

## STUDENTS WITH DIABETES

In accordance with state law (70 O.S. §§ 1210.196.1 through 1210.196.9):

Diabetes Medical Management Plans –Upon the District’s receipt of notification from the parent or guardian that their child is diabetic, the District shall work with students who have diabetes and their parents to develop a Diabetes Medical Management Plan (the “Plan”) for such students who will seek care for diabetes while at school or participating in school activities.

The Plan shall be developed by the personal health care team for the affected student. Such team is to be composed of:

- The principal or designee;
- Parent/guardian of the student;
- Student’s physician (to the extent the physician is able/willing to participate).

In the absence of a school nurse, the District shall make effort to seek out school employees to volunteer to assist with the Plan in the capacity of volunteer diabetes care assistants. Any such volunteers shall receive training prior to becoming a volunteer. The State Department of Health shall develop guidelines for such training.

Diabetes Self-Management and Care – In accordance with each student’s Plan as described above, the District shall allow the diabetic student to self-manage and care for the student’s diabetes, which may include the following:

- Performing blood glucose checks;
- Administering insulin;
- Treating hypo- and hyperglycemia;
- Possession by the student of necessary supplies/equipment for diabetes monitoring and care; and
- Attending to the student’s diabetes management and care in the school buildings, on school grounds, or at school-related activities in areas the District shall deem appropriate and safe.

Diabetes Information Sheets – With the permission of the parent of a student with diabetes, the District shall provide to each school employee providing transportation to the student with diabetes or supervising a student with diabetes an information sheet:

- Identifying the student with diabetes;
- Identifying potential emergencies and appropriate responses thereto with regard to students with diabetes; and
- Containing an emergency contact telephone number for said student.