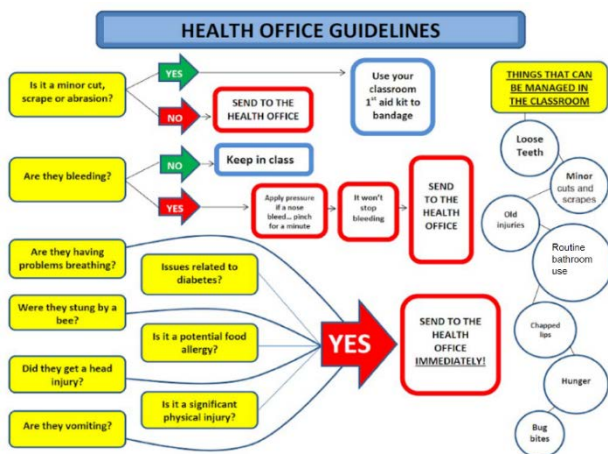


Point of Service #1: Classroom

The management of minor first aid injuries should be handled in the classroom to prevent health office congregation and possible cross exposure risk with sick students. Educational staff who have been designated by the site administrator and trained by the school nurse may perform the duties as delegated in accordance with the Nevada State Board of Nursing Regulation and Advisory Opinion.

The administration of scheduled medications and some scheduled specialized procedures (non-aerosolized) may be handled in the classroom, when appropriate to do so, if privacy needs can be met.



Ensure all classrooms are provided with a basic first aid kit and restock with available items, such as nitrile or vinyl gloves, surgical masks, disinfectant wipes, adhesive bandages of various sizes, paper cups, tooth saving kits, white petroleum jelly, cotton-tipped applicators, instant-cold packs, etc.

Examples of first aid care that may be performed in the classroom include:

- Minor bleeding
- Disinfection of cuts and scrapes
- Application of adhesive bandages
- A loose tooth
- Dry lips or skin
- Hunger or thirst

Staff may also refer to the first aid and Emergency Guidelines for School Personnel (PUB 648).

Teachers should contact the health office if they are uncertain or need guidance regarding student care. Students should provide their own first aid with staff direction and physical distancing to the extent possible. Teachers must notify health office personnel before sending a student to the health office or sick room. Consider an alternate location for feminine hygiene products and dress code concerns rather than using the health office.