and regular training sessions ensure everyone is well-informed and prepared to support students with medical conditions.

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