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A. Injuries and/or Illness Requiring Immediate Attention

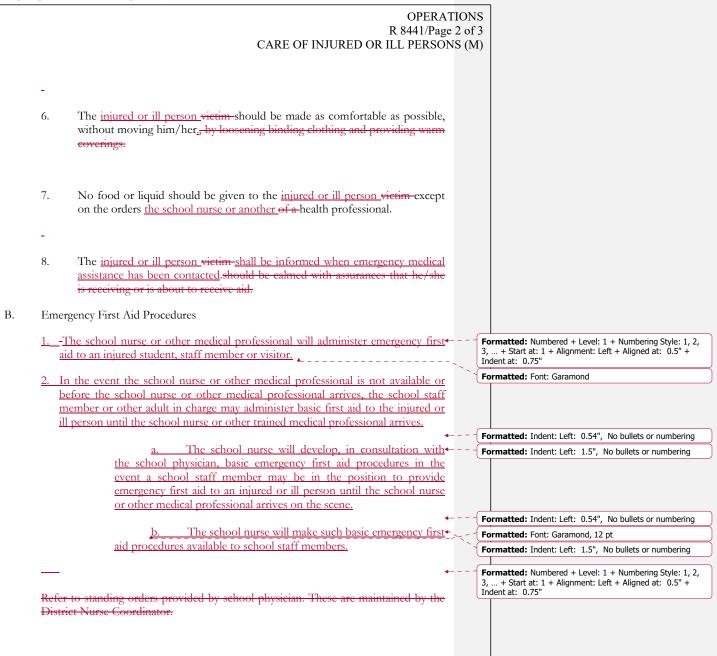
Immediate Attentio These regulations apply when a person--student, staff member, or visitor--on school premises or in the course of a school-sponsored event or field trip is injured or becomes suddenly ill. <u>A school staff member shall take charge under these circumstances until the school nurse or another medical professional arrives on the scene. The school staff member or other responsible adult present who takes charge should act quickly but not hastily.</u>

- The injury or illness shall be reported immediately to the school nurse or, in the absence of the school nurse, to the Principal<u>or designee</u>. The report may be made directly (over an intercom) or by another adult or by a student messenger.
- 2. If it is <u>clearly</u>-evident <u>that</u> the illness or injury is serious<u>and immediate</u> medical attention may be required, ,-emergency medical assistance shall be immediately summoned by telephone call to 911.
- The injured or ill person victim shall be examined for any obvious injuries or health problems. breathing obstructions, bleeding, and broken bones.
- 4. The <u>injured or ill personvictim</u> shall be checked for the presence of a necklace or bracelet that identifies a particular medical problem<u>-such as diabetes or epilepsy.</u>
- 5. The <u>injured or ill person shall vietim will</u> not be moved, except as may be absolutely-necessary to remove the person from a dangerous environment. If necessary, furniture or equipment will be moved to permit space around the victim.



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