

Anaphylaxis Management Policy

Pulaski Community School District is committed to providing a safe and nurturing environment for students. The Pulaski Community school District Board of Education understands the increasing prevalence of life threatening allergies among school populations. Recognizing that the risk of accidental exposure to allergens can be reduced in the school setting, Pulaski Community School District is committed to working in collaboration with parents, students, and healthcare providers to minimize risks and provide a safe educational environment for all students. The focus of allergy management shall be on prevention, education, awareness, communication and emergency response.

The goals for allergy management include:

1. To define a formal process for identifying, managing and ensuring continuity of care for students with life-threatening allergies across all transitions (PreK-12). This process shall be outlined in detail in the district's administrative procedures.
2. To maintain the health and protect the safety of children who have life-threatening allergies in ways that are developmentally appropriate, promoting self-advocacy and competence in self-care and provide appropriate educational opportunities.
3. To ensure that interventions and allergy management plan for students with life-threatening allergies are based on medically accurate information and evidence-based practices.

In accordance with applicable law, it is the policy of the school district to provide all students, through necessary accommodations where required, the opportunity to participate in all school programs and activities. Accordingly, the administration shall direct all staff, to act affirmatively and work closely with parents to assure that the needs of children with documented allergies are taken into consideration in planning for district programs. The district food service director and director of student services shall ensure the district's management plan is reviewed and updated regularly.

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REF: State Statute 118.35
State Statute 121.02 (1) (t)
PI 8.01 (2) (t), Wisconsin Administrative Code