

SHAC Minutes
11/11/2020

Agenda was presented by Mrs. Watts

Texas School Health Guidelines

Medication Administration

Guidelines for Administering Medications in School

Self-Administration of medications

Herbal and dietary supplements

Emergency medications in schools

Psychotropic Medications in schools

Medications for diabetes in school

Oxygen administration in schools

(The committee was divided into groups to evaluate and discuss these different sections and then presented recommendations and questions for clarification to the rest of the committee)

Our school district nurse talked about the available forms for parents on her website. These forms are in English and in Spanish. She reviewed current procedures and gave recommendations on how they could be improved across the district.

The Parental Permit to Administer Prescription or Non-Prescription Medication at School for 15 Days or Less was discussed during the meeting. Nurse Seay added that this form will serve only for specific small time-frames that the students might need medications. Parents in the committee talked about the liability involved in this case. Nurse Seay mentioned that everything will be documented on TxEis.

Each group discussed their assigned sections in length.

The committee agreed on policy and procedures for medication administration for PISD to recommend to Administration and our School Board.