

Operational Services

Administrative Procedure - Plan for Responding to a Medical Emergency at a Physical Fitness Facility

The following operations implement School Board policy 4:170, *Safety*, requiring a plan for responding to medical emergencies at a physical fitness facility. These operations shall be completed consistent with the Physical Fitness Facility Medical Emergency Procedures Act, 210 ILCS 74, and the Illinois Department of Public Health Rules, Part 527, “Physical Fitness Medical Emergency Preparedness Code.” Any definitions of terms found in this Act and IDPH implementing Rules are used as the definitions of those terms in this Procedure.

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<p>Superintendent or designee</p>	<p>Appoints a staff member to coordinate the operations in this Procedure who will be known as the “Plan Coordinator.”</p> <p>Plan Coordinator:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="border: none;"><u>Caroline Pate-Hefty</u></td> <td style="border: none;"><u>Director of Special Education</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: none;">Name</td> <td style="border: none;">Position</td> </tr> </table> <p>Files this plan with the Dept. of Public Health, Division of EMS & Highway Safety, 525 W. Jefferson St., Springfield, IL 62761. Sec. 527.400(a). The plan must be updated with the IDPH after a change in the facility that affects the ability to comply with a medical emergency, such as the facility was closed for more than 45 days. Sec. 527.400(c).</p> <p>Dates plan submitted:</p> <p><u>January 2, 2006</u></p> <p>_____</p> <p>Decides, with input from the Plan Coordinator, the schedule for purchasing AEDs.</p> <p>Indoor Facility - A district with 4 or fewer physical fitness facilities must have at least three such facilities equipped with an AED and its fourth facility by July 1, 2009. A district with more than 4 physical fitness facilities must have 75% of those facilities equipped with an AED and 100% of those facilities in compliance by July 1, 2009.</p> <p>Outdoor Facility - A district with 4 or fewer physical fitness facilities must have at least one such facility in compliance by July 1, 2009; its second facility by July 1, 2010; its third facility by July 1, 2011; and its fourth facility by July 1, 2012. A district with more than 4 physical fitness facilities must have 25% of those facilities in compliance by July 1, 2009; 50% by July 1, 2010; 75% by July 1, 2011; and 100% by July 1, 2012.</p> <p>If the AED becomes inoperable, the district must replace or repair it within 45 days. 210 ILCS 74/50; Sec. 527.600(a).</p> <p>Designates each Building Principal as the individual who must be notified in the event of a medical emergency. Sec. 527.400(a).</p>	<u>Caroline Pate-Hefty</u>	<u>Director of Special Education</u>	Name	Position
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	<p style="text-align: center;">Building Office Contact <u>Harlem High School</u> Joe Hazen</p> <p>Upon receiving a completed report that an AED was used (4:170-AP6, E2, <i>Automatic External Defibrillator Incident Report</i>), notifies the EMS System Resource Hospital in accordance with Sec. 527.500(a). <u>EMS System Resource Hospital</u>: Swedish American EMS Dept. Tom Pratt Fax: (815) 391-8116</p>								
Plan Coordinator	<p>Responsibilities Concerning Emergency Responders With the Building Principal, identify all staff members who, through their education or training, are appropriate emergency responders for specific facilities. If possible, train all emergency responders, CPR, and AED users.</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Facility</th> <th style="text-align: left; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Emergency Response Providers</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Harlem High School</td> <td>Swedish American Hospital or Harlem Roscoe Fire Department</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Responsibilities Concerning AED Users Determines the appropriate number of trained AED users and anticipated rescuers or users needed for each facility equipped with an AED. Each facility with an AED must have at least one trained AED user on staff and present during all physical fitness activities ¹ and take reasonable measures to ensure that anticipated rescuers or users are trained. Sec. 527.800(a). Working with the Building Principal, identifies trained AED users and requests that other appropriate staff members and anticipated rescuers or users become trained.</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Facility</th> <th style="text-align: left; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Trained AED Users</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Harlem High School</td> <td>Dusti Adrian Sule Bertram Jared Day Michelle Erb Mary Kane Cathy Manley Terry Matus Cecil Miller Xan Milne Nelly Montoya Peter Nogacz Lyle Rich Alison Schmidt Scott Sholl</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Facility	Emergency Response Providers	Harlem High School	Swedish American Hospital or Harlem Roscoe Fire Department	Facility	Trained AED Users	Harlem High School	Dusti Adrian Sule Bertram Jared Day Michelle Erb Mary Kane Cathy Manley Terry Matus Cecil Miller Xan Milne Nelly Montoya Peter Nogacz Lyle Rich Alison Schmidt Scott Sholl
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¹ P.A. 95-712 amended the Physical Fitness Facility Medical Emergency Preparedness Act by changing Section 15 to require physical fitness facilities to ensure that there is a trained AED user on staff and present during all physical fitness activities.

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	<p style="text-align: center;">Nick Stange Shayna Walenga Jason Warner</p> <p>Responsibilities Concerning AED Registration Registers the AED with the EMS System Resource Hospital listed above. Sec. 527.500(b). Notifies an agent of the local emergency communications or vehicle dispatch center of the existence, location, and type of AED. Sec. 527.500(c). Provides a list of trained users at each building equipped with an AED to the Resource Hospital. Sec. 527.500(b)(1).</p>								
	<p>Cooperates with requests from the Resource Hospital for manufacturer’s guidelines for maintenance and training. Sec. 527.500(b)(2).</p> <p>Responsibilities Concerning Location of AED and Other First Aid Equipment</p> <p>Indoor Facility - Decides, with input from the Building Principal or designee, where to place the AED and other first aid equipment so that their location will be conspicuous, easily accessible, and convenient; the AED must be mobile and accessible at all times. Sec. 527.600(a).</p> <p>Outdoor Facility - Ensures: (1) the AED is placed within 300 feet of the outdoor facility in an open building that has marked directions to the AED at its entrances, or (2) that when no building within 300 feet of the outdoor facility exists, the person responsible for supervising the activity has the AED available at the outdoor facility during the event or activity.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">Facility</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: center;">First Aid & AED Location</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> </table> <p>Keeps a copy of the AED’s manual with the AED. Sec. 527.700(b).</p> <p>Responsibilities Concerning Notification and Posting Along with the Building Principal, notifies all staff members of the location of any AEDs as well as the instructions for responding to medical emergencies. Sec. 527.800(b).</p> <p>Responsibilities Concerning Training Coordinates, with input from the Building Principal, the training of: (1) all staff members who regularly supervise students in physical fitness facilities in the use of CPR and, if appropriate, AEDs, and (2) any non-employee coaches, instructors or other similarly situated anticipated rescuers or users. Sec. 527.800(a) and 210 ILCS 74/15(b-5).</p> <p>Responsibilities Concerning Instructions for Responding to Medical Emergencies Along with the Building Principal, notifies all facility staff of the location of any AEDs and the <i>Step-by-Step Emergency Response Plan</i> described below.</p>	Facility	First Aid & AED Location	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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	<p>Sec. 527.800(b).</p> <p>Coordinates, along with the Building Principal, the posting of the <i>Step-by-Step Emergency Response Plan</i> described below. Sec. 527.800(b).</p> <p>Responsibilities Concerning Maintenance and Testing of AEDs</p> <p>Ensures that all AEDs are maintained and tested according to manufacturer's guidelines. Sec. 527.700(a).</p> <p>Maintains a record of the applicable maintenance and training at the facility. Sec. 527.500(b)(2).</p> <p>Keeps a copy of the maintenance and testing manual at the facility and keeps a copy of the manual with each AED. Sec. 527.700(b).</p>
Building Principal	<p>In a conspicuous place in the physical fitness facility, posts: (1) the list of all staff members who are emergency responders, and (2) the <i>Step-by-Step Emergency Response Plan</i> described below. Sec. 527.400(a).</p> <p>Posts a notice at the school's main entrance stating that an AED is located on the premises. Sec. 527.600(a).</p> <p>Receives notice in the event of a medical emergency. Sec. 527.400(a).</p>
School Nurses	<p>Along with the Plan Coordinator, help staff members understand the instructions for responding to medical emergencies.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">These instructions must provide that the AED should be operated only by trained AED users, unless the circumstances do not allow time to be spent waiting for a trained AED user to arrive. Sec. 527.800(c).</p>
Trained AED Users and/or Other Emergency Responders	<p>According to their training, use appropriate emergency responses upon the occurrence of any sudden, serious, and unexpected sickness or injury that would lead a reasonable person, possessing an average knowledge of medicine and health, to believe that the sick or injured person required urgent or unscheduled medical care. Sec. 527.400(a).</p> <p>According to their training, use the AED to help restore a normal heart rhythm when a person's heart is not beating properly. Sec. 527.400(a).</p> <p>Calls 9-1-1 for medical emergencies and whenever an AED is used. Sec. 527.400(b); Sec. 527.500(a).</p> <p>Informs the Building Principal whenever the AED or other emergency response is used. Sec. 527.400(a).</p> <p>Whenever an AED is used, completes 4:170-AP6, E2, <i>Automatic External Defibrillator Incident Report</i>, and forwards it to the Superintendent so that it can be sent or faxed to the EMS System Resource Hospital. Sec. 527.500(a).</p>
All Facility Staff Members and Users	<p>Follow the <i>Step-by-Step Emergency Response Plan</i> described below:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Immediately notify the building's emergency responder(s) whose contact information is posted in the facility. Under life and death circumstances call 9-1-1 without delay. 2. Bring the first aid equipment and AED to the emergency scene. The AED should be operated only by trained AED users for the intended purpose of the AED, unless the circumstances do not allow time for a trained AED user to arrive.

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	<ol style="list-style-type: none">3. Immediately inform the Building Principal or designee of the emergency.4. The emergency responder will take charge of the emergency. This person will apply first aid, CPR, and/or the AED, as appropriate.5. If necessary, the emergency responder instructs someone to call 9-1-1, providing the location in the building and which entrance to use. This person should make sure someone is sent to open the door for paramedics and guide them to the scene.6. When paramedics arrive and assume care of the victim, the emergency responder or other staff person notifies the victim's parent/guardian or relative.7. If an AED was used, the person using it completes the <i>Automatic External Defibrillator Incident Report</i>, 4:170-AP6, E2. If appropriate, a supervising staff member completes an accident report.8. If an adult refuses treatment, the emergency responder documents the refusal and, if possible, asks the adult to sign a statement stating that he or she refused treatment.

APPROVED: May 26, 2009