

USE OF AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS

The Board recognizes that medical emergencies may arise on school property that warrant the use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED). The School Department has AEDs for use in such emergencies. The Superintendent is responsible for implementing the AED program and all necessary administrative procedures. The Superintendent may delegate specific responsibilities concerning the AED program to administrators or other appropriate personnel, as he/she deems appropriate.

Legal Reference: 14 MRSA § 164
20-A MRSA § 4009
22 MRSA § 2150-C
20-A M.R.S.A. § 6304

Cross Reference: EBCA - Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan Approval
JLCE - First Aid and Emergency Medical Care

Replaces: EBCF

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NOTE: The AED law, 22 M.R.S.A. § 2150-C, as amended, provides immunity from civil liability for damages relating to the use, possession or purchase of an AED and arising out of acts or omissions relating to preparing for and responding to suspected sudden cardiac arrest emergencies absent gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct for any person or entity acquiring, maintaining, using, prescribing, or providing instruction in the use of an AED.