



The Springfield Anglican College

Student Health Policy

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1 Overarching policy

Board Policy No. 8 – Student Management Policy

2 Policy statement

The Springfield Anglican College (**College**) is committed to the health and wellbeing of all its students.

3 Special note

This policy should be read together with the Protecting Children and Young People in Anglican Education Policy, Guidelines and Procedures which deal with matters of harm, sexual abuse or inappropriate behaviour and must be kept at the forefront when considering and implementing the contents of this policy. In the event that reasonable suspicions exist that harm, and/or sexual abuse has occurred or is likely to occur, the Protecting Children and Young People in Anglican Education Policy, Guidelines and Procedures must be followed.

4 Scope

This policy applies to all staff and students.

5 Principles

- 5.1 The College owes a duty of care to take reasonable steps to protect students from any injury that may be reasonably foreseen.
- 5.2 Within a College environment, students may experience a wide range of health and wellbeing issues that need to be managed. Examples of those health and wellbeing issues include:
 - Allergies and Anaphylaxis;
 - Asthma;
 - Diabetes;
 - Concussion;
 - Head lice;
 - Epilepsy and Seizures;
 - Contagious conditions.
- 5.3 Some students may have special health issues that need to be managed through the development of a medical management plan.
- 5.4 Some students require College staff to assist with the administration of medication.

6 Our policy

- 6.1 The College is committed to providing a safe environment and assist students manage their health and welfare issues. The College has developed a range of procedures to deal with the management of common student health and welfare issues.
- 6.2 Medical management plans are managed by the College through the Medical Management Plan Procedure.
- 6.3 Administration of medication is managed by the College through the Medication Administration Procedure.
- 6.4 Allergies and anaphylaxis are managed by the College through the Allergies and Anaphylaxis Procedure.
- 6.5 Asthma is managed by the College through the Asthma Procedure.
- 6.6 Diabetes is managed by the College through the Diabetes Procedure.
- 6.7 Concussion is managed by the College through the Concussion Procedure.
- 6.8 Head lice is managed by the College through the Head Lice Procedure.
- 6.9 Epilepsy & Seizures are managed by the College through the Epilepsy & Seizure Procedure.
- 6.10 Contagious Conditions are managed by the College through the Contagious Conditions Procedure.

7 Policy administration

This policy will be reviewed 3 years from the date of the approval shown herein unless circumstances require that an earlier review be conducted.