

Kansas Laws Relating to Student Health & Role of KDHE



KSA	http://www.kslegislature.org/li/b2015_16/statute/	Authority	KDHE Responsibility
65-118	Reporting to local health authority as to infectious of contagious diseases; persons reporting; immunity from liability; confidentiality; disclosure	KDHE	Secretary of health provides rules, regulation, provision for reporting.
65-119	Duties and powers of local health officers, contagious diseases, confidentiality of information; disclosure	Board of health; local health officers	Board of health and local health officers shall provide information on infectious and contagious disease to the Sec. of Health & Environment
65-1113-1165	Regulation of Nursing (includes delegation regulations)	Board of Nursing	
65-1680	Epinephrine kits in schools; rules and regulations	State Board of Pharmacy	
65-2871	Practice of chiropractic prohibited from prescribing or administering to any person medicine or drugs in material medica	Board of Healing Arts	
65-2872b	Administration of epinephrine; limitation of liability	Physician authorized stock supply of epinephrine	
65-6149a	Automated external defibrillator; use and possession, immunity from liability; notice of acquisition of unit; placement of units in state facilities.	EMS of geographical region	
72-1204	Hearing testing programs; definitions	Board of Education	
72-1205	Free (hearing) tests required; when and by whom tests performed; reports to parents	Board of Education	
72-1206	Forms & records for basic hearing screening	Board of Education	
72-5201-5202	Dental inspectors regulations	Board of Education	
72-5203	Dental certificate of results	Board of Education	
72-5204	Basic vision screening definitions	School Board	
72-5205	Basic vision screening required exception; eye examination for conditions impairing reading ability	School Board	

72-5207	Eye protective devices	Schools, colleges, universities and other educational institutions	
72-5208	Health tests and inoculations definition	School board/board of education Local health department Secretary of State Department of Health & Environment Licensed physician	
72-5209	Certificate of completion required, alternatives (for tests and inoculations)	School board	
72-5210	Duties of public health departments and officers; fees, exception to payment (for tests and inoculations)	County, city-county or multicounty health department; local health officer	
72-5211	Duties of secretary; forms and certificates; regulations (for tests and inoculations)	KDHE	Secretary shall prescribe the content of forms and certificates to be used by school boards; audit information will be obtained from this form
72-5211a	Exclusion of pupils from school attendance; adoption of policy; notice; hearing; compulsory attendance law not applicable (for tests and inoculations)	School board	Refers back to KSH 72-5209
72-5213	Certification of health (employees of school district); form and contents; expense of obtaining; alternative certification	Board of Education	Form prescribed by the Secretary of Health & Environment
72-5214	(Student) Health assessments; definitions; requirements, alternatives; duties of school boards	School board	(g), which assessment shall have been conducted within 12 months of school entry by a nurse who has

			completed the Department of Health and environment (KDH&E) training and certification
72-5215	Information on immunizations applicable to school age children	Board of Education	Assistance by county health department
72-5369	Destruction of records by school districts and community junior colleges	Board of Education or Board of Trustees at Junior College	
72-5370	Application (apply to permanent records)	Board of Education or Board of Trustees at Junior College	Refer back to 72-5369
72-5371	Reproduction of (school) records	School District	
72-5372	Deemed original records; evidence; transcript (school records)	School District	
72-5373	Preservation and destruction of original (school) records	Custodial officer of a governing body of school district	
72-5386	School records of pupils; withholding prohibited; return or payment for, exception	School District	
72-8252	Allow student to self-administer certain medications (in school setting)	School District/Board of Education will adopt policy – under the direction of the pharmacist/physician to write the order Health care provider/school nurse/ nurse’s designee	
72-8258	Epinephrine Kits; requirements	Board of Education Consulting pharmacist	

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