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WESTFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Regulation Regarding Automated External Defibrillators (AED)

The Westfield Public Schools will, subject to available funding, provide and maintain on site, in each facility, where instruction is provided at least one (1) Automated External Defibrillator (AED). Automated External Defibrillators (AED) shall be used to respond to suspected cardiac emergencies.

Select personnel will be trained on access and use of an AED during an emergency. Such personnel shall undergo recurrent training as prescribed by the School Medical Director. Only persons trained and certified by a Qualified AED program, which meet the standards established by the American Heart Association or the American National Red Cross, are authorized to use the AED's.

If an AED is used, the operator who has used it shall remain with the individual who has been treated until emergency medical services ("EMS") arrives, and shall report to EMS about the use of the AED.

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Legal References: Chapter 71 Section 54(c)

Chapter 112 Section 12V½

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