

Nurse's Corner

Welcome!

I am excited to welcome you into the building for the 2021-2022 school year! I am looking forward to working together to assure a safe and healthy year! The goal of the School Nurse is to support the educational process by promoting optimum wellness and working closely with scholars, parents/guardians, teachers and administrators; assess and evaluate the health need of scholars; and to accommodate scholars with specific health concerns.

There are many ways a School Nurse benefits a school:

- School Nurses improve attendance through health promotion and disease prevention and management.
- School Nurses perform health screenings every year for each scholar and follow-up with parents/guardians as needed.
- School Nurses are an important liaison between schools, parents/guardians, physician and community agencies.
- School Nurses help improve academics by helping scholars stay healthy and remain in the classroom ready to learn.
- The School Nurse participates in the identification, referral and health appraisal of scholars.
- School nurses help with staff wellness and designate and train others in the administration of emergency medication for when the nurse is not present.
- School nurses' assist with accountability by following State and Federal Guidelines in compliance with state immunization requirements, mandated screenings and exams, maintaining health records, and preparing for emergencies.

Remember to wear your mask covering your nose and mouth.

Social Distance

Wash your hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns at 215-400-7930 or by email at bpfelder@philasd.org. Have a safe and healthy school year!

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