

### **C.P.R. AND A.E.D. TRAINING**

Beginning with the 2017-2018 school year, instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (“C.P.R.”) and the use of an automated external defibrillator (“A.E.D.”) shall be provided at the School’s schools for students in grades nine through twelve. Instruction shall include the psychomotor skills necessary to perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation and use of an automated external defibrillator and shall be either of the following:

1. An instructional program developed by the American Heart Association or the American Red Cross that includes instruction in C.P.R. and the use of an A.E.D.; or
2. An instructional program that is nationally recognized and based on the most current national, evidence-based emergency cardiovascular care guidelines for C.P.R. and the use of an A.E.D.

No student shall receive certification in C.P.R. and the use of an A.E.D. unless the student is trained by an authorized or certified instructor. A licensed educator does not have to be certified to provide training in the manner prescribed by this Board policy to facilitate, provide, or oversee instruction in C.P.R. and the use of an A.E.D. that does not result in certification of students.

#### **Exceptions**

Upon written request of a student’s parent or guardian, a student shall be excused from taking instruction in C.P.R.

If a student is a child with a disability and is incapable of performing the psychomotor skills required to perform C.P.R. and to use an A.E.D., as indicated in the student’s IEP, the student shall not be required to receive instruction.

LEGAL REFS: O.R.C. §§3313.60; 3313.6021

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