



AED & CPR Training

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Title IV, Part A funds cannot be used to meet state or local requirements. Below are state requirements for the school system concerning **automated external defibrillator (AED)/cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) Training**. The school system needs to meet these requirements before using Title IV, Part A funds to supplement additional needs. For guidance regarding Title IV, Part A compliance, please see [TEA Title IV, Part A: Student Support and Academic Enrichment](#). For guidance on AED/CPR Training requirements, please review [TEA Healthy and Safe School Environment of the Coordinated School Health Model](#) and [TEA 19 TAC Chapter 74. Curriculum Requirements](#).

Response to Cardiac Arrest

Texas Education Code (TEC)

- [TEC 38.017](#) (Availability of Automated External Defibrillator and Monthly Check)
- [TEC 38.018](#) (Cardiac Emergency Response Plan)

Texas Government Code (TGC)

- [TEG 4119.909](#) (Fire Safety Inspection to Include AED)

Health and Safety Code (HSC)

- [HSC 779.003](#) (Acquisition, Maintenance, and Inspection of Automated External Defibrillator)

TASB Board Policy (Districts should refer to their own LEGAL & LOCAL policy for guidance.)

- CKD (Legal) Safety Program/Risk Management: Emergency Medical Equipment and Procedures

Resources and Guidance

- [TEA Health and Safe School Environment of the Coordinated School Health Model](#)

Student Training Requirements

Texas Education Code (TEC)

- [TEC 28.0023](#) (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Automated External Defibrillator Instruction)
- [TEC 29.903](#) (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation CPR and Automated External Defibrillator AED Instruction; Donations to School Districts for use in CPR and AED Instruction)

Texas Administrative Code (TAC)

Staff Training Requirements

Texas Education Code (TEC)

- [TEC 21.0541](#) (Continuing Education Credit For Instruction Related To Use of Automated External Defibrillator)
- [TEC 22.902](#) (Instruction Related To Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation And Use Of Automated External Defibrillator)
- [TEC 28.0023](#) (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation And Automated External Defibrillator Instruction)
- [TEC 33.086](#) (Certification in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and First Aid)
- [TEC 38.017](#) (Availability of Automated External Defibrillator)

Texas Administrative Code (TAC)

- [19 TAC Chapter 74](#) (Curriculum Requirements)

TASB Board Policy (Districts should refer to their own LEGAL & LOCAL policy for guidance.)

- Who needs to be certified: DBA (Legal) Employment Requirements and Restrictions: Credentials and Records
- How often a district needs to make instruction available: DMA (Legal) Professional Development: Required Staff Development
- AED availability: CKD (Legal) Safety Program/Risk Management: Emergency Medical Equipment and Procedures

Resources and Guidance

- [TASB Training Chart 2024](#)
- [TEA SBEC Education Clearinghouse](#)
- [TEA Mental and Behavioral Health Recommended Best Practices List](#)



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- [19 TAC Chapter 115](#) (Health TEKS)
- [19 TAC Chapter 74](#) (Curriculum Requirements)

TASB Board Policy (Districts should refer to their own LEGAL & LOCAL policy for guidance.)

- EHAC (Legal) Basic Instructional Program: Required Instruction Secondary
- EFA (Legal) Instructional Resources: Instructional Materials

Resources and Guidance

- [TEA Health and Safe School Environment of the Coordinated School Health Model](#)
- [TEA Health Education](#)

Charter Schools

Charter Schools are required to provide for safety and mental health in many areas.

Texas Education Code (TEC)

- [TEC 12 - Charters](#)
- [TEC 12.104\(B\)\(3\)\(V\)](#)

Texas Administrative Code (TAC)

- [Title 19 of the Texas Administrative Code \(TAC\) §100.1033 \(b\)\(14\)\(C\)](#)

Resources and Guidance

- [TEA Charter School Governance](#)
- [TEA TAA August 2024 - Child Abuse, Neglect, and Human Trafficking](#)

Districts of Innovation

Districts of Innovation may not exempt themselves from CH 37, which requires providing for safety and mental health in many areas.

Texas Education Code (TEC)

- [TEC 12A - Districts of Innovation](#)

Texas Administrative Code (TAC)

- [19 TAC Chapter 102, Subchapter II, Innovation District](#)

Resources and Guidance

- [TEA District of Innovation](#)