

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 48 (SEA TO SKY)

REGULATION SERIES 500 - STUDENT PERSONNEL

R 504	STUDENT HEALTH AND SAFETY
R 504.1	Student Injuries and Illness

This Regulation sets out the minimum expectations held by the Board if a student is injured or becomes ill while under the jurisdiction of the school. Schools may wish to expand on these to meet unique or local circumstances.

1. When a student is injured or becomes ill at school, or at a school activity, it is expected that first-aid shall be applied as is available and practicable. If it is apparent that the student is in need of medical attention, then the school shall:
 - 1.1 notify the parents
 - 1.2 if it is not possible to contact the parents, notify the family doctor
 - 1.3 if it is not possible to notify the parents or the family doctor, notify any medical practitioner
2. If the student has to be taken to the doctor's office hospital or home, the responsibility for transportation costs lies with the parents. Transportation costs are to be billed directly to the parents where possible or to the Board for subsequent collection from parents.
3. If it is apparent to the principal or to the person in charge of the school that an emergency situation exists an ambulance should be called.
4. Within twenty-four (24) hours of the occurrence of the injury, a written report should be submitted to the School Board Office.