

Purpose

To establish a policy regarding administration of Naloxone in the Allegany County Public Schools.

Definitions

Naloxone (Naloxone Hydrochloride) is a medication indicated for reversal of opioid overdose in the event of a drug overdose that is a result of consumption or use of one or more opioid-related drugs.

Policy Statement

The Board of Education recognizes the importance of having school nurses in the Allegany County Public Schools who are capable of treating opioid overdoses by administering Naloxone. The school nurse or other authorized personnel may administer Naloxone to a person who may be perceived to be experiencing an opioid overdose.

Legal Reference			
Policy History	Adopted	Reviewed	Revised Nov. 9, 2016, 1 st Reading Dec. 13, 2016, 2 nd Reading Jan. 9, 2018, 1 st Reading Feb. 1, 2018, 2 nd Reading