

## By-Laws

**SUBJECT: DUTIES OF THE SCHOOL PHYSICIAN/NURSE PRACTITIONER**

The school physician or nurse practitioner will be appointed by the Board. The duties of the school physician or nurse practitioner will include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a) Performing professional medical services in the examination and care of school children;
- b) Performing routine examinations of school children to detect the presence of contagious diseases and physical defects;
- c) Serving as an on call member on the Committee on Special Education;
- d) Reporting to the Board on school health services;
- e) Coordinating scheduling for physical examinations to all students participating in interscholastic athletics;
- f) Providing final medical clearance for a return to extra class athletic activities for all students who have or are believed to have sustained a mild traumatic brain injury (concussion);
- g) Developing the program of health service in accordance with policies approved by the Board and as directed by the Superintendent;
- h) Conducting physical exams for all bus drivers and substitutes prior to employment and annually thereafter;
- i) Conducting a medical evaluation on any employee at the request of the Board of Education.

8 NYCRR § 136.5  
Education Law §§ 902, 913 and 6902

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