

Public School Nurses' Week Resolution

WHEREAS, **school nurses** play a critical role in the educational process through involvement in the prevention of illness and the early detection and correction of health problems; and

WHEREAS, **school nurses** must be specially prepared and qualified to practice preventive health measures, assess health conditions, and handle referrals; and

WHEREAS, **school nurses** serve the multiple roles of health educator and health counselor to children and families, resource person to classroom teachers and administrators, child advocate in times of crisis and liaison among home, school and community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of the Lamar Consolidated Independent School District declares the week of **May 6–12, 2023** as **School Nurses' Week**, and encourages all members of our staff and community to express appreciation to our school nurses.

Adopted this 18th day of April 2023.

Alex Hunt, President

Zach Lambert, Secretary