

Annual Review of School Health Services

**DC Everest Area School District
2025-2026**



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**FINAL REPORT - SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES
DC EVEREST AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR**

ADMINISTRATIVE RULE

Wisconsin Statute 121.02 (1)(g) and Wisconsin Administrative Code PI 8.01 Standard (g)

Emergency nursing services shall be provided under the direction of a nurse(s) registered in Wisconsin. Arrangements shall be made with a physician to serve as medical advisor for the emergency nursing service. Written policies shall include procedures for dealing with accidental injury, illness, and medication at all school-sponsored activities. An annual review shall be made of the emergency nursing services. Emergency nursing services shall be available for emergencies or illnesses that occur during the regular school day, including curricular and extracurricular activities of pupils. Equipment and supplies for the emergency nursing services shall be readily accessible.

REQUIREMENTS FOR MEETING STANDARD

M Provide nursing services under the direction of a registered nurse. Arrangements for a medical doctor to serve as medical advisor.

M Establish written policies and procedures for emergency nursing.

M Designation of individuals responsible in each attendance center and for all school functions to carry out the emergency nursing procedures.

M A record system including accident investigation reports and log of services performed.

M Adequate equipment and supplies readily accessible.

M A record system including medication administration to students and consent forms.

M Annual review of emergency nursing services.

M = Meets requirements.

D = Deficient areas - see attached narrative report.

Enrollment Spring 2026

Senior High School	1279
Idea School	59
Junior High School	838
Middle School	851
Evergreen Elementary	432
Hatley Elementary	156
Mountain Bay Elementary	459
Odyssey Elementary	66
Riverside Elementary	446
Rothschild Elementary	399
Includes 4K students	
Weston Elementary	515
Includes 4K students	
4K Program	238
Not including 4K students at WE or RO	
TOTAL	5,738
Last Year's Total Enrollment	5,839
Highest Enrollment: Spring 2022	6,014

HEALTH STATUS REPORTS

Immunizations Fall 2025

	Meets Minimum Requirements	In Process	Behind Schedule	No Record	Any Waiver	Compliance Percentage
SRHI	1,130	0	8	0	145	99.4%
Idea	47	0	0	0	13	100%
JRH	762	0	0	0	77	100%
MS	731	0	7	0	111	99.2%
EVE	411	0	0	0	26	100%
HAT	111	0	0	0	9	100%
MOU	413	0	1	0	44	100%
Odyssey	57	0	0	0	9	100%
RIV	407	0	0	0	39	100%

ROTH*	375	0	0	0	31	100%
WE*	470	0	0	0	41	100%
Total	4,914	0	16	0	545	99.9%**

*Only 4K at Weston Elementary and Rothschild Elementary are accounted for in these totals. All other 4K sites submit their own immunization data through the daycare site.

**Compared to 99.5% during the 2024-2025 school year.

A school or school district is required to exclude non-compliant students if the compliance level was less than 99% during the previous school year. Students are considered “compliant” if they meet minimum requirements, are considered in process, or have a waiver. Our school district’s compliance percentage for the 2025-2026 school year increased to 99.9%. Since we met the 99% compliance criteria as a district, it is not recommended to exclude non-compliant students for the 2026-2027 school year. By the end of the school year, the total compliance percentage for the district was 99.8%. This shows the continued time and effort that the health team puts into contacting families to encourage them to have their student(s) immunized - including students who transfer into our district mid-year.

New immunization requirements were in place for 7th, 8th, and 12th graders for the 2025-2026 school year. This caused hundreds of secondary building students to be behind schedule in their immunizations at the start of the school year - with the Middle School at 86.6% and the SRHI at 86.3%; however, both ending at greater than 99% when numbers were reported to the local health department. Again, this shows the time and effort put into connecting with students and families.

Screening Programs

Hearing and Vision

	Screened	Rescreened	Referred
Hearing	1,747	137	67
Vision	1,711	202	122

Hearing and vision screening is done for 4K, K, 1st, 3rd, and 5th grades at all elementary buildings & 4K sites. This service is provided through Marathon County Special Education. Students in grades other than those listed are able to opt in for screening if concerns are recognized.

Bridging Brighter Smiles

	Screening & Cleaning	Fluoride Varnish	Sealant Placement	Images/X-Rays
Dental Care	558	939	604	458

Bridging Brighter Smiles (BBS) is a program that families can opt their student(s) in to receive preventative dental care. BBS offers services to Key to Life 4K site as well as our K-12 students.

Health Room

Health Room Visits

	Total # of Health Room Visits 2025-2026	Total # of Health Room Visits 2024-2025	Total # of Health Room Visits 2023-2024	Total # of Health Room Visits 2022-2023
SRHI	7,392	7,388	4,277	3,235
Idea	336	597	611	442
JRH	4,463	4,473	7,914	8,967
MS	9,762	8,466	6,835	7,115
EVE	7,101	7,057	5,775	5,209
HAT	1,016	1,098	2,150	1,813
MOU	4,579	3,761	2,991	2,862
Odyssey	590	360	464	309
RIV	3,053	3,122	3,945	3,951
ROTH	1,858	1,222	1,534	1,088
WES	2,902	2,979	2,752	3,393
Total	43,052 (↑)	40,523	39,248	38,384

The total number of Health Room visits continues to increase every year. We continue to see an increase in chronic health conditions which require more daily attention and support. There is also an increase in training and delegation requirements among buildings to support students' health conditions during the school day and school sponsored events.

Last year there were a total of 297 field trips across the district in the months of May/June. This year, there were 365 field trips. This shows the added time and energy given at the end of the school year and the increased planning required by Health Room staff.

Discharge from Health Room

	911 Calle d/Tra	Remained at	Sent Home 2025-	911 Calle d/	Remained at	Sent Home 2024-	911 Calle d/	Remained at	Sent Home 2023-	911 Calle d/	Remained at	Sent Home 2022-

	nspor ted 2025- 2026	Scho ol 2024- 2025	2026	Trans port 2024- 2025	Scho ol 2024- 2025	2025	Trans port 2023- 2024	Scho ol 2023- 2024	2024	Trans port 2022- 2023	Scho ol 2022- 2023	2023
SRHI	3	4,995	524	9	4,915	563	4	3,565	472	3	2,680	483
Idea	0	330	62	0	471	56	0	489	47	0	400	46
JRH	2	3,788	412	0	3,988	387	3	2,349	304	3	6,640	836
MS	5	8,698	466	4	7,458	494	4	6,150	518	1	6,475	343
EVE	0	6,584	339	0	6,452	398	0	4,981	494	0	5,228	510
HAT	0	953	58	0	992	75	0	1,969	125	0	1,609	105
MOU	0	4,561	160	0	3,488	197	1	2,740	202	0	2,621	205
Odys sey	0	542	62	0	316	55	0	401	62	0	269	65
RIV	0	2,794	239	0	2,577	351	0	3,436	333	0	3,472	297
ROTH	0	1,695	94	0	1,061	145	0	569	119	1	428	165
WES	1	2,679	197	0	2,671	288	0	2,493	255	1	2,840	321
Total	11	37,619	2,613	13	34,389	3,009	12	29,142	2,931	9	32,662	3,376

A lot of time and effort goes into supporting students so that they can remain at school. This can include following their action plan, giving medications, educating them on their health, referring to other Student Services staff, etc. This data shows that 93% of students were able to remain at school with Health Room support.

In addition to calling EMS services for students, 911 was called for several staff/community members' health emergencies and district staff supported them during that time.

Documented Health Conditions

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024	2022-2023
Elementary (3K-5)	870	899	901	1,020
Secondary (6-12)	1,870	1,831	1,837	1,489
EVA*	0	0	0	35

Total	2,740 (↑)	2,730	2,738	2,544
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*EVA students can still be a part of classes, field trips, sports, and other school-sponsored events. EVA students are now counted for in their elementary or secondary building.

Health conditions continue to range from mild to severe. Understanding these conditions is important for health staff, teachers, coaches, nutrition staff, and others so that the district can ensure students are kept safe and receive appropriate care in and out of the building. The health team navigates the upward trend of complex conditions, additional building coverage, school-sponsored extracurricular activities, and training. Even though we continue to see a gradual decrease in student enrollment, the number of health conditions continues to increase in both number and complexity.

Health Conditions Requiring Additional Care

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024	2022-2023
Neurogenic Bladder with Cathing	3	3	2	1
Anaphylactic Allergies	153	159	150	150
Diabetes (Type 1 or 2)	34	32	32	32
Seizures	63	51	44	43
Heart Conditions	78	76	70	60
Adrenal Insufficiency	3	3	3	3
GI Condition with Ileostomy/Colostomy	1	1	1	1
GI Condition with NG/Gtube/Cecostomy	8	10	8	4
Total	343 (↑)	335	310	294

Medications

	Elementary (4K-5)	Secondary (6-12)	EVA*
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Number of Students with Medications at School	334 (↑)	455 (↑)	-
Total Number of Medications Available	563 (↑)	907 (↑)	-

Number of Medication Errors:

*EVA students with medications are counted for in their elementary or secondary building.

The total number of medications includes prescription or non-prescription medications that a student has available in the Health Room, self-carries, or supplies for an overnight field trip. During the 2024-2025 school year, there were a total of 659 students with a total of 1,111 medications. This school year showed a large increase - 789 students with 1,470 medications.

Staff Involvement

Rescue Medication Training

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024	2022-2023
Staff Trained	717 (↓)	730	711	639
Total Rescue Medications	4,157 (↑)	3,604	3,149	2,812

This education was provided by the three district nurses and is done annually for emergent medical needs such as anaphylaxis, diabetes, and seizures. The increase in the number of emergent health conditions requires us to spend more time each year training staff on more rescue medications.

Narcan Training

Cally Gordon-Haessley, Medical Director from SAFER, provided the annual Narcan training following DPI recommendations for a select group of staff. This year there were 35 staff who were trained. We also offered for all district staff to attend optionally; however, none chose to attend.

CPR and First Aid Training

District staff who need this training as part of their job duties, or staff would like to have this training, are able to choose from several opportunities provided by Jamie Betry throughout the year. This year there were 139 staff who were trained. Training needs to be renewed every 2 years.

Flu Shot

Staff had the opportunity to receive their flu shot at the Administration Building through a partnership with Aspirus. This fall, 114 staff took advantage of this opportunity.

Evaluation

DC Everest Area School District provided a high level of health care services to students during the 2025-2026 school year. The data trend supports the yearly increased workload that our health team navigates. This report provides numbers showing that the health needs of students are increasing, along with the amount of time spent supporting them throughout the school year. *The consistent increase of chronic health needs exceeds the current nurse FTE so the continued recommendation is to add an additional nurse FTE.*

We also updated AED pads and batteries for Group 2 in our 2024 AED proposal to ensure that our emergency supplies are ready to support students, staff, visitors and families.

Goals for 2026-2027

With new immunization requirements being put into place again, we will continue to work towards meeting a 99% compliance rate when submitting our reports to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services.

With the high likelihood of 8th grade joining the Middle School and 9th grade joining the SRHI in the next few years, we will continue to have conversations regarding health coverage, workload, and safety. Our biggest concerns with this change include staffing with managing hundreds of extra visits at both the SRH and MS and whether the Health Room spaces are large enough to accommodate those extra students. Currently, the SRH and MS have the highest monthly health office visits across the district so we would need to discuss further how we can continue to provide quality care.

We will continue to partner with the School Nutrition team to ensure that our students and their families receive updated menu information. We would love to see our menu have allergen, “may contain”, or “contains” information to increase the safety of our students! This will allow students with diabetes to make informed decisions, provide students with anaphylactic allergies a safe meal, and allow students with dietary restrictions (i.e. gluten free, lactose intolerant) to know what their meals contain.