

LRES Nurse Emily Donati:

I can speak to LRES and a little bit about what our nursing team has discussed as far as emergency management.

-As a nursing team, we have discussed many times this year the importance of having as many staff members as possible trained in CPR so that we are ready as a district to respond to emergencies. We have been in communication with Jennifer Heywood about the cost and possibility of all nursing staff becoming instructors so we can offer more trainings to all our staff if the district is willing to make that investment.

-All nursing offices have stock emergency medications including narcan and epipens.

-Of course all nursing staff are CPR certified.

-We have 1 AED here at LRES.

-For field trips, we always ensure we have at least 1 CPR certified staff member accompanying.

-Every fall I offer epipen training for those who are interested (I cannot offer any CPR training without being an instructor myself).

I have no knowledge about the school offering an insurance policy.

And there are 2 AEDs at the high school as far as I am aware.

IHGMS Nurse Monique Gauthier:

This could be a lengthy conversation but here's the short version...for the middle school

* we have at minimum one AED at each school. 1 currently at MS. Todd and I have researched and received information from the State of NH on resources and packages for purchasing more. Perhaps check with him on possible status, I am sure at this point it will be a funds available budget item.

*our AED is in the cafeteria /gym area and it also contains a narcan kit with signage for both .

*we do not have now nor in the past 20 years that I have been there had oxygen as a resource. We do not have a school physician which would be needed for that to happen. We tried to obtain one in the past but area physicians did not want to take on that responsibility.

(We have had a student on oxygen in the past but that was supplied by the parent and stayed with the student.)

* as for school insurance- we used to send information home at the beginning of the school year but with the changes and availability of healthy kid's insurance which is income based launched around 2005, school insurances weren't being purchased . I am not sure when that was last offered.

RHS Nurse Jerilyn Nadeau:

As the newbie on board, I can only speak to the AED / First Aid /CPR inquiries (RHS).

With regards to CPR instruction: I have had positive responses thus far with staff/ faculty members participation in our AHA CPR/AED/ First Aid courses. I am looking forward to continuing this instruction/certification for our district next year. I am hopeful that we may be able to offer the course in full (less the hybrid component) on PD days, with the support of Emily & Monique as fellow instructors. With the goal to become a "CPR safe District".

AED's: At this time we have (2) AED's located in the cafe & gym. New this year we have included Narcan (which is introduced & covered in CPR/AED/first aid course training) in our AED kits. We have discussed adding another AED at the HS on the upper level related to safety concerns. Another Action

Plan we have discussed is the option of an alert being sent to the Fire Dept/EMS when an AED box has been activated - this would improve response time & can decrease confusion.

Finally, We are also re-visiting our emergency Go Bag status (for dept heads/admin) with the goal of making them universal & standardizing the content for emergencies.